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No compromise with materia medica for therapeutic purposes

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OUR PLATFORM

It should be universally known where Osteopathy stands and what it stands for. A political party has a platform, that all may know what its position is in regard to matters of public importance, in order that the people may know what it stands for and what politics it advocates. The osteopath should make his position just as clear before the public. It should be known by the public what he advocates in his platform in his campaign against disease. Our position can be tersely stated in the following planks:

First—We are opposed to the use of drugs as remedial agencies.

Second—We are opposed to vaccination.

Third—We are opposed to the use of serums in the treatment of disease.

Fourth—We realize that many cases require surgical treatment, and therefore advocate it as a last resort. We believe many surgical operations are unnecessarily performed, and that many operations can be avoided by osteopathic treatment.

Fifth—The osteopath does not use electricity, X-radiance, hydrotherapy, but relies upon osteopathic measures in the treatment of disease.

Sixth—We have a friendly feeling for other non-drug, natural methods of healing, but we do not incorporate any other methods into our system. We are all opposed to drugs; in that respect, at least, all natural, unharful methods occupy the same ground. The fundamental principles of Osteopathy, however, are different from those of any other system, and the cause of disease is considered from one standpoint, viz: disease is the result of anatomical abnormalities followed by physiological discord. To cure disease the abnormal parts must be adjusted to the normal; therefore, other methods that are entirely different in principle have no place in the osteopathic system.

Seventh—We believe that our therapeutic house is just large enough for Osteopathy, and that when other methods are brought in, just that much Osteopathy must move out.

Eighth—Osteopathy is an independent system and can be applied to all conditions of disease except purely surgical cases.

Ninth—We believe in sanitation and hygiene.

This platform was adopted by the profession and published nearly twenty years ago. It still is, and always will be the platform of the only scientific method of preventing and curing disease.

Many osteopaths have never read this platform. Many who have, do not live up to its provisions in their practice or in the papers they prepare for our conventions and publications.

Every loyal follower of Dr. A. T. Still, who practices unadulterated Osteopathy is hastening the day to bring health to the people of the entire world. Why not read and study "The Oath of Hippocrates" and "The Law of Hippocrates." Read, study, and adapt them to what Dr. Still gave to medicine. Work together as a trained army. Practice and live Osteopathy, then we will forge ahead, even faster than we have already done. We are justly proud of our history of twenty-five years. We have by our constantly increasing number of cures gained a strong hold, so strong a hold that the time is fast approaching when Osteopathy will be the universal method of medical practice. This result will be obtained all the sooner as more of our members are true to our platform.

Few of us believe in vaccination, and anti-toxin. None who are thoroughly grounded in the fundamental truths of natural law as related to Osteopathy can believe in serums of any sort. Neither can they believe in surgical procedures where functional derangements of organs are involved, for we have proven our science in contagious and infectious diseases, also in curing the cases usually operated on by other schools.

Many of us believe, tuberculosis, cancer, and other malignant diseases have been multiplied by serum therapy. Also we know how much better for the patient to be cured osteopathically than to be mutilated by surgery.

We cannot as yet prevent all the people, no not even all our patients from resorting to these mischievous methods, but an osteopath can, and often does have influence with his patrons, especially if they know him to be a man who has principles and lives up to them, but if he is one of the too numerous among us who dabble in drugs, electricity, and whatnots, belonging to the drug school or their refuse heap' of discarded isms, the people size him up and have little or no confidence in what he does or says.

Our cures have been made (after other methods failed) by adjustment plus sensible advice as to diet, exercise, sanitation, hygiene and right-living as taught by our founder.

Osteopathy is sufficiently comprehensive to employ all the talents of the best mind, even the best can scarcely hope to reach the success in diagnosis and treatment attained by Dr. Still. Let us all live up as nearly as we can to our platform.

THE OATH OF HIPPOCRATES

I swear by Apollo the physician and Aesculapius, and Health, and All-heal, and all the gods and goddesses, that, according to my ability and judgment, I will keep this oath and this stipulation—to reckon him who taught me this Art equally dear to me as my parents, to share my substance with him, and relieve his necessities if required; to look upon his offspring in the same footing as my own brothers, and to teach them this art, if they shall wish to learn it, without fee or stipulation; and that by precept, lecture, and every other mode of instruction, I...
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Dr. Edward H. Richardson, of Balti-

Dr. Robert H. Hart, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The TREND OF THE TIMES

After reading our osteopathic periodicals and perusing the discussions of some

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Dedicated to the Cure of Nervous and Mental Disorders

A. G. HILDERETH, D. O.

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CUTTING DOWN OUR STUDENTS BY LAWS

A. Williams, Missoula, Mont.

It seems hard to make some of our people realize that the forms of laws we erect ourselves are of the same height as those that have been erected against our students our osteopathic colleges get. It is all right to have high standards which are artificial and unnecessarily rigorous, but that is a vastly different thing from the establishment of standards which are so high, merely to cut down student attendance, and accordingly the American Medical Association is urging, and which have actually been adopted in a number of states, to take effect in a short time, we can very readily see the results which will happen upon us, and by that I mean upon us. For if you think it is so much that doubtless there are some in the profession who think that I am unduly alarmed, if you think of the situation, that to put the control of regulation in the hands of people who are trying to do that is putting the opportunity in their hands to cut down our student attendance. It should be quite obvious that if we want the greater we can keep control of regulation in the hands of our own people, the greater we have for preventing unreasonable standards being put upon our own people.

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Dear Doctor:
I have sent patients to OTTAI and have been a guest there myself this past summer. I know the climate of Asheville, the care, methods and plans of OTTAI. It is "a little bit of heaven," beautifully simple and simply beautiful! The visit is so new that you have not yet seen it. For the young and beautiful, the world of Asheville is a place to see. In this sense, it is a "High School education" which should be included in the physics, chemistry and biology, while the requirement, an attempt of which is being made, will result, in all of our states if the same requirements existed in every state as in New York, and when you think that to have those in New York are as set high as the student-curriculum requirements which the American Medical Association is urging, and which have actually been adopted in a number of states, to take effect in a short time, we can very readily see the results which will happen upon us, and by that I mean upon us.

This knowledge enables me to endorse OTTAI and the work of Dr. Meacham. I hope it grows and grows and grows.

(Signed) Elizabeth L. Broach, D. O.
Chairman Public Health, 5th Dist., A.O.A.,
Atlanta, Ga.

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A NEW YEAR'S MEDICATION

W. Oscar Millott, D. O., Toronto, Canada

"There is no sympathy with Materia Medica for Therapeutic purposes."
Let our profession adopt this significant text, which headed the December "Osteopathic Truth," as our slogan for nineteen eighteen.

Our profession has placed before us many constructive ideas relative to the future of a Greater Osteopathy demanding the most profound thought and interest of our profession. This motto is not one of the least.
We must recognize this age as one of great and unexpected events. Few are victories—many are calamities, equally true of social reforms as of state and military.
As we begin our professional life of this momentous age, every osteopath should meditate upon his responsibility to his science, the relation of Osteopathy to modern therapies, and of our future without the presence of our prophet Dr. A. T. Still. This is a time of meditation.

The passing of Dr. A. T. Still places the responsibility of Osteopathy's future upon each one of us as his disciple. We will establish the event of his death as a milestone in a great advance of our science, or will history record his passing as the climax of a crumbling theory?
So we are beginning the new year facing greater responsibilities and new danger. Insidious attempts are being made to divert true osteopathic ideals in college and legislative demands. The medical legislative experts are endly pressuring out of an impossible college and state requirements, ostensibly intended to equalize the two professions, but practically to throttle Osteopathy. Our position is better without a law which gives the medics the leverage of shut-out requirements.
And we are afforded with the unjust preferences in the doctoring of osteopathic and students. It is in the interest of all physicians and legislative matters and rush up recruits in state requirements, ostensibly intended to destroy them. Did any medical or political force thus demand that HIS GOSPEL AND TEACHINGS SHALL BE UPHELD.

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BUILD INSTITUTIONS

There is a great demand for institution
al development. We have been too busy
with our individual practice to give great
attention to how we have advanced in this
respect the past five years. The announce
ments in our various publications speak
for our improvement. Pennsylvania has lent
money to osteopathic colleges, which is a monument to our science as is the medical collec
tion in New York City. But we should all
study the institutions in which we are now
in with the same spirit of excellence and
endurance of the pioneers of the past. If we
build better institutions we shall drive
away our adversaries.

GRASP YOUR OPPORTUNITIES

This is the war and its sequel conditions, espe
cially health and death dispensing at various ramifications, is exciting the M. O.'s to cut out every ounce in sale
through a newspaper article. Watch your papers and see that every one of these articles appear grasp the opportuni
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Verily—A Man Has Passed.

The “Old Doctor” we believe when he
will die with the same record as the
“Broader Osteopathy” although
during the passed year.

Again the Grim Reaper has stepped in
from the hands of our adversaries. Dr. C.
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This was the only opportunity Dr.
Dill. M. McCool needed and in his
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he was to be Osteopathy, all under direction of
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TELEPATHIC TRUTH

CARRYING ON

A. L. EVANS, D. O.

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The Western Osteopathic Progressively Osteopathic

Summary

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The Pennsylvania Osteopathic Sanatorium will open its doors for patients on February 15th in York, Pa. Dr. O. O. Bashline is the president and surgeon-in-chief of the sanatorium. The treatment given and recommended by the faculty member consulted, was to place straps of adhesive tape over the vertebral end of the lesioned rib, permanently to keep the posterior rib in place. The sanatorium was on this road and conveniently located for inspection stops.

The sanatorium will be devoted to the cure and treatment of osteopathic disease and hospital cases. Our fees have always been low in consideration of the public. While our sanatorium is new and convenient for inspection stops, we have already treated many cases, and if our work continues as we have expected, we will accomplish a great deal.

The Preliminary Education of the Osteopath was not high. This fact related to the strength and virility of the science, for it proved that the success of the profession was attained by the greatest, and that the body possesses the power to restore to normal health.

This generalization does not apply to the life of Dr. Still. He did not fail to reach a condition of this kind. He had had osteopathic treatment over fifteen years, and while rearing his rib was reduced.

The demonstration revealed a fourth disease, and this is due to a correction of the etiology. A correction first of the dural, second of the spinal, third of the neural, and fourth of the functional, which is due to a correction of the etiology. This is the principle of life, and when one's body is in pain, he should immediately take something, a drug, a treatment, or a cure.

The profession may well blame itself for not having a movement that is destined to raise the profession up into the public eye. We have all fallen short of our duty and our obligation. As we have always had, we have a movement towards the public eye, to keep the good old name of osteopathy before the public eye.
leaving an open door for the chiro, et al., to furnish an increasing demand for drugless physicians they are too stupid or too cowardly to supply.

Osteopathy should stand squarely on its own scientific feet, promulgate its own principles and advance its own ideas, not because some M. D. or Medical Association gives an approving nod but because it is right and right should prevail. It should have its own text books; its professional force should be 100 per cent, since osteopathic, with no taint of dope, and its collegiate courses and length of study should not be lengthened unnecessarily for the purpose of assisting the A. M. A. put us out of business and cutting down the osteopathic output. We should have Independent Osteopathic Examining Boards in every State, with universal reciprocity, and the number of osteopathic schools reduced from 7 to 2 and their faculties consolidated.

Herewith $1.00 subscription to Osteopathic Truth.

Fraternally yours,
A. S. DOWLER.
Panora, Iowa.

THE CALL TO THE COLORS

In the light of the "passing" of the Old Doctor from this to a larger and less hampered sphere of activities, we believe it fitting to re-publish his last great message given to the profession, and to urge all to study carefully the points he covers in it. With marvelous intuition he sensed the chaos within, and the half service so many of his supposed proponents were giving to his great philosophy.

"There is an alarm at the door of all osteopathic schools. The enemy has broken through the picket. Shall we permit the osteopathic profession to be enslaved to the medical trust? As the Father of Osteopathy, I am making an international call for all Simon Pure D. O.'s who are willing to go on the fighting line without being drafted into service.

There will be no trenches in which to hide. This battle will not be a peek-a-boo game. I unfurled the osteopathic flag of freedom over forty years ago. For many years I had to fight the battle alone. For a time I received hearty support from my friends, which I appreciate; but in my declining years my boys and girls have been on the defense instead of the offense. My physical condition will not permit me to take the generalship, so I make this appeal to my children. Every line of the enemy's defense is full of dynamite, so we must have re-enforced support, and put ourselves on the offense. We need at least five thousand generals at the front with their guns loaded with osteopathic wisdom and philosophy, whose truth is stronger than the Rock of Gibraltar. We must weed out the chocolate spines, drones, and misfits, as their support only gets back to us in the way of a boomerang.

Hold up the pure unadulterated osteopathic flag. Do not allow it to be trampled in the mud by the feet of our enemy. By winning this battle we have established the greatest truth unfolded to suffering humanity. Millions of lives can be saved annually. Osteopathy is yet in its infancy. I have only brought forth the principles and truth, which I have turned over to the profession which has the wisdom and enough moral backbone to offer any compromise with the enemy.

Stand behind all legitimate research institutions. Give them your support. The treatment for insanity and results obtained at Macon last year, seem to be nothing more than natural. I have always said that at least twenty-five per cent of all insane cases could be cured by osteopathic treatment, and I am thankful to be able to see this truth demonstrated.

There are other fields of research. May my grand army march on. If we cannot have the pure osteopathic principles taught in our schools, I hope the faithful will rally around the flag and we will build an international school that will offer no compromise unless it is the golden truth.

D. O. mean "Dig On."
(Signed) A. T. STILL,
KIRKSVILLE, MO., AUGUST 1, 1915.

BEHOLD HIM standing upon the battlements of Truth and delivering this great rallying cry which should serve to create a new spirit in the osteopathic army to make it truly representative of this God given philosophy going forth as the Crusaders of old bearing the banner of Truth and the Glad Tidings of healing to all nations and peoples.

Therefore, we re-affirm you our devotion and loyalty, Father Andrew.

Dr. Edgar D. Heist of Kitchener, Ontario says: "Osteopathy with surgery is a complete system of healing."

Dr. W. Arthur Smith of Boston writes: "I am glad to be a subscriber of Osteopathic Truth."

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Looking in the Glass
or
Looking in a Book

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