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IN AID OF ALABAMA!

If Aid Is Given It Must Come from the Profession.

THE A. O. A. HAS NO FUNDS.

Let Us Stand and Act As One Man or We Shall Meet Defeat—"The O. P." Stands Ready to Direct the Fight.

Sixty days ago THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN pointed out the peril to Osteopathy in the Alabama situation and voiced the cry of the struggling practitioners there for help from the balance of the profession. What has sixty days accomplished? The profession has been roused by the cry, yet little definite work has been recorded. The Alabamians are alert—but four people cannot do much unaided in such a situation. The American Osteopathic Association has declared itself ready to assume leadership in the fight, but announces that there is not one dollar to hand with which to wage the contest. President Teall has designated Treasurer Hulet to receive contributions from practitioners which he will pay out on the order of the Legislative Committee of the Association. We cannot learn that this committee has, as yet, planned any definite thing. The American School of Osteopathy, however, has agreed to send Dr. Arthur G. Hildreth to Montgomery when the fight shall be on to give his usual valiant service in obtaining Osteopathic justice. That is indeed lucky, as much as Dr. Hildreth is Chairman of this Legislative Committee of the A. O. A., in addition to being the representative of the profession in this lobby.

Now, it is up to somebody, somewhere, somehow, to undertake the organization of this contest. The battle cannot be won by trusting to bull luck. It cannot be won by disjointed action. There is so much to be done that it will be necessary to decide upon leadership at once, and those who are designated as leaders must undertake the responsibility of assigning tasks of different sorts to different persons and to different institutions and, as well, of seeing that each one renders the full measure of service exacted of him. If we are to sit down after shouting “come over to Macedonia” and expect that the next sixty days will bring enough good members into the A. O. A. and enough contributions to warrant President Teall and the Legislative Committee to undertake this great task, we shall surely be doomed to disappointment. Receipts, contributions and reforms are not born so easily.

We learn that sixty days the Alabama Legislature will be in session. The regular session lasts but sixty more days. A special session is likely to follow. There will be a big draft of legislation on this winter, as the state adopted the united profession finds the means for a representative Osteopaths who will be there in official capacity.

If anybody else in authority, or serving as a high private, is in a position to make a better suggestion, or put up a more valiant fight in this great emergency, we will gladly vote the necessary help and demand that they come forward. But the state officers should be worked upon now before those attacking Osteopathy are in the saddle.

The staff of THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN is willing both to direct the fight and, if the united profession finds the means for a respectable lobby, to go in person to Montgomery along with Dr. Hildreth and the other representative Osteopaths who will be there in official capacity.

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THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN suggests this plan of action:

1. The Alabama Osteopaths should at once mail the following letter to the legislators and senators to: (a) the head officers of the A. O. A.; (b) the members of the Legislative Committee of the A. O. A.; (c) the Osteopathic publications of all classes—school, technical and popular. This roster can be obtained printed or else should be typewritten.

A SERVICE FROM OSTEOPATHIC JOURNALS.

2. The publishers or editors of each of these papers should send copies of each of their issues beginning with October or November, to the roster of Alabama officials and law-makers. After the Legislature convenes, the Alabama Osteopaths will send new addresses where these publications can be sent direct to Montgomery.

GET OUT A LEGAL NUMBER OF THE JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION.

3. Editor Evans is respectfully advised to devote one entire issue of the JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION to a review of the legal side of Osteopathy, printing each Osteopathic law now in force as a basis for comparison. This will give the lawyers something to guide them. We suggest that this be not delayed longer than the December or January issue and that every lawyer and Senator get a copy before the 30th of December days while still at his home. This number should contain such a proposed law as the profession agrees it best to urge upon Alabama in the legislature just what to do in this crisis. THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN is willing to undertake this responsibility of leadership. We are not seeking this arduous labor—mind you, one and all—because we have our own troubles; Osteopathic publications of all classes—school, technical and popular. This roster can be obtained printed or else should be typewritten.

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Osteopathy is making such strides on the Pacific Slope that the California people are literally falling all over themselves to buy lands and erect buildings for the better housing of the science! Such, at least, would seem to be the case after reading two or three complimentary notices of the Pacific School of Osteopathy in the Pasadena newspapers.

We learn from this source that the citizens of South Pasadena have just presented the Pacific School with a desirable block of ground in the heart of this beautiful suburb upon which the new college building will at once be erected. This building will be in the mission style of architecture, arranged especially to meet the needs of the different departments, and will cost, exclusive of land, $10,000. We give a view of the building in this issue.

Two blocks distant stands the South Pasadena hotel, a very commodious structure. This property has also been bought by the Pacific School at a cost of $9,000, and will be entirely remodeled at a cost of $5,000 to fit it up completely as an Osteopathic Sanitarium.

So, with a new school building, a new sanitarium, with Dr. Tasker’s new book on Osteopathy about ready to come from the press and Dr. Tasker himself well and strong again after his summer’s illness, our brethren of the coast are doing things!

Congratulations on this good fortune. Unlimited prosperity to you. Your progress means...
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this crisis, and let it be no makeshift, but a strike for permanency in legislative enactment.
A Good Law Should Be Framed By Us.

4. Dr. J. Martin Littlejohn is nominated as the best man in the profession to draft a law such as we would like to see and we request him to confer with the Alabamians and with them to prepare such a draft as soon as possible. This bill should be O. K. by the Legislative Committee of the A. O. A., by the Association officers and by the faculties of the Associated Colleges and of the A. S. O. This is the only direct method of sending out a lot of copies at the same time to these different persons. If Dr. Littlejohn will draft the bill, "THE O. P." will circulate it for approval. This bill as approved should be printed in the legislative number of the JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION with a clear statement that it will be proposed to the Alabama Legislature at this session.

"THE O. P." CAN PICK A WINNER.

5. The best man in the Legislature should be enlisted to present this bill. If the Alabama brethren have not the proper man in mind "THE O. P." will undertake to find him. This man must be a trusted and trusted and trusted.

THE NEWSPAPERS MUST BE ORGANIZED.

6. The Alabama press must be gotten into line at the right moment; but the right moment is not before the bill is presented to the house as the newspaper men are interested only in news at the moment when it is newest. Nor should we overlook the possibility that the lobby will be too early. The lobby is on the alert and a lobbyist is in action as it would only stir up greater opposition. If nobody else is in better position to do this, "THE O. P." will undertake to "get" the editors of Alabama and hold them in line—and their influence is vast at the critical moment! If this task is committed to us we shall get personal letters to the Alabama editors at the right moment.

BUSINESS FOR THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

7. The Legislative Committee of the A. O. A. is recommended to get together by correspondence at once; to mature its ideas about the law needed; to correspond with Dr. Littlejohn and the Alabama editor to January let, to know just what sort of a law we want and to be ready to turn it over to the man who will present it.

OUR SCHOOLS SHOULD "DIG."

8. The schools are implored to go down in their pockets and give up, each one, as much as it can spare to the sustenance of this undertaking. Those that can send a good lobbyist to Montgomery should prepare to do so at the right juncture.

A WORK FOR THE STATE ASSOCIATIONS.

9. Officers of State Associations should issue a call at once by letter for subscriptions and send funds as fast as collected to Dr. Mack F. Huelt, Treasurer of the A. O. A., at Columbus, Ohio, for the benefit of THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.

HERE IS WHERE THE PRACTITIONER COMES IN.

10. Practitioners should each send $1.00 or more to the treasurer of their State Association or, if he and the balance of the State officials are "dead ones," direct it to Dr. Huelt. This money should be sent out by Dr. Huelt under the order of the Legislative Committee for the legitimate expenses incurred in carrying out this programme, or such a better one as may be substituted in its place. JOINING THE A. O. A. IS IMPERATIVE.

11. Practitioners all over the union should rally at once and join the A. O. A. This individual effort for Alabama would not be necessary at this juncture if the majority of the profession were inside the A. O. A.—but they are not, and hence we as individuals must act both to take care of the Alabama fight and also to build up the national organization. Get in line. Get into "O. P." and help line the practitioners. The man who makes his living out of practicing Osteopathy and will not contribute one dollar to establish the legitimate Osteopathic profession is a grafter and ought not to be recognized as a man and brother by the profession.

THE LOBBY IS OF GREATEST IMPORT.

12. A lobby should be organized to go to Montgomery at the time this bill is to have consideration. Dr. Hildreth, as said, is already pledged to be one of the Lobbying helpers, and the Bill S. O. D., Dr. J. Martin Littlejohn, of Chicago, and Dr. R. W. Bowling, of the Southern School, should both be on hand without fail. Editor Evans and Dr. Hardin, of Atlanta, will be convenient­ly near, while Dr. L. of the Publication Committee, ought to be gotten there also at all hazards. Dr. C. M. Taylor could be added to this number our profession will have a hard crowd to push down. Of course the lobbying will be Dr. Wood, Dr. Littlejohn, Dr. Treas­urer Hulett. This money should be paid in Cash to the Alabama to Montgomery as Drs. Switzer, McConnell, Darling, Littlejohn will draft the bill, "THE O. P." will undertake to "get" the editors of Alabama and hold them in line—and their influence is vast at the critical moment! If this task is committed to us we shall get personal letters to the Alabama editors at the right moment.

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Help Dr. Hazzard compile good clinic reports.

The professional spirit is making great progress among Osteopaths.

How is that Osteopathic Building coming on at the St. Louis exposition?

Keep your grit, Alabama Osteopaths—the profession has heard you and is rushing to your aid.

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Did you enjoy reading "THE O. P." sample copy sent you? Wouldn't you like to get it always at 50 cents a year?

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Professional congratulations are due the Pacific School of Osteopathy on having such ample provision made for its new home.

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Back Numbers of Osteopathic Health

We have been carrying such back numbers of OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH on order as we were able for one and one-half cents a copy.

The supply is now running low and is entirely exhausted. Owing to the fact that several hundred copies still on hand, while the supply of June copies exceeds two thousand and of August one thousand. To order out of these files we will offer what is left at one cent flat in bulk, or three cents in bulk, with card printed on sticker. You may select any number from 210 to 250. This makes up your order of 100. Send money with order. Satisfaction guaranteed or money returned. These numbers are all just as good Osteopathic literature for campaigning as the day they came from the press. Orders will be filled in the order of receiving until these files are exhausted. As we have about 2,300 copies of the June number on hand, however, we will supply these at one and one-half cents per copy, or mailed individually for two and one-half cents. This is a good number for campaigning, too. "What is the Matter with Your Back?" by Dr. Bunting, is worth your while. "A Right and a Wrong Way to Eat Acid Foods" points a clever moral for curing dyspepsia Osteopathically. Four pages of spicy editorials on "Modern Therapeutics in Diabetes," "Magic Goes Way to Science," and "Natural Therapeutics in the Ascendancy," are all worth your while. "Modern Therapeutics in Osteopathy as Life Savers" is convincing. "Do Drugs Cure Diseases?" quotes leading M. D.'s upon the error which the old school makes in using drugs. This makes up an excellent prop for your campaign. It will give you some good table and field literature at a bargain. Orders filled in the order in which received until this special lot is exhausted.

Change of Management for the Osteopathic Publishing Company.

The Osteopathic Publishing Company announces to its patrons and friends a radical change in the organization and complete change of business management. So much looseness had been manifested in the conduct of the company's business, the past few months, giving rise to so many unpardonable errors, that it became imperative. The Editor was compelled to institute the most sweeping changes. His volume of personal correspondence, with orders and details in instructions, became so annoying that the change was imperative.

Mr. W. M. Bunting, lately business manager of the company, being an old friend of the Editor, has been elected to the office of Treasurer.

The Osteopathic Publishing Company announces to its patrons and friends the resignation of Mr. M. Bunting, lately business manager, and his transfer of interest in the company to Mr. J. Bunting. His resignation and transfer of interest in the company is necessitated by personal considerations. Much interest in our company. Power is being concentrated into fewer hands and management. Only by the most complete form of organization and the perfect autonomy of all the units of organization can Osteopathy succeed in its high endeavors of making the practice of physiological medicine universal.

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The New Manager Goes On Record.

In assuming the business management of the Osteopathic Publishing Company I beg leave to welcome you to the past year that we can help you further.

Faithfully and Fraternally,

ERRY STANHOPE BUNTING,
Editor.

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He That Is Not for Us Is Against Us.

Organize. Organize. Organize. That's the watchword. If Osteopathy is to forge ahead in the future with the same speed that it has in the past, one hundred and fifty years of struggle and experience must organize state societies of Osteopaths and secure a fair representation in each organization. We must organize practitioners' societies in the larger cities. We must organize the Osteopathic Publishing Company. We must organize the hospitals. We must organize the schools by closer union. We must organize the state societies of Osteopaths. We must organize the mass of the American people. This is to organize, organize, organize. And the whole profession, and let the will of the people be done. We cannot afford to have Osteopathy held in check by the American Medical Association. We must organize the Osteopathic Publishing Company. We must organize the schools by closer union. We must organize the state societies of Osteopaths. We must organize the mass of the American people. This is to organize, organize, organize. And the whole profession, and let the will of the people be done.
Among the States.

The fourth annual meeting of the Wisconsin State Osteopathic Association was held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on August 29th and 30th, to the A. O. A. being in session at the same time, our meeting was not a small one and so the officers were enabled to outline the work for the ensuing year. The aim of the W. S. O. A. has been to unite the osteopaths of the State and to advance scientific research; and with this end in view, several departments of work were set up and an executive committee appointed.

For this year these departments will consist of the following: 1. Orthopaedics; 2. Obstetrics and Gynecology; 3. Nervous and Mental Diseases; 4. Clinics. Thus it is seen that the work for the association is being done more to make our failures known to the attention of others, rather than our successes.


The foregoing will serve as information to the Wisconsin Osteopaths, and we will be glad to have it published in "The O. P." Success to you. I am sure the practitioners of our State will always enter into the enterprises like Osteopathic Health and The Osteopathic Physician. Wishing your publication success. Fraternally.

E. J. ELTON, Secretary.

Kenosha, Wis.

New York Osteopaths in Session.

The annual meeting of the New York Osteopathic Society was held at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York City, October 29. There was a large attendance and many applicants for membership in the society were acted upon. Officers were elected as follows: President, W. W. Steele, Buffalo; Vice President, Albert Fisher, Syracuse; Treasurer, William D. Haines, New York; Secretary, E. J. Elton, Auburn.

Delegates were appointed to the National Association to meet next summer in Cleveland. It was the sense of the Society that this action be called to the attention of organizations in other states with the recommendation to do likewise. It will enable delegates to study up on the questions in advance of going to the convention.

No legislation will be attempted by the New York Society this year unless forced to it for protection. The next annual meeting will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria, the last Wednesday in October, 1903.

J. IVAN DUFUR, D. O., Secretary.

Auburn, N. Y.

Virginia Oregonize and Help Alabamians.

The Osteopaths of the State of Virginia met at the office of Dr. Shackleford, and on October 25, 1902, for the purpose of organizing an Association. There were nine present. Drs. Edwin B. Shackleford, Franklin St.; Dr. Maria Bues, 207 W. Grace St., and Dr. J. W. Kibler, 201 E. Main St., all of Richmond, Va.; Dr. J. M. Kibler, Lynchburg, Va.; Dr. Irving Davis, Danville, Va.; Dr. W. D. Willard, Norfolk, Va.; Dr. Charles Carter, Roanoke, Va., all graduates of the A. O. S., and Dr. C. T. Anderson, Norfolk, Va., from the Southern school, were present. Dr. Carter was elected chairman of the meeting. Officers were elected for the following term: President, Dr. J. W. Kibler, of Richmond; Vice President, Dr. Charles Carter; Secretary, Dr. Buie; Treasurer, Dr. W. D. Willard; Board of Trustees, Drs. J. M. Kibler, Irving Craig and C. T. Anderson. Dr. Shackleford, Carter and Willard were named as a committee to look after Legislative work. A constitution was prepared and signed by all except Dr. J. W. Kibler. Dr. A. T. Still was made an honorary member.

After full consideration of the appeal to the Osteopathic Board of examiners of the State of Alabama by Dr. P. K. Norman, of Birmingham, Ala., we send from our Association $90 to assist in the Osteopathic fight in the State of Alabama.

MARI A BUI E, D. O., Secretary.

Richmond, Va.

Reorganization of the Pennsylvania Osteopathic Association.

After a lapse of two years the Osteopaths have at last gotten together. The reorganization convention was held in the parlors of the Continental Hotel, Philadelphia, Aug. 28-29. About forty successful Osteopaths were present. It is the hope of the Convention that the name of the Pennsylvania Osteopathic Association would be adopted as the standard of eligibility as the standard of membership in the P. O. A.

These officers were elected: President, Dr. H. J. Rossiter, 107 Locust St., Harrisburg; Vice President, Dr. A. V. Hook, Wilkes-Barre; Secretary, Dr. J. Ivan Dufur, 25 So. 16th St., Philadelphia; Treasurer, Dr. J. C. Snyder, 1631 Arch St., Philadelphia; N. C. O. A. being in session at the same time, our and Mental Diseases; 4. Clinics.

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Philadelphia.

Roster of California Organisation.

Officers elected by the California State Association, Aug. 7th, were: T. W. Sheldon, D. O., Emma Spreckels Building, San Francisco, President; Daisy D. Hayden, D. O., 5th and Hill Sts., Los Angeles, Vice President; Ann A. Wright, D. O., Theater Building, San Jose, Second Vice President; Agnes G. Malden, D. O., 588 Sutter St., San Francisco, Secretary; Chas. P. Ford, D. O., Star-King Building, San Francisco, Treasurer. Board of Trustees: Geo. F. Burton, D. O., Frost Building, Los Angeles; Robert Speers, D. O., 588 Sutter St., Los Angeles; Frank A. Keyes, D. O., 11th and Flower Sts., Los Angeles; Wm. J. Hayden, D. O., 5th and Hill Sts., Los Angeles; Cora Newell Tasker, D. O., 701 W. 16th St., Los Angeles.

Practitioners from all parts of the state were in attendance, some having traveled four hundred miles to be here. The next annual meeting of the California Osteopaths, gave the opening address. Interesting papers were read and addresses given by Prof. Whiting, Drs. Mary V. Stuart, Ernest Simonson, S. White, A. H. Potter, Dr. E. F. Meacham.

The State Board of Osteopathic Examiners are now at work. They have been very busy, in the last few months. Some of the names are: Wm. J. Tasker, 701 W. 16th St., Los Angeles; President, Ernest Simonson, 608 Parrott Building, San Francisco, Secretary; Cyrus A. Haines, Stoll Building, Sacramento, Treasurer; Allen H. Potter, 32 Sutter St., San Francisco.
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Secretaries of every association, as soon as organized, will please send us this information. We will carry it permanently in this column.

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THE TREASURER'S REPORT.
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The President's Message.
At the Milwaukee meeting a number were heard to say: "I did not quite understand the scope and aim of the A. O. A., or I should not have hesitated." Just what impression some Osteopaths have of the Association is hard to tell but, if erroneous, this will set them right.

The A. O. A. stands for Osteopathy pure and unadulterated-the kind which is to go down through the ages! It fights no one man's battles but puts itself on record as the possessor of quality and highest standard; demanding that only schools equipped to teach it in this manner shall be encouraged and that only competent graduates shall practice.

It proposes to protect the public from the impostor and to maintain a firm hold on things Osteopathic.

On the other hand, it intends using every means at its command to secure for Osteopaths the widest freedom of action in the United States.

Is there anything here which anyone would hesitate in subscribing to?
No, certainly not, if he has the welfare of Osteopathy at heart.

Come, then, put your shoulder to the wheel and push! Your pulse will quicken and your eye brighten as you bend to this inspiring work.

The cost is next to nothing. The Journal of the Association well expresses the character of the profession, through its numerous and doubleless dealt with practically all conditions, then, and it is hoped that a volume detailing the experience of Osteopaths will be forthcoming.

The importance of this matter cannot be too strongly emphasized. Self-interest alone should prompt all to respond, but the good of the profession should enlist the loyalty and co-operation of every Osteopath. Without enthusiasm and willingness to do what it takes there can be no success.

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Fraternally,
THE PUBLICATION COMMITTEE.
CHARLES HAZZARD, D. O.
Kirkville, Mo.

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Now, to uncover and draw out this special knowledge which individual experience, observation and study have acquired, and to make this available for the advancement of the science of Osteopathy.

Also Use Osteopathic Health Regularly.
Fertilize Your Field, Doctor,
THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

PACIFIC SCHOOL GETS A NEW HOME.

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Osteopathy and for the benefit of the profession and community, is the purpose of the Committee in extending a general invitation to practitioners to contribute to what may be called the General Fund. We feel that the larger the fund the better we may expect the papers to achieve success along any line they may undertake. We have received the Committee will select perhaps a dozen of those best suited for reading and discussion at the annual meeting. For those chosen for publication in the THE JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Pursuit of the truth makes clear the meaning, we want the practitioner who has achieved success along any particular line to tell how, if not why, he has succeeded. We want to know the degree of College training he has had, the book he has bought to get himself for something for himself, who has found the specific lesion in any class of cases, who has in any way added to what he has learned in school or from books concerning diagnosis of treatment.

As there are about 3,000 legitimate Osteopaths there should be a very large number of valuable contributions; and while only members of the Association may be assigned to places on the program, members are eligible to that attendant benefit. The JOUR-NAL is open to all contributions, and is not to be considered a medium for the personal vaulation of itself. It yet remains to be demonstrated what the world of exact science will do with us, if we are subjected to carefully recorded tests.

A great deal of original investigation of the Nervous System has been done in our labora-

ories by Prof. C. A. Whiting and his assistant, C. H. Pinney, D. O. These gentlemen are also doing work in the examination of pathological specimens, blood, spume, etc. As an example of the scientific manner in which we are demonstrating the efficacy of Osteopathy I might mention the case of a young man suffering with leukemia. After a physical examination which determined the condition and relation of the gross structures, the student examined the patient's blood for the percentage of white and red corpuscles. After a period of two or three weeks another examination was made to determine possible changes. A record of a case followed in this manner is certainly of more value to the profession than one which was "treated" by Osteopathy and cured" without the physician knowing how or wherefore.

"We are aiming to take a position before the world as a School of Osteopathy entitled to re-
spect and honor because we deserve it—not be-cause we are promulgating a doctrine which is merely new. We do not care to traffic in the same stock of grains. We want Osteopathy to be the synonym of all that is good and true in the art and science of natural medicine. "The Pacific School of Osteopathy is growing. It is not a money-making institution. All the money that has been received has gone right into better equipment and better opportunities for its students. This new building is planned and the ground secured because we want the best equipped Osteopathic institution. Having this we will be in condition to meet the de-
mand of the discriminating student. We don't want students who cannot take all we are prepared to give them.

"Hueppe has said in his Principles of Bacteriology: 'A scientifically trained physician with medical training has the ability to do anything and everything known to physiological medicine. This will be an Osteopathic Sanitarium in the broadest sense of the term—i.e., when a man is overcome by an overdose of fermented grape juice we will not treat him by setting a rib or vertebra or even pulling his leg!"

"We will not give the first place to any man or set of men in comparison with our enthusiasm for and advocacy of the principles of Osteopathy; but we refuse to get on the opposite side of the fence from our medical brethren of other schools of practice when they happen to have preempted the common-sense side."

"We hoped to have our Sanitarium in condition to receive patients by January 1st, 1903, but even if everything moves along as it should we cannot expect to commence operations before February 1st, 1903. The Board of Directors of the Pacific School of Osteopathy have elected me Director of the Sanitarium."

"All of the good work done by the Pacific School is the result of the united effort of the Faculty. Every member of the Faculty is a devotee of Osteopathic principles. I should say that if a man's name is mentioned first to truth, the scientific, demonstrable proof of the soundness of Osteopathic principles. If Osteopathy cannot stand the searching gaze we give, then, surely, she cannot endure the scalp, cruel and reagent of science in general."

Good words, Doctor Tasker! Would that Osteopathy had a thousand more like you!