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CHICAGO DERMATOLOGICAL SOCIETY

CENTENNIAL MEETING

The centennial meeting of the Chicago Dermatological Society will be held on October 5, 6, and 7 of the year 2001. On this 100th anniversary, the Chicago Dermatological Society is very proud of the contributions made to the fund of dermatological knowledge. Through the years, many dermatologists in all areas of the country and the world have trained in Chicago. The CDS has provided a significant portion of that training. Many dermatologists have a special place in their hearts for our Society. The history, growth, and sphere of influence of the Society have given our organization an enviable position in American and world dermatology. To celebrate this event, the Centennial Committee is planning a weekend reunion for all Chicago alumni.

The headquarters of the centennial meeting will be the Drake Hotel on the Magnificent Mile in Chicago. There will be a welcoming reception on Friday night at the hotel. The scientific program on Saturday morning will feature a number of scientific papers about original work or significant contributors made (in the past) by a member of the Chicago Dermatological Society followed by an up-to-date presentation of the current knowledge on the subject. This "Then and Now" theme will underscore our rich heritage of learning and leadership in the medical community.

There will be a centennial banquet on Saturday night at the Chicago Historical Society. The museum will be open for viewing its current exhibits as well as providing an appropriate background to celebrate our history. In addition to a lovely dinner, members and guests will be treated to a video presentation of the last 100 years of the Society. Sunday morning will consist of clinical patient presentations.

A complete history of the Society is being written by Marshall Blankenship, M.D. with anticipated publication. A special issue of *CUTIS* will be edited by Fred Malkinson, M.D. A traveling display of history of the Chicago Dermatological Society will be shown at the centennial meeting, at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology, and at other local, regional, and national meetings.

OUR PRESIDENT

Keyoumars Soltani, M.D. is a native of Iran. Following graduation from the University of Tehran Medical School and completion of military service, he emigrated to the United States. Dr. Soltani did his dermatology residency at Temple University in Philadelphia and completed a year-long USPHS research fellowship at the

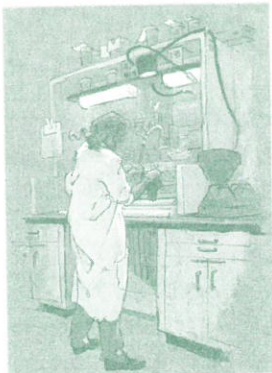
University of Chicago. He joined the faculty at the University of Chicago in 1972, where he currently is a tenured professor in the Department of Medicine, Section of Dermatology, and director of the dermatopathology fellowship program. He also served as the head of the section of dermatology at the University of Chicago for six years. His clinical interests are general dermatology, dermatological surgery, immunodermatology, and cutaneous manifestations of systemic diseases. His research interests are in dermatimmunology, especially bullous dermatoses. He is board certified in dermatology, dermatopathology, and in immunodermatology. His hobbies include classical music, various sports, poetry, and studying languages.

Mark D. Gendleman, M.D.

NEW FACULTY MEMBER AT RUSH

Arthur R. Rhodes, M.D. joined the faculty and staff of the Department of Dermatology at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center in October 1999. He earned his B.A. in chemistry from Wesleyan University in Middletown, Connecticut in 1965. He received His M.D. from the College of Physicians & Surgeons of Columbia University, New York, in 1969. He completed three fellowships: Clinical Medicine at Columbia University, 1969-1970; Medicine at Harvard Medical School, 1970-1972; and Public Health at Harvard University, School of Public Health, 1972-1973, where he earned his M.P.H. Following military service with the U.S. Army Health Services Command in Anchorage, Alaska, from 1973-1975, Dr. Rhodes completed his residency in Dermatology at Harvard's Massachusetts General Hospital, 1975-1978. He was appointed Assistant Professor and promoted to Associate Professor of Dermatology from 1979-1989, followed by his appointment as Associate Professor of Medicine at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine in 1989 where he was promoted to the rank of Professor of Dermatology in 1991.

Dr. Rhodes is Board certified in both Internal Medicine (1972) and Dermatology (1978) and was Director of the Pigmented Lesion Clinic and Melanoma Intervention Program at Pittsburgh, 1989-1999 before joining the Department of Dermatology at Rush. His publications include over 100 articles, abstracts and chapters. He is widely recognized as a distinguished lecturer and educator, and is a member of many prestigious professional and scientific societies. Dr. Rhodes is married to Susan Rhodes, a private school teacher, and they have two daughters who live in Chicago.



COOK COUNTY

NEW RESIDENTS

DEBORAH D. HUEBBE, M.D., was raised in the San Francisco Bay area and received her B.S. from California State University in biological science. She then completed a year of graduate work in biomedical laboratory science. She received her M.D. from The Chicago Medical School and completed an internal medicine internship at Evanston Hospital.

ROBERTA M. O'DEA, M.D., was raised in Arlington, Vermont. She attended Siena College where she received a B.A., majoring in biology and minoring in philosophy. She graduated from Albany Medical College and then completed an internship in internal medicine at The Medical College of Virginia in Richmond, Virginia.

HILLARY SIEBENECK, M.D., was raised in Albany, New York. She received her B.S. from Duke University in biology and economics. She attended Jefferson Medical College and completed her medicine internship at the Medical Center of Delaware.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

JUDY K. CHIANG, M.D., is doing a Mohs surgery fellowship at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee.

REBECCA MILLER, M.D., is in private practice in California.

NATHAN NEWMAN, M.D., is doing a cosmetic surgery fellowship in California.

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

NEW RESIDENTS

ALEX HIRSH, M.D., was born and raised in Cleveland, Ohio and attended Beachwood High School. He did his undergraduate studies at the University of Pennsylvania in the Wharton School of Business. He returned to Ohio for medical school where he attended the Ohio State University School of Medicine. He enjoys working out and participating in athletics. He also loves music — playing, creating, and listening. He plays the piano, and has dabbled a bit with the saxophone, harmonica, and guitar. He also enjoys dining out and sampling all the incredible food that Chicago has to offer, as well as cooking a little bit. He loves to tell jokes and stories, and enjoys making people laugh (or at least trying).

RACHEL QUINBY, M.D., was originally from Cisco, a west Texas town of 35,000 and the home of Conrad Hilton's first hotel. She attended Texas A&M University in College Station and majored in biomedical science. She then attended the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in Dallas. Recently married (March 1999), her husband (also a Southwestern alum) is an orthopedic intern at Northwestern Memorial Hospital. They live in Lincoln Park with their dog, Murphy.

During her free time, she enjoys cooking and going for long walks in the park and along the lake. She has a real passion for art history and is an "evening associate" at the Art Institute of Chicago. Rachel and her husband love to travel. They also greatly enjoy the symphony, ballet, and opera. Last, but certainly not least, she's a dyed-in-the-wool Dallas Cowboys fan.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

REBECCA CUMMINS, M.D., is a pediatric fellow at Children's Memorial Hospital in Chicago.

JEAN-CHRISTOPHE LAPIERE, M.D., is a Mohs fellow at Northwestern University.

RUSH PRESBYTERIAN-ST. LUKE'S MEDICAL CENTER

NEW RESIDENTS

TODD E. PERKINS, M.D., is from Potomac, Maryland. He earned a B.A. in political economy at Tulane University. Todd completed his pre-med requirements at the University of Maryland, and during that time he produced and promoted the Washington Harbour Blues Festival which he used as a vehicle for raising over \$32,000 for the Hospital for Sick Children in Washington, D.C. The following year he added a country music festival. Dr. Perkins completed his M.D. at Hahnemann University during which he was a volunteer at the Hahnemann University Homeless Clinic. Todd completed his transitional year of internship at the Crozer Chester Medical Center in Upland, Pennsylvania. He is married to Megan Leone-Perkins, who is writing her doctoral dissertation for a Ph.D. in educational psychology at Temple University and is manager of Market Research for the American Medical Association in Chicago.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

CLARENCE W. BROWN, JR., M.D., has accepted a one-year Mohs fellowship in Kansas City, Missouri.

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

NEW RESIDENTS

AMY BRODSKY, M.D., graduated from the University of Illinois-Champaign with a B.S. in bioengineering. She attended the University of Chicago for medical school and remained at the U. of C. for her internship. She is married to an attorney and lives on the north side of Chicago.

SCOTT DALE, M.D., grew up in Rochester, Minnesota. He received his B.A. in English literature from Carleton College in Minnesota. After working in business for three years, and living in France for one year, he took pre-med courses while doing neurobiology research at the University of California, San Diego. Scott graduated from the University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine and completed his internship at the University of Chicago as well.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

JASON APPLEBAUM, M.D., is in private practice on Long Island, New York.

JEFF KNISPEL, M.D., is in private practice on Long Island, New York.

MARTIN MILLER, M.D., former dermatopathology fellow, remained with the University of Chicago as a faculty member. He is also in private practice in Arlington Heights.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

NEW RESIDENTS

CHRISTINA R. CAMARA, M.D., grew up in the Phillipines and received her M.D. from the University of the Phillipines. She completed a clinical research fellowship with Virginia Fiedler, M.D., at the University of Illinois prior to completing an internship in pediatrics at the University of Illinois. Her husband is an allergist and clinical immunologist in Joliet and they have two children.

BHAARATI CHITTINENI, M.D., received her M.D. from the University of Illinois at Rockford. She completed her transitional year of internship at Ravenswood Medical Center in Chicago. Her husband is a psychiatry resident at Rush-Presbyterian Medical Center.

TANYA EVANS, M.D., received her M.D. from Loma Linda University Medical Center in California. She completed her internship in internal medicine at Loma Linda University and then went to the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston to complete a clinical research fellowship in dermatology and virology with Stephen Tying, M.D.

JUDY NG, M.D., received her M.D. from the University of California, San Francisco. She completed her internship in internal medicine at Kaiser Foundation Hospital in San Francisco.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

ANGELA DAVIS, M.D., is in private practice in Houston, Texas.

JULIE GOLDBERG, M.D., is in private practice in Skokie, Illinois.

MELVILLE HUGHES, M.D., is in private practice in New York City.

GARY MCCrackEN, M.D., is in private practice in Phoenix, Arizona.

1999-2000 MEETING SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 20, 1999

Samuel Bluefarb Lecture
NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
Allen Bale, M.D.

NOVEMBER 17, 1999

Allan Lorinez Lecture
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
Elaine Fuchs, M.D.

DECEMBER 8, 1998

Silas Wallk Day of Learning
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS
Madeleine Duvic, M.D.

JANUARY 19, 2000

Coding Seminar
LOCATION TBA
Speaker TBA

FEBRUARY 16, 2000

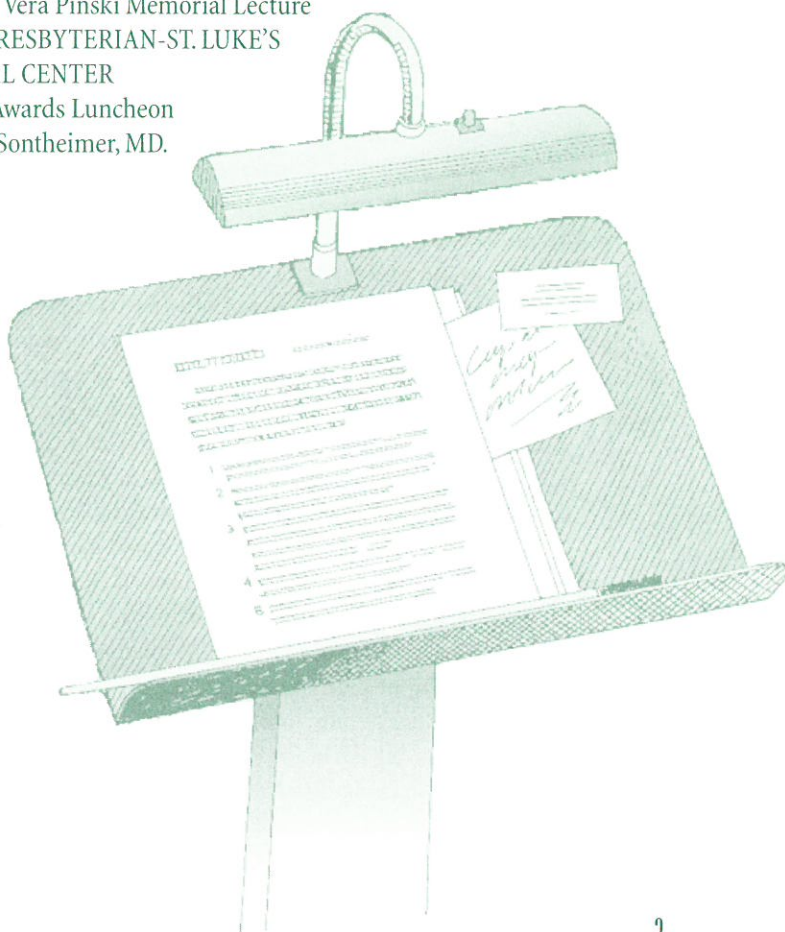
Samuel Zakon Memorial Lecture
COOK COUNTY HOSPITAL
Speaker TBA

APRIL 19, 2000

"Seminars-In-Depth"
Wound Healing and Scar Optimization
LOCATION TBA
Speaker TBA

MAY 17, 2000

Max and Vera Pinski Memorial Lecture
RUSH-PRESBYTERIAN-ST. LUKE'S
MEDICAL CENTER
Annual Awards Luncheon
Richard Sontheimer, MD.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

IDEAL DERMATOLOGY OPPORTUNITY

Dean Medical Center in Madison, Wisconsin has two outstanding opportunities for dermatologists.

Dean is a physician-owned 405 physician multi-specialty group headquartered in Madison, Wisconsin. It offers a full spectrum of dermatologic care, including Mohs Surgery, lasers, phototherapy, patch testing and all aspects of general dermatology. The prospective dermatologists will have the option of practicing in Madison or Janesville, Wisconsin. Janesville is 90 minutes from Chicago, and is a city of beautiful parks, excellent schools, and a near-perfect location for mixing smaller town living with easy access to cosmopolitan culture. Madison is the home of the University of Wisconsin, and the State Capitol, and has been consistently rated the #1 city in the United States because of its booming economy, schools, safe streets, and richly endowed cultural arts.

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JOB MARKET

James Brian Connors, M.D., a dermatology resident at Yale University, is looking for a practice opportunity in the Midwest. Dr. Connors was born in Janesville, Wisconsin (where his family still resides), went to college at the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee, medical school at the Medical College of Wisconsin (AOA), internship at the Mayo Clinic, and is now completing his residency at Yale University in New Haven, Connecticut (where he is chief resident). Because of his background, he would like to settle in either the Chicago area, Madison, Wisconsin, or Milwaukee, Wisconsin. His preference would be a small specialty practice with a plan to eventual partnership. He most enjoys the surgical aspects of dermatology, but has had broad training in medical dermatology, cosmetic dermatology, and phototherapy. He is very interested in a new treatment for Vitiligo consisting of pigment cell transfers. Dr. Connors enjoys travelling, tennis, fishing, canoeing, theater, and concerts. He is a big fan of the Packers and Badgers and looks forward to being closer to his friends and family. Telephone: (203) 773-3054 (usually home after 7 p.m. EST).

ACNE STUDY

The University of Chicago Dermatology Department is

looking for male acne patients to participate in an acne drug study. The study is supervised by Shail Busbey, M.D., and James Shaw, M.D. Subjects must be between the ages of 18 and 35 years old and have moderate to severe acne. The study lasts for six months and the patient will receive up to \$400 for participating as well as free visits and medication. All patients will receive active treatment at some point during the study. The patient must have at least 10 inflammatory papules to qualify for the study. This study could potentially be something to offer to male patients who have failed Accutane or to patients for whom treatment is a financial hardship. Interested patients should call 773-834-2263 (773-834-ACNE).

ILLINOIS DERMATOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The following physicians have contributed to the 1999 voluntary assessment for the Illinois Dermatological Society:

<i>Altman Dermatology Associates</i>	<i>Robert Kolbusz, M.D.</i>
<i>Thomas Andrews, M.D.</i>	<i>Alan Lasser, M.D.</i>
<i>Maira Ariano, M.D.</i>	<i>Anne Laumann, M.D.</i>
<i>Morton Barnett, M.D.</i>	<i>Elizabeth LaVoo, M.D.</i>
<i>Bruce Bennin, M.D.</i>	<i>Mania Levitan, M.D.</i>
<i>Kenneth Bielinski, M.D.</i>	<i>Tebming Liang, M.D.</i>
<i>Thomas Brandon, M.D.</i>	<i>Nancy Lichon, M.D.</i>
<i>Anne Bronner, M.D.</i>	<i>Allan Lorincz, M.D.</i>
<i>Darryl Bronson, M.D.</i>	<i>Karen Maloney, M.D.</i>
<i>Robert Carney Jr., M.D.</i>	<i>Julia Marshall, M.D.</i>
<i>Juliana Chyu, M.D.</i>	<i>Jeffrey Melton, M.D.</i>
<i>Brian Cook, M.D.</i>	<i>Steven Musick, M.D.</i>
<i>John Cox, M.D.</i>	<i>Steven Neubauer, M.D.</i>
<i>Nona Craig, M.D.</i>	<i>Marianne O'Donoghue, M.D.</i>
<i>The Dermatology Center, Ltd.</i>	<i>Amy Paller, M.D.</i>
<i>Irving Distelheim, M.D.</i>	<i>Kevin Pinski, M.D.</i>
<i>David Eilers, M.D.</i>	<i>Kathleen Remlinger, M.D.</i>
<i>Ana Eng, M.D.</i>	<i>Harvey Renziner, M.D.</i>
<i>James Ertle, M.D.</i>	<i>Bryan Schultz, M.D.</i>
<i>John Exner, M.D.</i>	<i>James Seehafer, M.D.</i>
<i>Sam Fayman, M.D.</i>	<i>Robert Septon, M.D.</i>
<i>David Fretzin, M.D.</i>	<i>David Shanker, M.D.</i>
<i>Tony Fu, M.D.</i>	<i>James Shaw, M.D.</i>
<i>Jerome Garden, M.D.</i>	<i>Robert Signore, D.O.</i>
<i>Louisa Gehlmann, M.D.</i>	<i>Burton Silver, M.D.</i>
<i>Mark Gendleman, M.D.</i>	<i>Skin Care Specialists (Joliet)</i>
<i>Paul Getz, M.D.</i>	<i>Carl Soderstrom, M.D.</i>
<i>Harry Goldin, M.D.</i>	<i>Samuel Solomon, M.D.</i>
<i>Arnold Gombiner, M.D.</i>	<i>Keyoumars Soltani, M.D.</i>
<i>James Gregory, M.D.</i>	<i>Stephen Stone, M.D.</i>
<i>James Hermann, M.D.</i>	<i>Christine Sutton, M.D.</i>
<i>Gerta Janss, M.D.</i>	<i>Kent Taulbee, M.D.</i>
<i>Beth Jester, M.D.</i>	<i>Loris Tisocco, M.D.</i>
<i>Lawrence Johnson, M.D.</i>	<i>Neda Tkalccevc, M.D.</i>
<i>John Kalis, M.D.</i>	<i>Raymond Vahl, M.D.</i>
<i>Matthew Kelleher, M.D.</i>	<i>Tina Venetos, M.D.</i>
<i>Irmgard Klib Koehler, M.D.</i>	<i>Gary Vicik, M.D.</i>
<i>Gerald Klingler, M.D.</i>	<i>Sophia Welykyj, M.D.</i>
	<i>Patricia Wyhinny, M.D.</i>

OLIVER SAMUEL ORMSBY, MD (1874-1954)

Oliver S. Ormsby, M.D. was born on March 21, 1874 in Logan, Utah. He graduated from Rush Medical College in 1895 and engaged in general practice in Utah for several years. In 1901 he did further work in London, Vienna and Berlin. While in London he and Dr. J.M.H. MacLeod demonstrated for the first time the tubercle bacilli in a patient with a tuberculid. Upon his return from Europe he became a member of the teaching staff at Rush Medical College in the Department of Skin and Venereal Diseases, working with Drs. Hyde and Montgomery. He held all the academic ranks from Associate in 1901 to Clinical Professor and Chairman of the Department of Dermatology in 1913. When Rush Medical College closed in 1941, Dr. Ormsby became Professor Emeritus (Rush) at the University of Illinois College of Medicine and Chairman Emeritus of the Department of Dermatology at the Presbyterian Hospital.

In 1914 with James Mitchell, MD, Dr. Ormsby assumed the editorial oversight of *The Yearbook of Skin and Venereal Diseases*. In 1915 Dr. Ormsby revised Hyde and Montgomery's textbook, *Practical Treatise on Diseases of the Skin*. Dr. Hamilton Montgomery, son of Frank Montgomery, collaborated from the 6th edition onward. Ormsby and Montgomery was the "bible" for many dermatologists during their residency. Dr. Ormsby, either alone or with his colleagues, produced 96 publications.

It was during his stay in London that the Chicago Dermatological Society was organized. Dr. Ormsby was named a charter member of the Chicago Dermatological Society. He served as Vice-President (1906) and President (1906, 1911, 1933) and in 1952 Honorary President. He was elected to membership in the American Dermatological Association in 1908 and was Secretary from 1914-20, Vice-President in 1920, and President in 1921. Corresponding or honorary memberships were held in the London, Paris, Copenhagen, Vienna, Japan and Greece Dermatological Societies.

In Witten's *Profiles of the Past*, Dr. Maximillian Obermayer said, "When I would try to define the American dermatologist, I would certainly not take Ormsby. He was an authoritarian more in the continental tradition than the local tradition. He impressed me especially with his clinical knowledge and his remembering the literature without looking anything up. I mean when you heard him discuss, sometimes it was just as if from his book. All in his head. He lived and breathed dermatology." Dr. Clark Finnerud remembered that "As everyone knows, he was a wonderful clinician. I personally have never known a finer clinician than Dr. Ormsby. If he saw a case 25-30 years previously, he could remember everything about it and compare it with the case he was now looking at."

Dr. Henry Michelson stated, "Outside of the men in

our local area, probably the man that impressed me the most was Dr. Oliver S. Ormsby of Chicago. I made a few trips to Chicago just to hear Dr. Ormsby give his Thursday lecture to the Rush medical students. He was a short

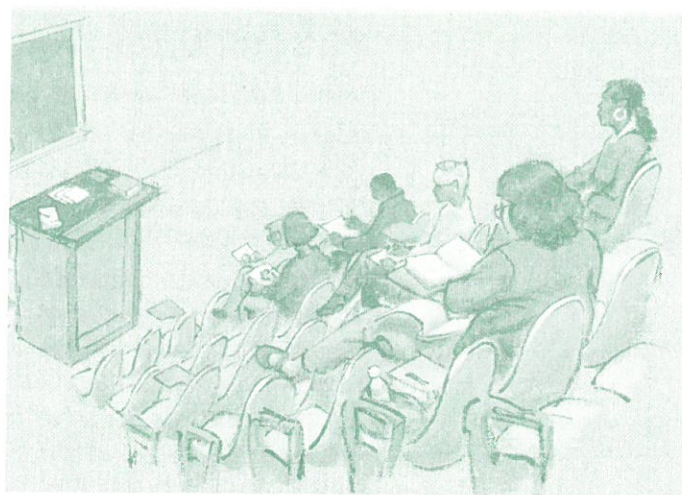
man, very intense, very dignified and when he gave his clinics you knew you were in the presence of a prima donna. He wore gloves. There was no hilarity whatsoever. His orders to his assistants to bring the cases were very much a military manner. His descriptions of diseases were accurate, concise and gave a differential diagnosis. Students were more impressed by Dr. Ormsby's lectures than any other clinical lecturer at Rush Medical College."

Dr. Michelson attended meetings of the Chicago Dermatological Society in Dr. Ormsby's office. He remembered, "Dr. Ormsby took upon himself to see that this meeting was a success. He would bring the cases, have the cases there and from his tremendous practice was always able to bring in interesting things. Although the cases were presented by his assistants, he rarely ever said anything. But he sat there and you could tell he was in complete charge even though he never said a word. It is true."

Dr. Michelson observed that "At the Chicago Dermatological Society, even when Chairman, he rarely if ever made a statement of any sort. Younger men would watch his eyes, watch the expression on his face and tell whether he approved or didn't and when he didn't approve you just didn't carry on any longer along this vein. He had tremendous power. His assistants, none were intimate with him. I don't believe people who lived with him as his associates, any of them, knew him very well."

Dr. Ormsby died April 9, 1954 at the age of 80. He was the last living charter member of the Chicago Dermatological Society. In the memorial to Dr. Ormsby, his colleague Dr. James H. Mitchell stated, "Dr. Ormsby had an uncanny gift for clinical diagnosis. In my many years and long association with him and others, I know of no one who excelled as a diagnostician and very few who equaled him. And as a therapist he was likewise most efficient. Innumerable times I saw him take charge of cases where the diagnosis had been missed and by making a correct diagnosis and applying appropriate treatment bring about a successful termination of troublesome dermatoses."

Marshall Blankenship, M.D.



ABRAHAM KORANSKY, M.D.

Abraham Ralph Koransky died June 27, 1999, at the age of 93, after a brief illness. As his youngest son, I'm honored and proud to have this opportunity to remember him to all who knew him.

As one of eight children of Russian immigrants, his achievements belied his roots. He was a streetwise, fearless adolescent, who took out his aggression on the football field and basketball court at Crane Technical High School. He went to Purdue University, and realized early on that he was inclined toward medicine. He peaked physically as a collegiate football fullback, achieving honorable mention All-American as a senior. He hardly regretted turning down an offer from the Green Bay Packers to play professional football, going to medical school instead at Rush University. He interned at Cook County Hospital, and then, at the height of the Great Depression, found a job as a doctor for a coal mining company in Beckley, West Virginia. Many years later he visited Beckley with my mom, and met many of the people whom he had treated. After five years in Beckley, he came back to Chicago, and completed his dermatology residency at Northwestern University.

In 1941 he was drafted into the Army Medical Corps and was stationed in the Aleutian Islands. He fought at the Battle of Attu in May, 1943, and was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action, as well as a Presidential Citation. He detested the war, and never liked to talk about it. He did, however, meet his wife, Pauline, after being transferred to Hawaii near the end of the war. His will to return to Chicago was strong, so in 1945 he started a private practice at 104 S. Michigan Avenue — later at 3333 W. Peterson. My two older brothers, and my twin sister and I arrived within the span of 2½ years. In 1948, we moved from 54th Street and S. Blackstone to our house in Highland Park, where Mom and Dad lived until the nest emptied in 1975. They then moved to Morton Grove.

My admiration for my father and his profession must have pushed me to follow in his footsteps. My father's life as a dermatologist was, as those of us in solo private practice know, solitary. I know that he was revered by his patients. He loved to share interesting or challenging cases with me, and when I moved to upstate New York to start my practice in dermatology, I was comforted to know that I had only to call him if I needed expert consultation. He was one of the few practitioners who administered X-ray for skin cancer in his office. The Northwestern residents had an annual field trip to his office for his tutelage in this modality. He hardly missed a Chicago Dermatological Society meeting, and was a charter member of the Great Lakes Dermatological Society. I often met him and my mom whenever there were paramedical social functions, and I

was pleased to associate with his colleagues and friends. I also know he could not have done what he did without Pauline. Had he not fractured his hip as a result of a freak accident in 1985, I believe he would have kept working indefinitely. He went to nearly every annual Academy meeting until he couldn't travel anymore, and the one year that mom didn't go with him, I was his roommate.

Dad was a rock solid provider. He was a home body whose family could always count on him. He took us bowling on Sunday, to Arlington Park on Saturdays, to Comiskey Park, Chicago Stadium and Wrigley Field, to Ross-Ade Stadium in West Lafayette for homecoming, and to Florida and Atlantic City for vacations. He spent two weeks every summer as physician-in-residence at Camp Ojibwa in Eagle River, where his sons went to summer camp. He taught me how to play bridge, pinocchle, poker, and how to handicap a horse race. He visited me every summer in Saratoga Springs to visit the race track until he couldn't travel anymore. He loved to listen to opera, and he never said no when I wanted to go to Ravinia Park. He didn't smile or laugh much, but when he did, a feeling of warmth spread through my whole body. A person can be remembered for many things. I'll remember Dad for all the humanity and the skills, both innate and taught, that he gave me. This apple didn't fall far from the tree.

Joel S. Koransky, M.D.
Saratoga Springs, NY

SALVE G. RONAN, M.D.

After a five year long illness, Dr. Salve Ronan passed away at home in the company of family and close friends on September 4, 1999 at the age of 56.

Salve had a life-long love of and commitment to learning — her own as well as others. After completing her M.D. in the Philippines, she displayed her characteristic courage and emotional strength by leaving the comforting presence of her family with whom she was and always remained very close, so that she could pursue her education in the United States. She completed residencies in pathology and dermatology at UIC and was boarded in pathology, dermatopathology, and dermatology. Just last year she was promoted to full professor with well over 100 publications to her credit. She was one of the eight most highly referenced pathologists for her work on melanoma.

Salve's commitment to teaching was legendary among her former dermatology and pathology residents who gratefully acknowledge their indebtedness to her. She was always happy and proud of the residents' presentations before their respective societies. All of us who knew her concur that she seemed to derive her greatest pleasure from teaching. When our society presented her with the Founders Award for excellence in teaching, it touched her deeply.

As her brothers moved to numerous different countries with their work, Salve traveled to spend time with them and their families and explore the world. She loved traveling. She loved dining with family and friends. She loved and was profoundly committed to her family, her friends, her colleagues, her trainees, her work and her ideals. The courage she displayed throughout her illness, especially during the last year, and the fact that she was still working until just a few days before her passing underscore that love and commitment. In the end, Salve taught us about life well-lived. We miss her greatly; our lives are undeniably richer for having known her.

Virginia Fiedler, M.D.

2000 MIDWEST CLINICAL CONFERENCE

The dermatology section of the Midwest Clinical Conference will again be informative and exciting. The conference, sponsored by the Chicago Medical Society, will be held at Navy Pier, February 24-27, 2000. The dermatology section will be on Sunday, February 27, 2000, from 12:45-4:30 P.M., offering 3.5 hours of Category 1 CME credit. This conference is an excellent opportunity to review and refresh your dermatologic knowledge, as well as to attend other specialties' presentations. At the end of this session, participants should be able to identify various neonatal dermatoses; recognize common cutaneous disorders and formulate treatment options; evaluate pigmented lesions; and assess skin neoplasms for malignancy and review sun protection with patients for prevention of skin cancer.

12:45-1:45 p.m. Neonatal Dermatoses

Sue Ann Douglas, M.D., Assistant Professor of Dermatology and Pediatrics, Rush Medical College.

1:45-2:30 p.m. Dermatology for the Primary Care Physician

David S. Pezen, M.D., Clinical Associate Professor, Pritzker School of Medicine, University of Chicago.

2:30-2:45 p.m. Intermission

2:45-3:40 p.m. Skin, Sun and Cancer

Kenneth B. Gordon, M.D., Assistant Professor of Dermatology, Northwestern University Medical School. Dr. Gordon has disclosed interests with JD Searle and Fujisawa USA.

3:40-4:30 Evaluation of Pigmented Lesions

Julie A. Moore, M.D., Assistant Professor of Dermatology, Rush Medical College.

Course director and moderator: Stephanie F. Marschall, M.D., Associate Professor, Rush Medical College.

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