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ALL ABOARD FOR CLEVELAND!

Whole Hearts and Half Rates Now Guaranteed.

MARK HANNA SMILES WELCOME AT US

Come One, Come All and Take Part in Current History—All the Old Veterans Will Be There—Also Many New Ones—Come.

The Big Convention is about to happen! Many things will be done there! Folks will be there.

History is to be written!

Come!

Don’t say “No.” We won’t take that for an answer. You mustn’t offer it. It is not in our mutual interests, nor even for the good of your country. The outlook of our science and profession “will not stand for” your absence.

It really won’t!

You are needed, and you are as needed of it as it is of you; you also need the balance of us just as much as we need you. Come and be fraternal. Come and be sisterly. Come and learn. Come and give up some of your own wisdom. Come and help carry into effect the things you believe ought most to be done. Come to work and think and pray, but don’t forget—

We all mean to have a roaring lot of fun!

Do you think President Teall would have given up that trip to “do” Europe with a G. P. in order to sit in a solemn, nodding crowd merely?

Not much!

He means to have some good recreation and share a good banquet and do other things, with Mrs. Teall’s permission.

Neither would Clarence Kerr have quit the baby dells of interior Greenland, where he was investigating the causes of lichens on the boulder of the populace, had he not expected to learn more from our lips when he meets us face to face—not much!

And do you think Brother Evans would bring his boy 700 miles if he didn’t know the young fellow would find much to remember—never!

Neither would John D. Rockefeller have laid off a whole day from his arduous work of striking oil in order to make the address of welcome, or Mark Hanna quit settling strikes, if he hadn’t known you would be there, brimming full of appreciation.

I tell you “come!” And make no mistake about it. Remember the dates—July 15, 16 and 17. Remember the place—Cleveland. Remember the opportunity for reduced rates, and don’t forget to do your part to take advantage of them.

Father Teall gives this advice to the faithful:

All who take advantage of the Epworth League rates will have to go to Detroit and deposit their tickets with the Commissioner there; from there a rate of one fare for the round trip to Cleveland can be had.

Tickets will be sold to reach Detroit on the morning of the 14th. All intending purchasers should call on their nearest ticket agents and get the dates of sale, which vary in different parts of the United States.

PEN SKETCH OF PARENT SCHOOL.

Editor of the A. S. O. Journal Writes of Kirkville’s Summer Doings.

SCHOOL REALIZING FOUNDER’S DREAM

Work in Summer Classes Shows the School to Be a Bee Hive of Industry. Even in Vacation—New Sanitarium at St. Louis Described.

The writer was given a large assignment when he was told to get up a story for THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN on “the school.” “The school” meant “The American School of Osteopathy.” One might grind out copy sufficient to fill every column of “THE O. P.” on that theme, and yet the story would not be half told. I will take at random a thought here and there, and trust that some will prove interesting.

There are to-day, during these vacation days, several hundred students surging through the halls, to and fro, basied—in what? Surely in something. The casual visitor would at once conclude that the school is in session and that the body of earnest young men and women seen wending its way to the building every morning represented the regular class enrollment. And he would judge that it was a very creditable showing for the institution. But what surprise is in his heart when he learns that the daily workers now in the banner represent only about a third of the student body of the regular session and that the work now under way is but special “assignments” for these enterprising and determined students, whose life ambition is a mastery of Osteopathy’s great principles.

There are now engaged, in dissecting classes at the parent school of the new science, one hundred students. The thoroughness of the course which is being pursued by this body of men and women cannot be appreciated except by those familiar with it. Dr. E. P. Young, recognized we believe to-day as one of the greatest anatomists in the Osteopathic profession, has charge of the classes. Daily lectures, in which the work in dissection is outlined for each day, are given at 8 o’clock each morning, after which the classes repair to their respective rooms for the day’s delving into the intricacies, beauties and wonders of the human form. Such reference to the work of dissection would perhaps strike the layman, who looks upon it in anything but an interested manner, as ghoulishly, peculiarly, but the readers of THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN will appreciate the beauties and wonders referred to and the practical value to the student of a course so systematically presented and pursued as that in the Kirkville school. Each class is in charge of an experienced prosector, insuring careful and thorough work and a masterful consideration of every tissue.

Probably in no institution in the country is material for dissection better prepared than at the American School of Osteopathy. Dr. Young, gives his personal attention to the preparation and care of all bodies, attends personally to their injection and preservation, and painstakingly watches the care of the bodies after they are in the hands of the several classes. Material for

the corpses in dissection is always on hand in abundance, reserve bodies being now always maintained at a number between thirty and forty. Classes in dissection are busy throughout the year, but during the summer months the largest numbers are enrolled in these classes, whose members are “unimumbered,” as it were, with other work. The benefits derived from the course cannot be adequately told in words; experience alone can tell their worth.

The classes in dissection represent but one division of summer activity at Kirkville. In the chemistry laboratories is another cohort of earnest workers, carrying on experimental and practical work in physiological chemistry and urinanalysis and mastering the common poisons and their antidotes. The latter, in passing, suggests the message received by a Chicago druggist from one of his women patrons, who had sent the follow-

ing note by a little daughter: “My little baby has eat his father’s parish plaster. Send an anec-
dote quick by inclosed girl.” Even the serious things of life have their “anecdotes.”

Other lists of summer students—and it is getting to be an established truth with Kirkville people that in the summertime our fancies turn to students just as in every other season of the

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SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING American Osteopathic Association July 15, 16 and 17, 1903 Headquarters, Hollenden Hotel CLEVELAND, OHIO

Attend the Convention
Those from the east, or other points, who do not care to go via Detroit, are urged to Arrive at Cleveland direct. Many ticket agents when buying their transportation, which in case there should be 100 such, will entitle the bearers to the return trip at one-third fare. This applies only to those who do not wish to go via Detroit. This is important. There can be no difficulty in getting the required number, if all who come will attend to this matter. Don't forget it.

Parties are being made up in New York now which will insure nearly the required number. Special sleeping cars are being assigned to the Osteopaths over the Erie railway, and those wishing to join this party should communicate with Dr. E. P. Smith, Montclair, N. J. CHARLES C. TRAILL, Brooklyn.

President.

Yours truly,

Turner Hollett sent this information for your guidance:

The following data, which the publication committee of the A. O. A. will include in the programme of the coming meeting, is of general interest and may be of assistance to some who expect to attend the meeting:

**Join the Association**

**THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN**

4. The People's Line (between Cleveland and Detroit), on alternate days.

5. Chicago, a one-way fare (between Chicago and Buffalo']).

6. Great Northern Steamship company, two passenger ships each way between Buffalo, Chicago and Duluth.

**GET TO FIFTH AVE. TO CLEVELAND.**

1. Trains on the L. S. & M. R. leave Detroit at 7:30 a.m., 2:55 and 5 p.m., reaching Cleveland in 4½ to 5 hours. Fare, $4.50.

2. D. & C. boats leave Detroit at 9:30 a.m. and 10:15 p.m.; seven hours to Cleveland. Fare, $2.25.

3. Barry Line boat leaves Detroit at 7:30 p.m.; seven hours to Cleveland. Fare, $2.

4. Oil Points Line boat leaves Detroit on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 7:30 p.m.; seven hours to Cleveland. Fare, $2.

5. Ann Nettieолодe wired us at the last minute to tell the delegates to bring along their bolted shirts (for the banquet), and a three-day's supply of handkerchiefs and paper collars. You must stay there three days, you see—once you come. Roll call on the 15th; banquet, night of 17th; and election on the 18th—all equally important!

Do you understand about tickets? You see, the Epworth League has a half-rate all over the United States to Detroit. Get a round trip to Detroit, and go back via the same way. There are two rates to Cleveland, and costs but two or three dollars for the round trip in addition. Follow instructions. The following extract from the JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION about transportation may help you somewhat:

Consult your local ticket agent as to the day when tickets to Detroit will be on sale. Buy your ticket to Detroit. It will not be necessary, however, to go to Detroit on the opening day of the convention. There, as soon as possible after tickets are on sale, can reach Cleveland in time for the opening of the convention. It will be necessary, in some instances, to leave the train before reaching Detroit and take a shorter route to Cleveland. For instance, those who buy via Toledo can leave train there and ride a regular train to Detroit, 6 p.m., July 15. It will be necessary to return via Detroit in order to have return portion of ticket validated.

The following from the Official bulletin will help to make matters clear:

**Return Limit.**—Tickets will be good without deposit for return, leaving Detroit not earlier than July 16, nor later than July 20, 1905, and only when executed by the joint agent, for which no fee will be required; tickets will be honored for continuous passage leaving Detroit only on the date of execution.

**Transfer Limit.**—By depositing the ticket with the joint agent not later than July 19, and on payment of a fee of fifty cents at the time of deposit, an extension of the return limit to leave Detroit to and including, but not later than August 15, 1905, may be obtained.

**Transfer Limit.**—Tickets will be limited to continuous passage only in each direction, going trip to be commenced on the date of sale, or in some instances, by the stamp of the selling agent, and return trip validated by the joint agent.

The following are the rates obtained from the Detroit and Eastern Railway company: one-fare rate will be given to any point reached by these lines.

- Cleveland and return, $2; berths, $1 upper, $1.25 lower, and staterooms $2.25 each direction.

- Cleveland and return after July 1 two boats will leave Detroit for Cleveland each day, one in the morning and one in the evening.

- The headquarters of the A. O. A. will be at the Hotel Kelly and Glendale in Cleveland, and there the sessions will be held. Write to Dr. Hulet, or any Osteopath of Cleveland, to reserve your berth. Rates for rooms are $1.50 ($2 with bath) up, European plan. Some of the other hotels are $2 up, American plan.

- Do not fail to attend the convention! We'll meet you in Cleveland!

**Bird's Eye View of Events**

**The Illinois Tribe Gatheres**

A large and representative delegation of the Illinois practitioners gathered at Bloomington June 27 to attend the fourth annual convention of the American School of Osteopathy. The convention opened with an address of welcome from former Vice President Stevenson. The address was delivered by the state president of the association, A. D. Melvin, of Chicago. The convention then got down to business and devoted the remainder of the morning to a discussion of technical questions of interest to the profession.

There was an open session in the afternoon, devoted to the reading of six papers by prominent members of the Illinois Osteopathic associations. The first was by Charles Hazzard, of the American School of Osteopathy, of Kirk­

*For the O. T.*
Dr. F. H. Williams, the secretary of the board, is a graduate of the University of Minnesota, has had hospital experience at the Minnesota state hospital and the hospitals of Boston, and is a graduate of the Boston Institute of Osteopathy. He has been in practice in Lansing four years. Dr. Williams earned his appointment, and he is well qualified to perform the duties which the position imposes. He regards effectively for the passage of the bill and the recognition of the science of Osteopathy, so that legislation in the proper enforcement of the law will not be found second to that of any other member.

"We have heard nothing but praise for our new law, and in many respects I think it is the best law in any state," writes Dr. Williams. "The law accords the Osteopaths the right to pass the regular examination and practice; and if they wish, but, although this will hardly be desired by many Osteopaths; the implied meaning of the law is that the Osteopaths have the qualifications of regular medical men and more, too. Our state meeting will be held in Detroit in August, I believe, although the exact date has not been decided upon."

High Water 'Didn't Count in Missouri'

Despite the fact that some Kansas City visitors, including President W. J. Connor, were kept away by high water, forty Osteopaths attended the Missouri Osteopathic association meeting at Farmington, June 6. It was the fourth annual and was successful in every sense. Dean George M. Laughlin, of the A. S. O., served efficiently as toastmaster at the Nicholas banquet.

The election of officers and directors resulted as follows: Dr. W. F. Tranganher, of Mexico, President; Dr. A. R. King, First Vice President; Dr. Bertha M. Weston, Chilliothe, Second Vice President; Dr. Elizabeth Wilson, Treasurer; Dr. Jannie Potter, Memphis, Association Directors, Dr. George M. Laughlin, Kirksville; Dr. J. L. Thomas, Sedalia; Dr. Minnie Schaub, Dr. F. L. McKenzie, Sedalia; and Dr. W. E. Elliott, Farmington.

Colorado State Meet

The annual meeting and banquet of the Osteopathic Association of Colorado were held on the campus of the University of Colorado, at Boulder, June 20, 1907, at 1409 Ogden street, and the Adams Hotel, respectively. This is the first meeting under a newly adopted constitution, wherein the concept of eligibility to membership was one of the most important changes. Instead of directly recognizing any school, eligibility rests upon graduation from any school and upon good character, among the profession as a practitioner and worthy person. The meeting was ably addressed on scientific subjects by Dr. C. C. Reid, Dr. L. S. Brown and Dr. nettie H. Bolles. The discussions were active and teledoned deep interest in the subjects presented. The banquet, the event of the evening, was well attended and a very pleasant affair. Toasts were well presented and were very enjoyable. All expressed themselves as highly pleased with the events of both day and night, and declared the annual meeting the best fun of the year.

Pennsylvania State Meet

The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Osteopathic society was held June 6 at Harrisburg, at which the following officers were elected: President, Dr. C. J. Snyder, of Philadelphia; Vice President, Dr. F. R. Heinie, of Pittsburg; Treasurer, Dr. J. H. Frame, of Philadelphia; Secretary, Dr. J. F. Thomson, of Philadelphia; Executive Committee, Dr. V. A. Hook, of Scranton; Dr. J. E. G. Banker, of Philadelphia, and Dr. B. W. Sweet, of Erie.

Arkansas State Meet

The Arkansas Osteopathic association met in second annual session Thursday, June 18, at Little Rock. Des. B. F. Morris, Little Rock; C. B. Whitney, Little Rock; Elizabeth Broach, Hot Springs; A. H. Trillian, Muskogee; A. W. Berrow, Hot Springs; W. C. McAllister, Fayetteville; Lillian G. Higginbotham, Pine Bluff; Charles J. Higginbotham, Altus, Wilson, Eureka Springs; C. W. Ross, Fort Smith; Clark Morris, Helena; Jennie Gildersleeve, Texarkana; C. A. Bronch, Malvern; M. W. Morgan, Eureka Springs; Board of Trustees—Dr. C. A. Broach, Malvern, Chairman; Dr. Jessie Gildersleeve, Texarkana; Dr. A. W. Berrow, Hot Springs.

The meeting enjoyed several interesting papers and case reports. Questions of interest to the profession were also discussed, after which the meeting adjourned, and all repaired to the banquet room to enjoy the hospitality of Drs. Morris and Whitney and their estimable wives. It was concluded that there is no greater interest in the D. O.'s of Arkansas, the first held under the new law, than the present meeting.

Kansas State Meet

At the second annual meeting of the Kansas Osteopathic association, June 12, held at Topeka, these officers were chosen: Dr. C. E. Huillet, Topeka, President; Dr. B. H. White, Hoxton, Vice President; Dr. K. Bennens, Clinton, Vice President; Dr. K. H. Bower, Salina, Treasurer; President; Dr. R. E. Bower, Burlington, Secretary; Dr. W. Dunn, Manhattan, and Dr. J. K. McPike, Abilene. The meeting was enthusiastic and the banquet a great feature. Another meeting will be held in September.

Oklahoma's Annual Meeting

At the Oklahoma Osteopathic association meeting at Oklahoma City, June 6, a good programme was rendered and all repaired to the banquet room to enjoy the hospitality of Drs. Morris and Whitney and their estimable wives. Members of the association present and not previously reported were: Dr. C. V. Warner, Shawnee; Mrs. J. S. Kerney, McAlester; H. S. Wiles, Ponca City; Barber Calvert, Stillwater; Drs. Keil and Robinson, El Reno.

Texas Holding Election by Mail

Dr. Paul M. Peck, of San Antonio, was elected President of the Texas association by a mail ballot election, but would not accept the honor, as his partner, Dr. Mary E. Noonan, is the efficient secretary. He believes honors should be distributed. A new election is being held. Secretary Noonan is sending out good stirring letters to get the state well organized.

West Virginians on Deck

The West Virginia association met at Parkersburg June 13. The convention was informed about the results of the election.

As Ye Sow Ye Shall Reap

"If there is a harvest ahead—even a distant one—it is poor thrift to be stingy of your seed corn,—"Carlyle. This applies with special force to the Osteopath in the cultivation of the field of Osteopathic literature. Use the best "seed corn" when you are planting. The best is OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH beyond a doubt. That has been tested and proven in the experiences of others. Use it liberally—100 copies a month, at least, and on the regular yearly contract plan. You will get your harvest—no doubt about it.
“O. H.” Increases Practice

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Pen Sketch of Parent School

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also will be Dr. M. E. Clark and prominent Osteopaths of St.
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these courses this summer will necessarily be small, but it is expected that arrangements will be made to accommodate all who will take advantage of the opportunities that are to be afforded them
for the special review and post graduate training of the busy practitioners of the profession.
A word about the sanitarium. Few who have not visited the sanitarium have even a faint conception of the conveniences and comforts that a longed-for stay in the profession. It has already excited a great deal of comment in St.
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Scenes in the Convention City

The beauty of the house, formerly occupied by one of the city's most fashionable families, and the attractiveness of the grounds first excite your admiration, and your supply of adjectives is exhausted long before you have completed even a casual inspection of the interior.

The appointments of the entire building are elegant in the extreme but convenience and the attainment of every end for which the institution was conceived and founded, has not been sacrificed for it. The sanitarium has board
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The question of fuel, especially coal and wood, for household and commercial use is proving a serious problem, as has been demonstrated by the prices on coal during the past winter—and as there is no hope of coal ever again reaching as low a price as it was in the past, exhaustive experiments have been carried on during the past four years, to produce a fuel that would take the place of coal, wood, oil and gas, with the result that there has been formed

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At the recent Wisconsin Osteopathic Association meeting these excellent rules of conduct were laid down for the profession:

ARTICLE IV.

FORCE OF THE CODE OF ETHICS.

The following code of ethics shall have the full force of any article of either the constitution or the by-laws of this society.

No member shall cause his name to be carried on the rolls of this society or cause to be falsely represented in any manner himself, his name, or his position in this society.

Sec. 1. Any member shall be liable to suspension or expulsion for willful neglect of the duties and regulations of this society or for flagrant violation of our code of ethics or for any gross or immoral conduct.

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ARTICLE V.

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Chicago Society Meet

The Chicago Osteopathic Society held its regular monthly meeting in the parlor of the Sherman House June 30. The membership committee reported a list of fifteen names who had made applications for membership. After the meeting, Dr. Andrew T. Still and Mrs. Albert Fisher were elected honorary members. Dr. F. W. Gage was elected delegate to the national convention.
The Open Court

The "Free Treatment" and "No Cure No Pay" Osteopath Again!

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN, Chicago, Ill.—Dear Editor: I have been located in Fremont, Neb., for two years, and in this time have seen two competitors—a lady D. O. and also Dr. Bartlett. I have nearly all I can attend to. The lady Osteopath doesn't care to practice much, so does little treating. My other competitor has been here five months. He has advertised on the "no cure no pay" basis; advertised half price for thirty days, and the enclosed article is his latest move.

I was tempted somewhat to cut prices, to meet him, but, thanks to my better judgment, did not, and so I have held prices up as a D. O. of respectability and caliber should. I was surprised to see how easy it was to maintain regular prices even with this opposition. Not a single patient has asked for reduced prices. Such methods require a "call down" in "The O. P." His article, as you will readily see, hurts him and not me, but the worst part of it is it is lowering the standard of Osteopathy. Dr. Bartlett is from the Des Moines School, but we all know there is no sound outlining methods for a minute. I am safe in saying Dr. Bartlett is the only D. O. in Nebraska giving free treatment.

The display advertisement clipped from the Fremont newspaper is as follows:

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I am no lawyer, but I don't believe any legislature can prohibit the practice of Osteopathy; they may regulate, but not prohibit, and I believe our fight should be along that line, and if necessary to make a test case, make it, and every Osteopath put his tallest pocket in his pocket to back it up. Yours, 

H. K. SHERBURN, D. O.

Plan to Raise Money

My best knowledge and information is that the minority does all the giving and the majority the taking. And when a little medical doctor hits that settle, second, they are not in the solar plexus he runs to the minority for help, whether or not he (or she) had ever given a cent, or ever will. Likely he never would if he had not been hit by the medical man finally.

I think by getting our heads together that we can formulate a scheme whereby we can raise 50 cents per month out of 2,500 or 3,000 osteopaths, and that we can all give it or they had better quit the business. I have been here five months. He has advertised on the "no cure no pay" basis; and the people who have come in are not his competitors. Not a man says he has been here five months. It is his latest move. I see in your February issue that we should not allow them to be best done in a school that is not a. medical law on pathological indications. The purpose is to help them give the idea that they are "it" in the future issue that we should not allow them to back it up. Yours, 

WILLIAM SMITH.

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The Osteopathic Physician:

Gentlemen: Enclosed find please find 50 cents in stamps in payment of one year's subscription to "The Osteopathic" for the year 1903. This is my latest move. I believe that there was not a dollar paid in my state a book that would stand before the United States Supreme Court—all such laws being class legislation, hence unconstitutional. As long as the fight is on and up to us, why not make a test case and send it to the United States Supreme Court? It would be safely assessed $5, $10, or even $25 for such a purpose.

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do; but, in my opinion, it would be braver, as
well as in the end better calculated to command
the respect of the people, if we were to stand
strictly to our own, and insist from the first
on a just recognition of our natural right to
present our gospel to the sovereign people.

Denver.

N. ALDEN BOLLES, D. O.

Regardirig Adjunts to Treatment.
An event transpired during this week which
has some bearing on the necessity for the present bony lesion theory. A man drove up in
great haste and excitement and asked for one of
our men to go with him to care for his
child, who had just been badly burned. Dr. Bond
went and found the child burned extensively
around the lower body, while the legs and
arms and hands were burnt in blotches. He gave
him an injection of oil of carbolic acid. Several
days later there developed a serious condition
by reason of the congestion produced by the
burns over the intestines. No sufficient Os­
teorpathic treatments could be given by reason
of the burnt condition of the body. What would
the exclusively bony lesion Osteopathy do?

Leaving out the question of a laxative or a
cathartic—which we non-osteopathic fellows
could not discuss, here is another complicating
factor—the family proved to be Docowrites, and when
Dr. Bond went back one day to dress the
suppurating burns he bottle of carbolic acid
was missing and he was informed that they did
not believe in medicine to their sanctuary even
without carbolic acid as an antisepsic wash! Here was
Herod out-heroded, but I beg pardon for
stringing out these remarks: the point is to show
that when Osteopaths narrow their knowledge and
usefulness down to cases in which only
a bony lesion exists, and only a bony lesion
condition can be given, they are far short of
being true physicians in the wide acceptance
of that term, such, for instance, as taking care
of a burnt baby—a call that might come from
any family in which an Osteopath practiced.
And if he ignored adjuncts treatments as a
matter of principle, his Osteopathy would
seem to argue, so be it and so be it; would he then be on a
par even with any old grandma, for most of
them know how to take care of a burnt baby if they did not understand
the value of antiseptics. The Osteopath should
not be a scientific ignoramus outside of the line
of his favorite and most common lines of practice.

Extract from a letter of J. B. Shaw, secretary of the S. S. Still College of
Osteopathy.

Osteopathic Education all Sufficient

There has been a great deal of discussion in
our fraternity regarding the advisability of Os­
teoopathy applying medicine in receiving
the M. D. degree. Some advocate this step in order to be
more familiar with medical therapeutics and methods,
as so to be able to show that the danger of the
use of the drug treatment as compared with our
own. It has been urged by some that
one holding the M. D. degree and not prac­
ticing medicine would have the benefit of
inspiring greater confidence in the efficacy of Os­
teoopathy, as compared with medicine. In
the states where Osteopathy has not yet
reached legislative recognition it might be advantageous
to be a matter of protection from prosecution, not
to say persecution. But to be a successful
Osteopath in the treatment of acute or chronic dis­
ces no Osteopath who has been graduated from
one of the Associated Colleges of Osteopathy
needs the M. D. degree to succeed. Such
an Osteopath has received a superior training in
Anatomy, and presumably equally as good
in all other branches, such as histology, pathology, chemistry, hygiene, and surgery
and in the matter of diagnosis he has enjoyed the
advantage of both methods, medical and Osteopathic. The Osteopath has been taught
diagnosis from the Osteopathic standpoint,
that disease to detect disease, and how to
find THE CAUSE of it. No medical college has ever
been able to present to the student a more accurate
method of diagnosis of disease than
which is taught in our colleges. No conscien­
tious Osteopathic physician would ever dare to ask a patient who combines both methods in his practice. Such
a practitioner could not long retain the re­
spect or confidence of either profession or the public.

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path, or the Homeopath in order to succeed.

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One could be held in Chicago, the other in Milwaukee, of each year; perhaps this district comprises about 120 Osteopaths, whose location would be easily accessible to either of these cities. I suggest meeting always in the city owning, first, to the more central location, and, second, because of more available clinical material.

Further considerations for such a society might be as follows:

First.—No constitution. No by-laws. No officers. No organization, save the selection of a committee to arrange in every detail for the meeting. Same to be selected at each meeting for the following year.

Second.—Expense of such meeting to be met by assessment on members, or nominal regular dues. It will be ready seen that expense to each one would be very slight.

Third.—A society for the development of original research and investigation purely.

I am making this suggestion for the institution of such a society after much thought, but without consulting any of my colleagues, and therefore send this communication in the hope that, if you find the thought worthy of publication, that it will be received and commented upon through the medium of our good "O. P."

If you find it of value, will be pleased if you will ask for suggestions along this line, supplementing it with a request to practitioners, especially in the district mentioned, to respond to your office in writing if such a society is looked upon with favor.

I am sure that the younger and more inexperienced physicians will appreciate all that the more experienced ones can do for them in this direction.

Possibly this may be one solution of the problem of getting the larger majority interested in the A. O. A., by first aiding them in a practical way, in the hope that it may lead to larger practice, thus gaining material welfare.

To meet and mingle with those of varied experience in our association meetings, both state and national, all are aware of its value, but it is only one item of the value such a society might be made to be. Fraternally,

EDWIN J. ELTON.

Kenosha, Wis., March 31.

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"I have had it in my mind to write to you and to extend my sympathies in the work you are doing in the Northwest. I am sure that the Osteopathic Health is the right channel through which to promote one's interests as a practitioner, at the same time to enlighten the public about Osteopathy, and now, since a thorough trial, I know it to be a fact. I am entirely convinced that every D. O. ought to use at least 100 copies per month, and the D. O. who does not is the lower. A lady to whom I had been sending O. H. failed on me only to-day. She had been thinking for a long time to take treatment, and the 'O. H.' magazine had been received by her to be begun, as one! So many D. O.'s complain that people who have been examined and who have promised to come again for treatment never return. Where lay the fault? With the D. 0. or with the patient? Here is the remedy: Send or hand each one that calls at an Osteopathic office an 'O. H.' put the reader on the regular mailing list to get 'O. H.' every month, and the would-be patient will be sure to come back again for treatment. That is my experience. It is the experience of a number of others. I know in this section."

L. VON HORN, D. O.

Pocatello, Idaho.

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"How to the line, let chips fall where they will."

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Not one coterie or clique but the best interest of the whole profession is the motto of THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.

Is the Atlas Club ever going to establish branches in the other colleges of the osteopathic profession, or remain forever a one-chapter fraternity?

We hope that Chicago and Illinois will both succeed in getting more centrally organized and more active organizations the coming year.

The American Osteopathic Association represents the element of cohesion in the osteopathic profession. Have you $5 worth of stock in you?

Editors are not always inspired in their utterances. If you think the editor is wrong about any proposition, drop him a line and say so.

If the articles and suggestions you send the editor are not used don't be offended. Each issue is a choice between much material, all of which is good, but most of which must be omitted.

The A. O. A. is making progress.

It is said that thirty unattached ladies have their eyes on the Secretary's job. Why not create thirty secretariats and give all the boys hope?

There seems to be a solution of continuity of late in the programme of the American Medical Association as to the suppression of Osteopathy.

Organization is the Osteopathic watchword. Do not end with writing this word, however, in the cold type of these pages, but get at it and do it.

What will the Educational Committee of the A. O. A. give us this year at Cleveland? It would be hard to equal its work of the last convention.

Let your light so shine by circulating Osteopathic Health. Why not begin this month?

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Press dispatches gave the names of about twenty Osteopaths in Missouri who aspired to place on the Missouri State Examining Board. These state jobs seem to be at a premium.

If you think the editor is seriously wrong on any proposition, sit down and write your views briefly for the benefit of the whole profession. This paper prints both sides of every question.

Once when we were young—we believed literally in "loving the M. D.'s into peace." Now we advocate—well, getting Osteopathic boards in every state and letting the M. D.'s make first overtisements.

Read over that report of the educational committee of the A. O. A. A., adopted at Milwaukee. That's the kind of stuff Osteopaths are made of. Don't seem to be such ignoramuses and one-idea folk, do they?

The good effects of an osteopathic law are already apparent in Minnesota. Quite a bunch of pseudo-Osteopaths who were using the name Osteopathic colleges and Osteopathic publications. We guess the New Jersey Osteopathic Association is still to do business at the old stand notwithstanding.

When it comes to presenting Osteopathy to the people for the purpose of building up the practitioner's influence and practice, the Osteopathic Physician Company makes that a specialty and ought to do it better than those who make it a haphazard experiment.

There has been an overplanting of Osteopathic colleges and Osteopathic publications. The weakest will get weaker and the stronger stronger, and Time, the observer of inequalities, will give the palm to the best and the rest will fall by the wayside.

Wolves and jackals travel by pairs and singly. The kindly and courteous beasts dwell in families and communities. Don't be an Osteopathic wolf—get in with the bunch—train with your fellows—be somebody and help the profession to accomplish something.

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Newspapers all over the union are observing that Osteopaths are still doing the "Lorenz" operation—that is, the S. O. graduate, was unanimously elected president of the association, although Des Moines alumni were in the majority at the meeting. Let the good work of forgetting strife go on!

Some statements in a letter from Dr. Forbes, of Des Moines, about lesions were quoted in the last issue, which Dr. Forbes did not know the editor would like to use. While he believes it absolutely the tone is not such, he usually likes for argument, and by request we will print next issue his authorized statement on this subject.
When You See News Send It to Us

THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

Now is the time for all good men and women to come to the aid of the party. What party? The people, the real people, for the true and independent Osteopathic Association. You will find the application blank for membership elsewhere in this number. Fill it out and send it in. Don't be a lobster! Affix, cooperate.

To prefer exclusion and remain dumb when you might visit every home and teach Osteopathy and its meaning to every one! Would that be worth an appropriation of a few dollars a month? Then why don't you? Are you blind to your interest and professional advancement? Osteopathic Health—yearly contracts—works while you sleep!

If we bought a Prince Albert coat and stove-pipe hat for Dr. A. T. Still and sent him over to Vienna to give a few exhibitions of Osteopathy, and then told him he had been the most conservative—that is to say, most bigoted—of his time; or that the American Medical Association had resolved on wiping Osteopathy off the map, Would that be fair? Dr. A. T. Still is the founder of the American System of bloodless surgery a long time in advance of the Lorenz method. Honor where honor is due.

We cannot know too much of Osteopathy, but it is a question for debate whether a practitioner does not limit his usefulness if he fills his head too much with antagonistic systems of therapeutics. A man must never give up his professional freedom, while amphibians are not much good on land or sea, either. We don't wish to be narrow, but really, doesn't it look that way?

We do not in the least detract from the honors done the originality and skill of the eminent Dr. Lorenz, but we do protest against the spirit of bigotry which would fain rob the equally original and skillful and eminent Dr. A. T. Still of his honor of founding the American System of bloodless surgery a long time in advance of the Lorenz method. Honor where honor is due.

Doctor and Lieutenant Governor R. M. Cunningham received a rising vote of confidence, and praise and gratitude from the Alabama Medical Association for his immortal veto as president of the senate, kiting the Osteopathic hill. He should be canonized along with Dr. Ah Fluke, discoverer of the tape worm, and that celebrated judicial mule, Judge Toney, of Kentucky.

The Pennsylvania Association showed great pluck in the fight this winter. It deserves an independent Osteopathic board—but, then, Pennsylvania is ultra-conservative and its medical profession is one of the ablest, strongest and most progressive—the men who are bigoted in the union. New York and Pennsylvania will be the two hardest states in the union to capture.

The Wayne County Medical Trust's meeting at Detroit, April 22, passed unanimous resolutions indemnifying the action of the Michigan legislature in April last with regard to the recognition of medical practice in the State and protesting against the recognition of Osteopaths as either physicians or surgeons of any class. Wonder how many states, since the senate passed an Osteopathic bill, creating an independent Osteopathic board?

Poverty is the strongest factor in this world to make men and women shrink from assuming their just responsibilities, and if the gang turn out and drill with the profession in order to get just laws, when the appeal is made, it is a cinch that the gang is "broke"—or so near it that the next move is left to be made by others. It is a safe guess that all the Osteopaths who are really prosperous are to be found enrolled before another July convention—on the roster of the A. O. A.

Since OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH has scored such a triumph as THE PRACTITIONER'S PAPER in the last two years of available service, would it not be wise for the whole field to unite in supporting it, and in making it better than ever, instead of dividing patronage among several aspirants, no one of which can hope to get enough support to become a first-class medium of the popular type? Instead of scattering your fire, fellow Osteopaths, centralize your effort, and give your aid in making this best of field mediums more effective than ever.

The profession is now in a position to realize that the editor knew what he was talking about last summer when he insisted—even humbly—"that the American Medical Association had resolved on wiping Osteopathy off the map. He had a straight tip from the camp of the enemy. Now take another one. This same powerful army has only begun its battle and will put stronger fights in every state next year and the year after. Two tips to the wise ought to be sufficient. Join the A. O. A. and send 50 cents to "The O. P."—your "War Cry."

Gratification Acts by Consent of the "Regular"

At the Alabama State Medical Association meeting at Birmingham, April 24, Dr. Glenn Andrews, president, bewailed the effort to legalize Osteopathy. "It doesn't look reasonable that more men and women should spend five dollars on the A. O. A. annually and be found helping on their state association. It is all right to "get up" to each other about making $5,000 to $20,000 a year, and all that, but such internal evidence as sinister costs without advertised offers and no interest in what the profession and schools are accomplishing for the good of the science—which is the chronic state of the matter in the field—speak louder than idle boasting.

One Hundred Osteopaths Absent

One hundred Osteopaths signed their appreciation of THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN last month by sending in their subscriptions accompanied by 30 cents. In appreciation for this sort of cooperation THE "O. P." has grown to 12 pages as its permanent form; and with a couple of hundred more new subscribers we will swell her pages to enough support we would make "THE O. P." a weekly—would the profession like that?"THE O. P." has established the reputation of ALWAYS BEING THERE WITH THE GOODS, of being constantly better and better, of giving more than was promised; and therefore the price is justifiable. Chicago has a whole colony of D. O.'s attending medical schools, some just graduated, some with good experience in the field. Some study surgery and some study homeopathy and others allopathy. At all of these schools the percentage of students who are going into the medical course. If this is true, the addition of a third year and the inclusion of major subjects would return every medical college and make it quite unnecessary for later graduates to "go through the medical wringer."

A Problem for Osteopathic Colleges

Our schools must reckon with the growing tendency of Osteopaths to take post-graduate courses in medical schools. Whatever is the reason for it—the desire to keep up with the times, the desire to know materia medica, the desire for more complete courses of study or more ample clinical advantages—there is one thing certain: the custom is popular, and is growing more so. Chicago has a whole colony of D. O.'s attending medical schools, some just graduated, some with good experience in the field. Some study surgery and some study homeopathy and others allopathy. At all of these schools the percentage of students who are going into the medical course. If this is true, the addition of a third year and the inclusion of major subjects would return every medical college and make it quite unnecessary for later graduates to "go through the medical wringer."

Everything Beautiful in Its Season

A subscriber in New England asks us to be careful about using slang in "The O. P." because "it will have a tendency to impress our patients unfavorably regarding Osteopathy." We know of no more effective way of reaching the practitioners than through their heart-to-hearts.
THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

in the language of the street; but, in the name of conscience, whom does this practitioner think we aim to interest with "The O. P."—her patients? Never! "The O. P." is for the doctor, and the doctor only. Osteopathic Health is the finished product of dignified diction, and smooth, simple Osteopathic argument, which we issue especially for the patient. There is no slang found in the pages of "O. H." because it is meant to be your introduction to strangers. It is meant to represent a dignified science, and as well to make an impression for you each month among your own friends and patients. You are not awake to your interests, Doctor, and we tell you so boldly, and back up our claim by the evidence of hundreds of your fellow practitioners, if you fail to use 100 copies of this excellent Journal a month to assist you in practice.

Suggestion to Offer the Journal on a Free Subscription

Dr. Peckham, of Colorado Springs, makes a strong argument to offer the JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION for a fair subscription—say 25c a year—indeed independently of membership in the A. O. A., saying many Osteopaths would like to get it who cannot or will join the association. He quotes the Journal of the American Medical association as a precedent. His arguments are clear and strong, and if they did not require a full page of space we would have been glad to publish them in this issue for the benefit of the Publication Committee. The idea has much to recommend it. Think it over at Cleveland.

Matrimonial Prize Drawing at Cleveland

It is said there will be a great scramble this year for election to the office of secretary and assistant secretary of the A. O. A. You see, it is this way. These jobs are supposed to carry lucky loves to the incumbents. You see, Miss Harwood held it and she became Mrs. Ellis; and then Miss Purdum was assistant secretary, and she became Mrs. Moore. The association would be delighted to have these trusted officials hold over, but the question is: "Will the unmarried girls in the association allow it?" Will they now say: "Stand aside, madam, and give the rest of us girls a chance?" The association is just wondering. Girls, all come to Cleveland. These jobs beat catching the bride’s bouquet or finding the ring in the wedding cake.

Let Me Call Your Attention to an Ad. Doctor

On another page is to be found the advertisement of the Roanoke Investment company, of Chicago, which is offering stock in the Illinois Peat Fuel company at the ground-floor price of 35 cents a share. The editor respectfully calls your attention to this ad. if you are looking for an investment that has merit and is in the hands of most reliable business men. The editor is himself interested in this proposition and believes in it; and he would like all members of the profession who are looking for a good chance to invest where returns promise to be great, to correspond with these people and ascertain what they have to offer. Certainly fuel is a great staple and it looks as if, with the improvements in machinery and processes, the age of peat using is to be revived. The briquette in Europe is now a great fuel factor and promises to become so—more so, owing to this improvement in method—in America also.

The Antidote for Judge Toneyism

The fairness and philanthropy of the "regular" in suppressing the Osteopath is very well shown in the present campaign of education which the American Medical Association is waging by circulating the decision of Judge Toney, of Kentucky, in the now celebrated case of the Commonwealth vs. Nelson. In the lower court, three years ago, Judge Toney prostituted the truth and smeared the judicial ermine with a display of peanut politics unworthy the state of Kentucky. His decision is a tirade against Osteopathy. It is quoted by the "regular" in every new legislative fight to show the virtue of his generous contention to protect the public. But these men of science do not also quote the Supreme Court decision of the State of Kentucky some time later, which reversed Judge Toney’s decision, knocked his arraignment of Osteopathy into a cocked hat and in a polite way gave the lie to most of his manufactured “evidence.” Now, in the interests of truth, let the Osteopaths circulate this Kentucky Supreme Court decision everywhere they find the "regular" using the Toney mud to defame our profession.

Head the Tocqueville, Fellow Osteopaths!

It is not strange that a handful of Osteopaths should have trouble in winning a legislative battle when one reflects upon the power of 3,000 or 4,000 M. D.’s in a state, firmly organized and entrenched, and controlling absolutely by marriage ties, personal acquaintance, church and political affiliation, so many newspapers, state legislators and politicians. The wonder is that a handful of Osteopaths, in a state like Alabama, could really get any consideration before being hanged, drawn and quartered.

This leads me to prophecy that the "Medics" are not even yet fully aroused, and that what we have experienced is but the beginning; that our quietest states will see agitation as bad as the worst of last winter; while in the active states, where trouble is already we will see bitterer struggles for the extermination of the Osteopath than we have yet dreamed of. I may be wrong in this—and I hope I am—but the signs of the times add confirmation to the probabilities of this prophecy.

We have but one escape: Get together under the banner of your fighting machine, the A. O. A., and support it to the last ditch, and support

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Norman S. Johnson, Grand Junction, Col. Enclosed find money order for $12, also bill, and please accept order as payment for 200 copies OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH for July. THE OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH is a merely a patient getter.

C. R. Mitchell, Buffalo, N. Y.—Please send me an additional copy of the June number, Dr. Bunting’s article on the potency of Osteopathy in gynecological cases fills a long felt want. I desire to have a few copies on hand for future use.

“THE O. P.” is right in the stand taken in regard to the unification of the Osteopathic forces and in the stand against the clannish spirit engendered by college rivalries. You have a great mission and I believe you will succeed. Yours sincerely, Ellis L. Robie, D. O.

Allow me to compliment you on both THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN and OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH. They are both great—each in its own peculiar field—and the profession as a whole is growing and increasing in the field of the wonderful strides our profession is making.

I enclose fifty cents in a stamp book for subscription to THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. Every Osteopath should subscribe for your paper. It fills a want which I shall use any other paper in California to increase its subscription list. Very truly, Agnes G. Madden, D. O., Secretary of the Osteopathic Association of the State of California.

My Dear Doctor Bunting: Find enclosed draft for payment in contract for one year for both OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH and THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. I could not afford to miss on issue of either for the price of a subscription. You are on the right track with all its development, get along without either of them. Keep up your high standard.—Wm. Smith, M. D., St. Louis.

I enclose contract for OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH for 100 copies a month, to run six months. I wish to say that you are doing a good work and I appreciate your Osteopathic backbone. The last word on "O. H." was all right, too. It is my opinion that leaving out the list of diseases treated, which you now do, is desirable and that the word "osteopathy" is no longer of sufficient use, and indeed seems too much like the fakey cure-all patent medicine ads. To warrant it being a regular feature of an Osteopathic magazine—Dr. Frank Clyde Leavitt, M. D., D. O., Boston, Mass.

Please send me 100 copies of OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH regularly and enter me on your regular subscription for which I enclose. Are you and your editors really coining a useful and a useful thing? I am pleased to answer to any inquiring friends that I am not, but on the contrary am very much alive Osteopathically. My four years’ work in the Medical College of Indiana, together with my daily practice, have taken most of my time, causing me to lose touch with my Osteopathic fellow practitioners somewhat, but that is all over now, and I am 100 per cent more enthusiastic and eager anticipation of the good work with more interest and enthusiasm than ever. Fraternally yours, Dr. F. W. Hannah, Indianapolis, Ind.

Third Edition.

An Unprecedented Demand for June Osteopathic Health—Special Price 2c. Per Copy.

The unprecedented demand for June OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH exhausted our supply the first week in July, although we had previously printed a large number of late orders for June and new orders coming in constantly we have been compelled to get out a third edition of 5,000 June numbers. As a matter of fact we are offering for two cents a copy. The June number is not being sold as back numbers to close-out, but as a special edition to supply a valuable number which can be used for either campaign or office purposes. Every Osteopath will have many calls for an article of this character during the coming months. Be sure you will receive copies as they are received till the edition is exhausted.

Condemned at the Bar of Justice

THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN, Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir: The trial is finished. Hear the sentence, O trembling D. O.! You are guilty of neglect, shameful and unwarranted; but as the court is merciful you may have one chance to avoid a sentence of 50 years in prison. This is therefore the order of the court that you subscribe immediately to that most energetic, persevering paper, “THE O. P.,” or abide by the consequences OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH, which will have many calls for an article of this character during the coming months. Be sure you will receive copies as they are received till the edition is exhausted.

Good to Reach the Uninitiated

Osteopathic Publishing Co., Chicago, III.

Gentlemen: Herein we hand you money order for one dollar to cover our subscription for “OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH” and “THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,” both of which are printed in June. We have been intending to subscribe for the June issue. They touch the spot, and as soon as we get our bearings we will give you an annual contract for “OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH.” This is the best matter I have seen for reaching the uninitiated, and I shall give it preference over anything we have seen to be used for “still hunts” for patients. Wish you success in the widest sense in the undertaking, we beg to remain yours truly.

DRS. MAXWELL AND MAXWELL.

Charlotte, N. C., June 29.

California Eager for Love Feast

Dr. H. S. Bunting.

Dear Sir: Yes, I am going to Cleveland, and hope to shake hands with the editors of “THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.” Our delegation to the convention will not be large, but we are enthusiastic and anxious to see, to understand, and to let it be read into the convention. Yours very truly.

M. A. GATES, D. O.

San Francisco.

Texans at Cleveland in Spirit

The Osteopathic Publishing Company.

Gentlemen: I thrill with delight when I hear of the wonderful strides our beloved profession is making, and which is told us so clearly and concisely in your good paper, “The O. P.” I have been intending to subscribe for “The O. P.,” for some time, but have neglected doing so. Please find enclosed 50 cents.

Osteopathy is flourishing in the Lone Star State, and when the next legislature convenes we will have orders coming in constantly, and we are a long way off, yet feel pretty well acquainted with the healing spirits in Osteopathy. I hope to see them in material form at the convention. Yours very truly,

MARY V. STUART.

Dallas, Tex., June 24.

It Has United the Profession

Dr. Harriet A. Whiteside, Whistler, Wis.

—I enclosed please find remittance for “The O. P.” It is becoming evident to me that such a paper does more to unify the profession than any other publication. I admire your “Fairness, Freedom, Fearlessness.” By the way, while I was in Chicago recently I learned from a Chicago Osteopath that some of the Chicago Osteopaths were opposed to “The O. P.” because they thought it was a paper put out by the profession. They are not, I believe, by any one not a member of the profession, and that OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH was published for that sole purpose, or do you think it could be true? Any Osteopath knows all too well, as from the papers, it is going on further east.

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and careful training than law or medicine or mechanical engineering. The world does not think much of the men who essay these fields of endeavor without preparation and natural fitness for them, and so as a general thing nobody will do! The result is invariably as lamentable a failure as would naturally be expected.

Osteopaths, needing excellent field literature, have been especially prone to fall into this error. A hundred experiments have been made, where one man or a collection of men tried to turn up something "just as good" and "cheaper" than those making this work a regular business could do. Some practitioner, in a benevolent mood, offers to "give away" a certain number of copies, and pay the bills. He labors and sweats and toils; he cuts into his practice; and outside responsibilities that annoy and fret and take his mind off his objections when he is through, his product is a dead failure, no matter what his hopes had been, and his friends render him no thanks for labor or enterprise and mistaken philanthropy. His printers disappoint him in every detail, and furnish, in the main, a pamphlet which any professional man with an eye to business would hesitate to receive as a gift if that carried an obligation to give it in turn to his patients. It costs more money than was figured on originally. Its circulation is held in check by premature desire to make the main expenses paid. The result was expected of it—i.e., fails a dead flat failure as a business asset and the ambitious "born editor" nurses his mortification and disgust for his enterprise and his attempt to make his capital into a few cents each month. On the theory that there is no cost attached to the publication of the material in a matter such as OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH, there is no estimate of ability not worth a price as well as type-setting and running presses, such people try the "Cut John" method and get the usual harvest of regrets consequent upon such investment.

There is one thing which, when entered upon satisfactorily, becomes a state of crystalization never to be circulated. To do with them? Careful join disgusted doctors and most folks. He labors and sweats and toils; he sends 50 cents (all to with envelopes, delivered at the door) for a subscription, which includes a copy mailed to any address, and thus educate them in the gospel of enthusiasm, vigilance and attention to the welfare of the profession.

For those who "won't"—well, let us see—what we will do with them.

First, let's have a fuller understanding with them, and, as urged in the last issue of "THE O. P.," explain that a state of war exists and they are enemies to the cause of the profession. It is well to call attention to the "cheap John" method and get the usual declarations—say, at least, that you "will" or you "won't." For those who "will," let us be prompt to garner the evidences of disunion and the cause, or assist you to overcome it. If you prefer to remain silent, indolent, apathetic and selfishly negative—be bold and independent enough to come out and say so. But—go on record, one way or the other—we must come out and declare—say, at least, that you "will" or you "won't."

Then, I say, the profession makes a clean but not a perfect job of "THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN" and thus educate them in the archives of the profession. Let us encourage them to subscribe for and read "THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN" and thus educate them in the gospel of enthusiasm, vigilance and attention to the welfare of the profession.

Secondly, we should then make out a "black list" of all Osteopaths who refused the call to arms when duty required enrollment and let them know that it is time for Osteopaths to get into the national and state associations. Let us encourage them to subscribe for and read "THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN" and thus educate them in the archives of the profession.

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as well, THE OSTEOPATH PHYSICIAN, which is the alarm bell that is waking Osteopaths to their peril lest they be slaughtered in their sleep.

The Cincinnati Enquirer's Roll of Osteopathic Merit

Notwithstanding denials that the Cincinnati Enquirer's scheme to confer "honorble mention" upon "some of the most distinguished Osteopathic physicians in the United States," at $2.50 per head, was ever printed, it appears that it was, after all, "THE O. P." has been favored with thirty-some notices of the article from several sources, that Dr. Orella Locke, Dr. Clara Weirnack, Dr. E. R. Booth and others, however, did all they could to prevent it, we cheerfully acknowledge that.

This "Osteopathic Hall of Fame" is said to have been instituted in print February 18, 1903. There are a lot of our best people to be found in this list, to be sure, but then--they have already won recognition without the laying on of hands by Editor John R. McLane, while it is hardly likely that even such editorial sanction at the rate of $2.50 per head would serve to qualify others for membership in the American Osteopathic Association who might not already be recognized. Then, what does such advertising do? Is it professional? Who got a single patient by it--hands up? Let us not be beguiled, fellow Osteopaths, into the devious advertising paths traveled by Peter Lyda Pinsham and Brother Payne, of the Celery Compound benefaction (to Payne). Steer clear of unethical "promotions."

Good Lorenz Comparisons

The editor acknowledges indebtedness to a number of Osteopaths who either wrote good newspaper articles contrasting Dr. Lorenz and Dr. Still or saw such in circulation, cut them out and sent them in to "THE O. P." We particularly appreciate such courteous assistance and wish a hundred others would adopt the plan. I beg leave to acknowledge receipt of the following:

"Osteopaths Claim Professor Lorenz," from the Trenton Sunday Advertiser, October 29th, by courtesy of Dr. Walter J. Noring.

"Professor Lorenz in Meeting on Joint Hips--wherein they are alike and different from Osteopathy," from the Davenport (Iowa) Republic, October 17, from the pen of Dr. O. E. McFadden.

"Reductions of Dr. Lorenz Criticised by Osteopaths," in the Worcester (Mass.) Telegram, of December 26, by Dr. F. P. Millard.

"A Comparison Between Dr. Lorenz' Methods and Osteopathy," from the Toledo (Ohio) Blade, by Dr. Florence McCoy.

Others were received which the editor does not at this minute find at hand. This shows that the profession took the opportunity at its best to rub Dr. Lorenz' buoy into public notice. Good work! Always be alert for newspaper talk, fellow Osteopaths. It is wonderfully helpful. A copy of OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH should be regularly sent each month at your order to every newspaper in your county. This mentions given here and there will pay you a hundred times over.

The August O. P. is Full of New Ideas

As the leading feature of the August number of OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH the editor is pleased to announce a contribution from his own pen on diseases of the eye, and their diagnosis and cure Osteopathically, under the title, "The New Light On Eye Troubles." There is much inquiry for literature on eye troubles in practice, and very little good stuff is written to supply that demand. Eye troubles are very common, as all practitioners know. Many patients, too, take treatment for all sorts of complaints without ever realizing that the Osteopath is a wonder-worker in diseases of the optics. Hence, the editor has prepared this edition with a view to covering that field of practice adequately, and you will not be disappointed when you read the article.

Another able but brief article is on the subject--always old in experience, but in our literature almost brand-new--of "Cold's." This article is excellent. How many patients ask you about "Colds" every month--in summer, perhaps, as well as winter?

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HARRIETTE A. HOWE, M.D., Resident Physician.

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Yours truly,

M. C. CARL.

Protos Co., 1052 Madison St., Chicago, Ill.

More Letters from the Field

Dr. T. L. Drennan, Jackson, Tenn.—OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH is all right.

Dr. R. S. Collier, Chester, S. C.—OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH is our best popular literature.

Drs. Glezen & Peebles, Kalamaoo, Mich.—We are well pleased with OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH.

Dr. Sophia L. Gault, Monrovia, Cal.—The June number of OSTEOPATHIC HEALTH is fine. I find that the people are anxious to read it.

Dr. F. J. Marshall.—Your article in the June issue of "The O. P."

Dr. E. M. Painter, Powers, Mo.—I am just in receipt of "THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN," which is splendid. You will please send me 50 cents for "The O. P." after so long a wait for this issue, commencing with July.

Dr. H. U. Wenger, Fulton, Mo.—Inclosed is check for 50 cents for "The O. P." I admire your staying qualities, as well as most valued publication. I think it all the only reason that I have for failing to write you sooner was just neglect.

Dr. Charles D. Ray, Le Mars, Iowa—You will find a check for $8.50 for your book "The O. P."

NOTE: The above prices are for one year's subscription to "THE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN," and do not include the cost of postage. The cost of postage is $2.50 per year in the United States and $3.00 per year abroad.