

# MEDICAL ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

## ALUMNI DAY

May 15, 1959

### Reunioning Classes

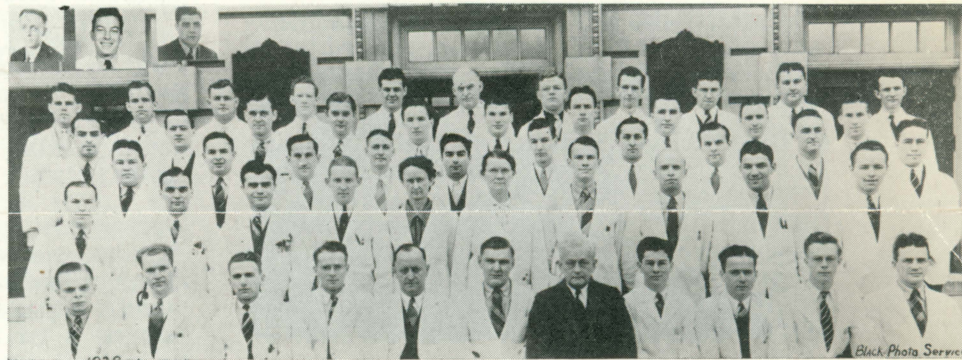
The Alumni Day Committee reports that plans have been made and the program set; all that remains for a successful Alumni Day is your participation. Scientific papers, social gatherings, an opportunity to renew acquaintances, all have been scheduled for your enjoyment.

The classes of '29, '39 and '49 are being honored this year and a large representation is expected. With the cooperation of Homer Montague and the medical school's photographic laboratory, we rounded up pictures of these reunioning classes for your close scrutiny. Also pictured are the two outstanding guest speakers. (Pictures on page 2.) We were extremely fortunate in obtaining the services of **Dr. Newell W. Philpot**, President of the American College of Surgeons and **Dr. Michael E. DeBakey**, Chairman of the Dept. of Surgery at Baylor University Medical School.

Dr. Philpot, a leading medical educator, has held the Professorship of Obstetrics-Gynecology and Chairmanship of the Dept. of Obstetrics-Gynecology of McGill Medical School and the Royal Victoria Hospital, respectively. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Canada, and is a member of the American Gynecological Society.



Class of 1929



Class of 1939



Class of 1949

**GUEST SPEAKERS**

for

**ALUMNI DAY**



**Dr. Michael DeBakey**



**Dr. Newell W. Philpot**

He has been chairman and held membership on the Joint Commission, Accreditation of Hospitals and has made a monumental contribution to medical literature.

**Dr. Michael DeBakey** is internationally known for his work on aortic aneurism and widely recognized for his work in thoracic surgery. He has written extensively on cancer of the lung and trained under Dr. Alton Ochsner at Tulane University, where he joined the staff prior to moving to Houston as Chairman of the Dept. of Surgery.

In addition to the two guest speakers, interesting scientific reports of various departments at the Medical school and by class representatives are scheduled. Social activities include a noon luncheon and style show for the wives and an evening banquet and entertainment at the Loraine Hotel.

The winner of the first Medical Alumni Citation has been chosen and the presentation will be made at the Alumni Day Banquet.

Listed below is the complete day's schedule. Beginning with registration at 9:00 a.m., through the day's medical reports and on into the evening's social activities — an enjoyable time should be had by all.

**TIME: Friday, May 15, 1959**

**PLACE: Medical School Auditorium, S.M.I.**

**Registration**

9:00—Rm. 210, S.M.I.

**Morning Program**

9:30—*Dr. Francis Forster, Chairman  
Dept. of Neurology*

- 9:50—*Dr. Edgar S. Gordon, Prof.  
Dept. of Medicine*
- 10:10—*Dr. Newell W. Philpot, Pres.  
American College of Surgeons*
- 10:40—*Coffee Break*
- 10:55—*Dr. Nathan Smith, Chairman  
Dept. of Pediatrics*
- 11:15—*Dr. Kenneth Lemmer, Prof.  
Dept. of Surgery*
- 11:35—*Dr. Anthony R. Curreri, Prof.  
Dept. of Surgery*
- 12:00—*Luncheon*
- 1:30—*Dr. Michael DeBakey, Chairman  
Dept. of Surgery, Baylor Univ.*
- 2:30—*Business Meeting*
- 3:00—*Coffee Break*
- 3:15—*Presentations, Classes of 1929,  
1939 and 1949*
- 6:30—*Annual Alumni Banquet, Loraine  
Hotel—First Alumni Citation*

**LADIES PROGRAM**

- 12:00—*Luncheon and Style Show  
Lorraine Hotel*

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## New Home for Postgraduate Courses



Pictured above is the new Wisconsin Center Building. Whenever possible future postgraduate courses will be given here and this year's final course will be presented in one of its many rooms.

This bright and gleaming building was the gift of the U. W. Foundation, which raised funds from private gifts to finance it, and was presented to the University of Wisconsin for the use of all of the myriad institutes, short courses and conferences being held at the University. The three-story building of brick and glass with blue aluminum spandrels houses 19 meeting rooms of varying sizes, an auditorium, an exhibition concourse and gallery, cafeteria and coffee shop. Located alongside the famed "Old Red Brick Gym," the Center building is a striking architectural contrast to the 19th century armory-style gymnasium. The corner of Lake and Langdon Streets should be remembered by all Alumni as for years it was occupied by a popular business establishment. Without the aid of "The Popcorn Man" many students would never have been able to make the long trek up "The Hill." Still others may remember Mrs. Brady's Boarding House for Women which occupied the corner facing Langdon St. Wisconsin is justly proud of its new building and cordially invites you to visit it either for a postgraduate course or on Alumni Day.

The final postgraduate course of the season is listed below. Supplementary material describing the course will be sent out six weeks before the course. Requests for additional information should be sent to:

Dr. Robert C. Parkin  
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418 N. Randall Ave.  
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### THE PATHOLOGY AND RADIOLOGY OF THE SKELETAL SYSTEM

May 21, 22 and 23, 1959

D. Murray Angevine, M.D., Chairman  
Dept. of Pathology

Lester W. Paul, M.D., Chairman  
Dept. of Radiology

The course is designed primarily for specialists in Radiology and Pathology but is open to any interested physician. Stress will be placed on the correlation of pathological and roentgenological findings in diseases affecting the skeletal system. Guest speakers include: Dr. Louis Lichenstein, Chief Pathologist, Veterans Administration Center, Los Angeles, Calif.; Dr. E. B. C. Neuhauser, Radiologist in Chief, Children's Medical Center, Boston, Mass.; Dr. David G. Pugh, Department of Roentgenology, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.; and Dr. H. J. Spjut, Asst. Professor of Surgical Pathology, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

### Russian Visitors to the Med School



Three Soviet scientists in the field of physiology and pharmacology of the nervous system were recent visitors at the Medical School. Pictured above are Dr. Otto Mortensen, Dean John Z. Bowers and the three scientists: Vasilii Vasil'yevich Zakusov, Sergey Viktorovich Anichkov and Vladimir Sergeevich Rusinov.

### ALUMNI — Milwaukee Meeting

A meeting of the W.M.A.A. will be held in Juneau Hall of the Milwaukee Auditorium, Tuesday, May 5, 1959 during the annual meetings of the Wisconsin State Medical Society. The meeting will consist of a luncheon and short program featuring Otto A. Mortensen, M.D., Assoc. Dean & Chairman of the Dept. of Anatomy, speaking on "Experiences in Medical Administration and Education in Peru." We would like to extend an invitation to all 4-year men, 2-year men, former internes and residents, faculty members and all wives to meet with their friends at this informal get-together.

## Progress Report

from Campaign Chairman, Mischa Lustok

I won't resort to an emotional appeal for I know your loyalties are with us. Logic or sophistry; hard sell or soft sell will not sway you if you are not convinced of the worth of our campaign. Many of you have given generously. It is those of you who nod approvingly yet delay mailing your pledge I wish to reach.

We have reached the \$215,000 level. Alumni Day is 45 days away. In those 45 days we badly need your pledges. **Every dollar of your contribution may mean two additional dollars to the Library Fund.** If the Alumni body can demonstrate its sound support of this project we are all but assured of substantial support from industry, from foundations and from friends of the school. Before they give, however, they are asking to be shown that we Alumni have done our part.

Your maximum contribution is needed now. The prize is within our grasp if we extend ourselves.

### THE TOP TEN TOTALS

Faculty (including Alumni members)	\$17,450
1943	8,492
1935	8,310
1933	7,165
1932	7,145
1936	6,520
1930	6,375
1942	5,400
1939	5,115
1934	4,935

The classes of '43 and '35 are making a stirring race for first place and are nearing the \$10,000 barrier. '34 is making its first appearance among the leaders and may bear watching.

### CHARTER MEMBERS

#### Bronze Plaque Alumnus

P. B. Blanchard	Frances Hellebrandt	Hans Reese
Alexander Braze	Melvin Huth	Maurice Richardson
Benj. Brindley	Roland Jacobson	Florian Santini
Henry Brosin	William Konnak	William Shanahan
Charles Christenson	Robert Krohn	Marian Swigart
Paul Collopy	Howard Lee	Oliver Tjoflat
A. R. Curreri	Jules Levin	Robert Turell
Einar Daniels	Norman Lindquist	Lucy Vernetti
Frederick Davis	Albert Martin	Ray Welbourne
Helen Dickie	Ovid Meyer	Frank Weston
Richard Dickman	Edward Mielke	
C. R. Dix	Herbert Pohle	
In memory of Robert Gavin, M.D.		
In memory of Jack Geisenfeld, M. D.		

In memory of John W. Gilmore, M.D.  
 In memory of George Lemmer, M.D.  
 In memory of Gunnar Quisling, M.D.  
 In memory of Wm. J. and Clara Shapiro  
 In memory of Maurice J. Ansfield and Mrs. Hazel M. Price

### Middleton Brown Derby Alumnus

John Adametz	Harold Fishbain	John Miller
Herb. & Katherine Aitken	Ann Fred	John Morrison
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Roland Benson	Jay Goodman	Wilson Phillips
Roy Biehn	Carl Greenstein	Walter Rein
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Sam Boyer	Adolph Hutter	Melvin Stuessy
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	Stevens Martin	Harold Youngreen

### Middleton Medical Alumnus

Emmett Ackerman	Adolph Dasler	Joseph Gismen
Eugene Adashek	F. J. Davis	Gerald Gredler
Alton Anderson	Della Drips	James Green
D. Murray Angevine	Peter Duehr	Marvin Greiber
Fred Ansfield	Burnell Eckardt	Erwin Grossman
Raymond Baldwin	Paul Edwards	Thorolf Gunderson
S. R. Beatty	Wilmer Edwards	James Gunn
George Behnke	Herman Eisenberg	Horace Hansen
Joseph Behrend	James Evans	Ray Hansen
Irvin Belker	Norman Fein	Donald Hastings
John Bell	Selmer Feld	Ann Henschel
Douglas Bell	George Fiedler	Aaron Herschfus
Herbert Benn	George Finer	Nels Hill
Robert Benson	Edward Fisher	Clifford Hogenson
John Berger	Hugh Fogo	David Howell
E. C. Betlach	William Fox	Everett Humke
Harold Bishop	Norman Franken	Kenneth Humke
Phillips Bland	Meyer Friedman	Sidney Hurwitz
Peggy Bond	John Frost	Volney Hyslop
Warner Bump	Everett Gage	Wallace Irwin
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Harold Coon	Peter Golden	Walter Kleinpell
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Frank Larson	Frederic Mohs	Rolf Quisling	Anton Schoenenberger	Clyde Stevenson	Raymond Waisman
Max Laven	Martin Mueller	Sverre Quisling	Raymond Schrank	Joseph Stone	Willard Wall
Ben Lawton	Arno Mundt	Milton Radewan	Morrison Schroeder	Aaron Sweet	Alfred Wallner
Thomas Leonard	Earl Muntz	Robert Ramlow	Isadore Schultz	John Talbot	Judith Walton
Leo Lifschutz	Robert Natelson	N. G. Rasmussen	Bernard Schwam	Leslie Tasche	W. L. Washburn
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Charles Martin	John Parks	Leonard Robbins	June Shafer	Oscar Thoeny	David Welton
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Michael McGarty	Gordon Perisho	Sion Rogers	Joseph Shimpa	Loron Thurwachter	Ralph Whaley
James McIntosh	Frank Perlman	Madeline Roueche	Ned Shutkin	Thomas Tormey	Janet Whitmore
C. W. McMoran	M. S. Peterson	George Rowe	Carl Sibilsky	Robert Towle	Raymond Whitsitt
Walter Meek	Edward Phillips	Sidney Rubin	Wm. Smiles	Norbert Trauba	Rodney Wichman
Dermont Melick	Jerome Pizer	William Russell	Alexander Spooner	Frank Treskow	James Wilkie
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Meryl Miles	L. Pomainville	Edwin Schalmo	Joseph Stebbins	James Tuura	King Woodward
Albert Miller	Rolf Poser	Frank Scheible	Marvin Steen	J. Kent Twetten	
Robert Miller	Charles Puestow	Herbert Schmidt	Norman Steiner	Eugene Usow	

## A Hello and Yodel Ala Ackerknecht

The University of Wisconsin Medical School Alumni, Department of International Affairs, is pleased to report signs of life and borborygmi from the University of Zurich and Wisconsin's former Professor of History of Medicine.

Erwin reports that his hair began to grow again as soon as he hit the Continent. He was proud to report of fine professional progress in his capacity as director of the Institute of Medical History of the University of Zurich, including projects and teaching assignments.

Reporting on the medical world of Switzerland he mentioned a population of 5,000,000 inhabitants supporting actively 7 universities and 5½ medical faculties. There are 540 medical students, 77 of whom are girls, at his school and he goes on to mention that Zurich was the first European medical faculty to admit women. Swiss women still don't vote, however.

Dr. Ackerknecht reports that close to 200 of their medical students are from foreign countries, the largest single group being from America, mostly from the East coast. Next in number are Hungarians, then Germans and Norwegians. He predicts that with the new A.M.A. regulations most Americans will probably go to Germany as more and more schools are approved for reciprocal accreditation in the United States and because it will be less expensive than Swiss education.

He closes with the nostalgic note that the American students in Switzerland remind him of his wonderful days at the University

of Wisconsin and the happy times in and around the campus at Madison.

## Alumni Day Class Representatives Chosen

Reunioning classes of 1929, 1939 and 1949 have shown fine response to voting for their representative speakers on the Alumni Day Program, May 15. Selections are:

Class of 1929 selected **P. J. Leinfelder**, Chairman of Ophthalmology, University of Iowa Hospitals and he will talk on "The Ophthalmologist's Contribution to Medicine."

Class of 1939 classmates selected **Leonard L. Lovshin**, Division of Medicine, Cleveland Clinic, an internist, who has agreed to represent his fellow reunioners with a paper "The Tired Mother Syndrome."

No acceptance as yet from 1949 selection, **Bernie I. Lifson** of Skokie, Illinois, but pressure from the 1949 reunion committee should move Heaven, Earth and Bernie to be here.

A recent meeting of 1949 members, **C. B. Larkin, W. L. Washburn, E. I. Boldon, Jr., Robert Cranston, G. V. Marlow, A. R. Tormey, Jr. & Dave Noll**, means there are plenty of things planned and great things to look forward to for this group. **Charles Larkin** is Chairman.

Class representatives will give twenty minute talks on the Alumni Day program, May 15. Balloting decided the choice and there was no stuffing of the vote boxes permitted.

## IN MEMORIAM

Former students and associates of **Dr. Theodore Bast**, Prof. of Anatomy, will be saddened to hear of his death Jan. 23 after a long illness. Dr. Bast had been a member of the University Medical School for 38 years,



and was the well-remembered, patient and diligent teacher and friend of generations of students. He was a well-known expert on the anatomy of the ear, and in 1951 received a special award from the American Otological Society for his original contributions in that field. Dr. Bast was one of the pioneers of the medical school in that associates at the time of his appointment as Asst. Prof. in Anat-

omy (Histology) in 1920, included such tireless workers for the establishment of a four-year medical school at the University as Charles R. Bardeen, Wm. Snow Miller, Harold C. Bradley, Walter Meek, John A. Eyster, Arthur L. Tatum, Paul F. Clark, Joseph Spragg Evans, Wm. F. Lorenz and Wm. S. Middleton.

In tribute to Prof. Bast, University President Conrad A. Elvehjem said: "The University of Wisconsin community and the world of medical science has suffered a great loss in the death of Dr. Theodore H. Bast. . . . His good humor, expressed in charming accent, made even the most difficult concepts interesting. Scientist, teacher, good faculty member we shall miss Dr. Bast and remember him always."

## A.M.A. Meeting in Atlantic City

The W.M.A.A. is again scheduling an Alumni meeting in Atlantic City at the time of the A.M.A. meetings in June. Preliminary plans call for an evening meeting on June 10 at one of the local hotels.

In the past some confusion has arisen as to whether wives may attend these meetings. We would like to stress that **all wives** are indeed welcome. Also, we would like to call your attention to the fact that ex-internes, ex-residents, former students who did not graduate from the Univ. of Wisconsin Medical

School and former faculty may join the Wisconsin Medical Alumni Association if they wish to do so. We would like to extend an invitation to you to meet with us at any of the Alumni meetings.

You will receive further notice of the meeting when more definite arrangements have been made. We look forward to seeing you in Atlantic City.

## TO VISIT JAPAN



**Hans H. Reese**, Prof. of Neurology, left April 1, for a six month stay in Japan, as a special consultant to the Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness of the N.I.H. He will spend six months at the Universities of Fukuoka, Niigata and Sapporo, supervising research on the prevalence and incidence of Multiple Sclerosis in Japan. Dr. Reese, who has been on the staff at University

Hospitals since 1925, recently resigned from the Chairmanship of the Dept. of Neurology, to devote more time to research. While in Japan, Dr. Reese has been invited to participate in the proceedings of the Japanese Medical Congress.

## ALUMNUS HONORED



A 1943 Alumnus of the U. of W. Medical School was honored by the establishment of the **Karl H. Beyer, Jr.** Visiting Professorship. The award from Merck, Sharp & Dohme, establishes a fund for the purpose of bringing medical scientists of national and international distinction to the University Medical School. Dr. Beyer, Vice-President and Asst. Director of Research at Merck,

Sharp & Dohme, was honored for his many contributions to research and to the therapeutic management of disease.

# Alumni Capsules

At the recent Milwaukee Academy of Medicine elections, **Paul R. Hausmann**, '38, was nominated president-elect, **George C. Owen**, '31, secretary, **David W. Ovitt**, '36, chairman of the membership committee. **Silas M. Evans**, '36, **Albert C. Martin**, '35, and **C. Morrison Schroeder**, '33, were nominated to the council. **Howard J. Lee**, '30, is the retiring president.

**Freeman W. Born**, '57, moved from Seattle 4, Wash. to Tucson, Arizona, where he is affiliated with the Southern Pacific Hospital.

**Edna M. Cree**, a 1951 graduate, has returned to the University Hospitals as a Clinical Instructor in Medicine at the V. A. Hospital. Dr. Cree has just completed two and one-half years at Bellevue Hospital, New York City, working on Chest Service with Dr. Andre Cournand.

**LaVern H. Herman**, '56, writes that he is engaged in a 7 year neurological surgery residency under Dr. W. S. Gurdjean at Grace Hospital, Detroit, Mich.

**Donald S. Schuster**, '51, has joined the staff of the Sherwood-Trimble Medical Clinic in Los Angeles, as a specialist in dermatology. Dr. Schuster, who has just completed a residency at the University of Michigan, served as a flight surgeon in the Air Force for two years.

Word has been received of the untimely death of **Doria M. Cloutier Ottenberg**, '50, of post-operative pneumonia. Dr. Cloutier had left her position at the Girls' Welfare Home in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and had entered private practice as a psychiatrist.

The honor of the W.M.A.A. was upheld recently at the Wisconsin Doctor's Bowling Tournament in Madison. **Sam J. Sweet**, '33, placed first in the Class A Men's Singles and **E. F. Winter**, '36, placed second in the Class B Singles. (Sorry to say a foreigner won first place.) **Dr. and Mrs. Robert Dodge**, '45, came in second in the Mixed Doubles and Marshfield Clinic won the team event.

Wisconsin Alumni play an important role in the administration of the Madison General Hospital. **Eugene Nordby**, '43, has been re-elected chief of the medical staff and **Norman Clausen**, '43, was elected secretary-treasurer. Elected as medical section chiefs were **Royal Rotter**, '47, internal medicine, **Russell Sinaiko**, '34, surgery and **Richard Hennen**, '43, general practice.

News of alumni are sometimes hard to find, and occasionally we have to resort to rather odd methods of obtaining information. So on the assumption that a set of parentheses on a letter to the Alumni Office implies marriage, we hereby extend congratulations to **Jean E. Toncray** (Tourtellotte) a former interne at University Hospitals. Her home is in Grosse Point, Mich.

**George G. Stebbins, Jr.**, '55, reports being on a Residency in General Surgery at Baylor University affiliated V. A. Hospital in Houston, Texas.

**Robert G. Benson**, '32, reports that **Samuel H. Ferguson**, '51, left the Straub Clinic in Honolulu and is now at 369 West 3rd St., Peru, Indiana. Hope Dr. Ferguson came through the recent floods o.k.

Members of the class of '39 will be saddened to hear of the death of **R. J. Rossow** of Evansville, Indiana. Mrs. Rossow informs us that he died January 10 at Vanderbilt University Hospital, Nashville, Tenn. of a cerebral hemorrhage. Dr. Rossow attended the University of Wisconsin Medical School for two years before transferring to Washington University, St. Louis.

**Edwin C. Albright**, Dept. of Medicine, reports meeting **Irving Klitzner**, '46 and **Clarence Poor**, a former interne, at the recent Seventh Annual Graduate Symposium held in Oakland, Calif.

**Wm. A. Nosik**, '35, writes of a very busy and interesting life in Cleveland, Ohio. In addition to his practice of neurological surgery, he is editor-in-chief of "The Bulletin" published by the Academy of Medicine of Cleveland, president of The Ohio State Neurosurgical Society for 1958-59 and Trustee of the Cleveland Museum of Natural History.

**Donald Werner**, '55, has been discharged from the U.S. Army, and has joined the staff of the Burlington Clinic, Burlington, Wisconsin.

**John Moon**, '25, was honored in November with a farewell testimonial dinner by over 250 Baraboo, Wisconsin friends and business associates. After 30 years of practice, Dr. Moon left to make his home at Mesa, Arizona, where his son, **William Moon**, '45, and family are residing. Dr. Moon plans to resume his practice at Mesa, where his son is also a physician.

Following a year's tour of duty with the U. S. Navy, **David J. McGrath**, '53, has re-

turned to University Hospitals and is taking a residency in surgery. He had been stationed in San Diego, Calif.

Having completed his internship at Mt. Sinai Hospital, Milwaukee, **Edward Orman**, '57, has joined the staff of the Fine-Lando Clinic in Cudahy, Wisconsin.

**John C. Ellis, Jr.**, '57, is now taking a residency in obstetrics and gynecology at University Hospitals. He recently finished interning at the University of Texas Medical Branch Hospital in Galveston.

**Alton J. Schmitt**, '31, died suddenly at Chicago last November. Dr. Schmitt had been a practicing physician and surgeon in Sheboygan since 1934.

**Robert S. Vivian**, '22, has retired and left the state of Wisconsin for the sunny climate of Florida. Dr. Vivian had practiced medicine for many years in Beloit. His present address is 528 15th Ave., S., Naples, Florida.

A doctor from Wisconsin who made the state of Oregon "healthier, wealthier and wiser" has retired to his native Fond du Lac County. He is **Frank R. Menne**, '15, a member of the Oregon horse racing commission for 18 years. He had practiced medicine at Portland, Oregon for 43 years. At one of the many receptions given Dr. and Mrs. Menne before they moved to Wisconsin Gov. Robert H. Holmes of Oregon lauded the physician's efforts to make Oregon's racing operations record "one of the most outstanding in the Unit-

ed States." Although officially in retirement at Peebles, Wisconsin, his many friends doubt that he will remain inactive any great length of time.

Through a letter to the Registrar's office, we learn that **Ivan W. Sletten**, '54, now is referred to as Captain. He's with the Army at Aberdeen, Md. His home address is 200C Rodman Rd.

**Ellen Sexton Olson**, '41, reports a busy life in Winnetka, Ill., as Mrs. Donovan M. Olson. She has not practiced medicine for the past six years. Her home address is 1181 Oakley Ave.

In a note to the Alumni office, **Sylvia F. Griem**, '53, tells us that her husband, **Melvin L. Griem**, '53, Asst. Prof. of Radiology at the Univ. of Chicago, has just been awarded an Advanced Clinical Fellowship in Radiology by the American Cancer Society for 1959-60. Sylvia is busy taking care of Katherine Leslie Griem, born Dec. 23, 1957, and practicing Dermatology on a part time basis in Gary, Indiana. Their home address is Box 654, Ogden Dunes.

**George T. Huckle**, a former resident in obstetrics at University Hospitals, has left the Marshfield Clinic to practice in Florida. His address is 275 N.E. Second Ave., Delray Beach.

**David G. Welton**, '35, writes from Charlotte, North Carolina, that he and Mrs. Welton attended a Wisconsin Alumni Founders Day held recently in Washington, D. C. at which Dr. Middleton was the toast-

master. It was a nice reunion and they enjoyed the visit with him very much.

**F. Gilbert McMahon**, staff physician at the V. A. Hospital in Madison and clinical instructor in Medicine, has accepted a position in the clinic of Dr. Howard Mahorner and on the clinical staff of Louisiana State University in New Orleans.

**John C. Weber**, '52, has been appointed to a fellowship in radiology at the Mayo Foundation. John was formerly with the Air Force in Germany.

**Oscar W. Friske**, '30, writes to us from "way out here on the Mexican border" at Ajo, Arizona. Oscar practiced medicine in Beloit, Wisconsin, for a number of years but now is with Phelps Dodge Corp., Medical Dept. Sorry to hear that Mrs. Friske has severe crippling rheumatoid arthritis.

**John A. Buessler**, '44, informs us that he is leaving private practice in Madison to assume the Chairmanship of Ophthalmology at the University of Missouri. Dr. Buessler was also a part time clinical participant in our medical school teaching program. Congratulations and best wishes for every success in your new appointment.

Notice has been received of a change of address for **LeRoy Misuraca**, '45. He moved from Upland, to 107 S. Washington Ave., Whittier, Calif., but we have no details as to what precipitated the move.

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