

# Medical School

► Dr. Woodrow Pickhardt, class of '37, recently visited old friends at the School of Medicine. It will be recalled the Dr. Pickhardt, who was in a division of paratroopers, was one of the early casualties of the war and spent approximately two years as a German prisoner of war. He participated in the initial invasion of Europe and was captured a few days after D-day.

► Many former students and graduates returning from the service have stopped on their way home to visit old friends and acquaintances at the School of Medicine. Among the recent Alumni visitors were Dr. Freeman, class of '41, now a resident in pediatrics at the University Hospitals; Dr. Price F. Watson, class of '33; Dr. Phillip R. Fife, class of '43; Dr. Morris C. Gephardt, another '43 graduate; Dr. A. C. Lisle, Jr., class of '44; Dr. Millington Young, class of '44; Dr. James H. Cain, class of '42; Dr. Fred C. Popkess, '43; Dr. Phil L. Salkeld, graduate of 1941; who is resuming his work with the Quanah Clinic at Quanah, Texas, and Dr. Bert Cotton, class of '37 on his way to California where he intends to locate permanently.

► On Friday night, February 1, the student council of the Medical School gave their annual "Grid-iron." Dr. Charles Cochran, Jr., had charge of the arrangements and program, assisted by representatives from each class. The play was a portrayal of the trials and tribulations of the medical student during his four years in Medical School. As usual various members of the teaching staff were recipients of much banter, and subjects of clever caricatures.

► Dr. Homer Marsh, associate professor of bacteriology at the School of Medicine, was guest speaker at the tri-county Medical Society Meeting at Henryetta, January 21. Okmulgee, Okfuskee, and Muskogee Counties were in combined session. Dr. Marsh also gave a talk at Tulsa recently at the in-meeting of the State Health Department. His subject was the Rh factor.

► Dr. S. N. Stone, Dr. L. M. Williamson, Dr. E. E. Shircliff, and Dr. Charles H. Wilson, all returned veterans, have been added to the staff of the outpatient department at the University Hospitals. Dr. Stone took part of his medical training in Oklahoma but graduated from the University of Pennsylvania. For the past four years he has been with the Navy. Dr. Williamson is a graduate of Tulane University but also had two years work at the University of Oklahoma; Dr. Shircliff received his M.D. degree from Kansas University, and Dr. Wilson from Oklahoma University, class of '37.

► Dr. Floyd Gray, associate professor of obstetrics, resigned from the staff on January 8, 1946.

► Dr. N. F. Vander Barkett, graduate of the class of '39, has been appointed assistant in surgery.

► Dr. Wiley T. McCollum, class of 1940, recently discharged from the Army, has been appointed fellow in pathology, effective November 26, 1945.

► Dr. Robert D. Anspaugh was appointed associate in obstetrics and gynecology effective January 1, 1946.

► Dr. Harvey Mac Richey has been appointed full time instructor in surgery in the School of Medicine, effective December 15, 1945. Dr. Richey is a graduate from University of Texas, class of 1939.

► Dr. James M. Taylor has been appointed instructor in urology on the clinical staff of the School of Medicine and Hospitals, effective November 1, 1945.

► Dr. Paul W. Smith has been promoted from the rank of assistant professor of pharmacology to the rank of associate professor of pharmacology, January 1, 1946.

► Dr. Bert Mulvey has returned from military service and has resumed his position as assistant professor of clinical medicine and assistant supervisor of clinical clerkships at the School of Medicine and Hospitals.

► Dr. Donald B. McMullen, associate professor of preventive medicine and public health, who has been on military leave since April, 1945, resumed his duties on the faculty this month. Dr. McMullen, who was given the rank of colonel, during his special tour of duty, has made valuable contributions in the field of parasitology in his studies in the Philippine Islands and Japan.

► Dr. W. A. Loy, associate professor of preventive medicine, serving in the absence of Dr. McMullen, has recently purchased the Hemphill Clinic at Pawhuska. He will be associated with Dr. Glen W. McDonald.

► Dr. C. P. Segard, eastern representative of the Dr. Cotton Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation, developers of dicumarol, spoke at the School of Medicine recently on "Dicumarol Therapy and Prothrombin Time." Dr. Segard discussed the mechanism of action and newer applications of this drug.

► On February 10th the Oklahoma Association of Pathologists held their bi-monthly meeting at the School of Medicine. Following a morning seminar in which neoplastic and inflammatory diseases were discussed there was a luncheon at the University Hospital. Mr. Hugh G. Payne, executive secretary of the State Cancer Society was guest speaker and discussed the cancer problem and activities of the State Cancer Society in Oklahoma.

► Dr. Wann Langston, dean, and Dr. H. A. Shoemaker, assistant dean, recently attended the annual congress on medical education and licensure in Chicago. After the meeting they visited some of the larger hospitals and medical schools before returning to Oklahoma City.

► Dr. Corrine Veaty was recently appointed a research fellow at the University of Oklahoma School of Medicine. She received her doctorate in physiology from the Louisiana State University, having previously done graduate work at Yale, Louisiana State University and Cold Spring Harbor Marine Laboratories. For the past two years Dr. Veaty has directed the endocrine laboratories at Duke University School of Medicine, working in association with Dr. E. C. Homblen, chief of the endocrine division. Dr. Veaty will work with Dr. Arthur A. Hellbaum, professor of pharmacology in a continuation of his studies on endocrine function.

► Dr. Robert C. Lowe has been appointed a full time member of the clinical staff of the School of Medicine. Dr. Lowe received his degree of M.D. in 1933 from the University of Minnesota School of Medicine. He assumed his duties as assistant professor of medicine on February 1.

## Three Millions Goal of O.U. Medical Center

Plans for a large medical institute to be established by the Alumni Association of the University of Oklahoma School of Medicine at a cost of three million dollars have been announced by Dr. Lee K. Emenheiser, association president of the medical alumni.

Work has already started toward raising of the fund which is a part of the University of Oklahoma Foundation recently announced as a depository for funds contributed by philanthropists of Oklahoma.

Projected plans for the three million dollar institution will include a research institute with cancer research equipment, a large medical library

and a large quantity of radium for use in research and equipment.

Endowments or annual gifts are also needed for special chairs and lectureships in such fields as institute directorship, physical medicine, psychosomatic medicine, experimental medicine and experimental surgery, Dr. Emenheiser said.

The endowment committee of the School of Medicine and the Oklahoma Medical Association have established a fund for the advancement of medical sciences in Oklahoma, set up to accept endowments and grants for the School of Medicine, he revealed.

The foundation is independent of the University and its funds of resources could not be used in such a way as to decrease the financial responsibility of the state legislature for maintaining the regular functions of the institution, Dr. Emenheiser said.

## Medical Scholarship

At the annual meeting of the Oklahoma Memorial Association, in November, 1945, a scholarship was instituted for the graduating student of the School of Medicine having the highest scholastic record. The first award was presented to Raymond Hinshaw of Norman, Oklahoma, who was selected with the advice of a committee appointed from the faculty of the School of Medicine. Under the terms of this scholarship, Mr. Hinshaw is to receive funds for a year of postgraduate training following the completion of his internship. His graduate study is to be in any field, and in whatever recognized institution that he may choose. The Oklahoma Memorial Association and Mrs. Anna B. Korn deserve the highest commendation for this philanthropic support of postgraduate training for University of Oklahoma School of Medicine graduates. The award provides dignified recognition for endeavor and sincere application, and it will encourage capable young doctors at a financially difficult and critical period of their lives. Mrs. Korn is the founder of the Oklahoma Memorial Association; she was formerly president of the Association, and is the chairman of its scholarship committee. It is due largely to her activity and interest that the scholarship was instituted. Mrs. Korn has stated that efforts are being made to perpetuate the scholarship as an annual reward.

## P.G. in General Surgery

The first of the postgraduate refresher courses in general surgery has been completed and diplomas issued to the following doctors: Dr. Robert W. Kahn, Lawton; Dr. George W. Conover, Anadarko; Dr. Hubert Anderson, Oklahoma City; Dr. Robert Sandlin, Oklahoma City; Dr. Charles W. McClellan, Claremore; Dr. Edmund E. Christman, Joplin, Missouri; Dr. Eugene Lester, Oklahoma City; Dr. Robert H. Harper, Jr., Artesia, New Mexico, and Dr. Harold Baugh of Meeker, Oklahoma. This course was designed especially for the benefit of doctors returning from military service. Dr. H. Thompson Avey is director of the postgraduate refresher program.

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