

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
OF NORTH CAROLINA

Sedgefield Inn, Greensboro, North Carolina

October 10-12, 1963

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The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina met at the Sedgefield Inn, Greensboro, North Carolina, for the purpose of interviewing applicants for license by endorsement of credentials and special limited license and other business.

Thursday, October 10th  
8 P. M.

The Board convened for dinner and Drs. Frank Edmondson, President, Joseph J. Combs, Secretary-Treasurer, James E. Davis, H. Lee Large, Jr., W. Boyd Owen, Clark Rodman, Ralph G. Templeton and Mrs. Louise J. McNeill, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, were present.

The members of the Board checked credentials for license by endorsement of credentials and special limited license.

The meeting was adjourned.

Friday, October 11th  
9 A. M.

Applicants for license by endorsement of credentials were interviewed as follows:

RE: Dr. Charles Hall Ashford, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a native of New Bern.

Dr. Edmondson: Where do you plan to practice?

A. Probably New Bern. I am junior assistant resident in Surgery.

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Charles Hall Ashford, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.

RE: Dr. Phillip McKinley Awtrey appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Bowman Gray School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Surgery.

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Phillip McKinley Awtrey was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Bowman Gray School of Medicine.



RE: Dr. Thomas Eugene Breeden appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Charlotte Memorial Hospital.

- Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used narcotic drugs or barbiturates to excess?  
 A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?  
 A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas Eugene Breeden was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Charlotte Memorial Hospital, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary; that he be required to complete the same within two weeks or cease practice until the same are completed. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. Kermit Rupert Brown, native of North Carolina, appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He said that he would practice in Elizabeth City.

- Dr. Edmondson: What type of practice do you contemplate?  
 A. Internal medicine, modified, family physician type of practice, no obstetrics.  
 Q. What have you done since 1959?  
 A. Internship in Winston-Salem, 1960-63 resident in Internal Medicine in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Milwaukee.  
 Q. Where is your home?  
 A. Elizabeth City.  
 Q. Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No, I have not  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Kermit Rupert Brown was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary.

RE: Dr. Martha Ann Mahanes Claxton appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Watts Hospital.

- Dr. Edmondson: How long have you been at Watts?  
 A. Two years previous to that.  
 Q. On what service?  
 A. Pediatrics  
 Q. How many years do you have?  
 A. This year at Watts and hopefully Duke next year, which will complete my pediatric requirements.  
 Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?  
 A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir



Dr. Claxton continued

VERDICT: Dr. Martha Ann Mahanes Claxton was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Watts Hospital.

RE: Dr. John Allen Crook, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Edmondson: I believe you have made contact with Dr. Hunter Moricle of Reidsville.

A. That is right.

Q. When do you complete your work?

A. Three more months, December 31st.

Q. Will that complete your surgical training for your boards?

A. I will be board qualified.

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Dr. Combs: You and Dr. Moricle have come to a definite agreement?

A. Yes sir

Q. You do not think that you may break that and go somewhere else?

A. No sir

Q. You will go January 1st?

A. In January

VERDICT: Dr. John Allen Crook, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.

RE: Dr. Martel Jennings Dailey, native of North Carolina, appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Large: Where have you been?

A. I have been doing general practice in Reedville, Virginia.

Q. Where are you going to practice?

A. Williamston

Q. Have you moved there?

A. Yes sir

Q. What have you been doing?

A. I have not been doing anything.

Dr. Edmondson: Are you going to do solo or with a group?

A. Solo

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Dr. Large: Why did you desire to come back to North Carolina?

A. I have been visiting in that area, my parents live there. I feel like the area offers my children a better opportunity than where I was and I would like to practice in a hospital.

VERDICT: Dr. Martel Jennings Dailey was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.



RE: Dr. Neil Michael De Stefano - See below

RE: Dr. Richard Cary Estes appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Urology.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime. A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Richard Cary Estes was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. Neil Michael De Stefano appeared in May, 1963, and was approved for license by endorsement of credentials when he located in the state for practice. He has now located in Reidsville for the practice of Surgery.

RE: Dr. Robert Hugh Farley appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Large: What have you done since graduation?  
 A. Internship and surgical residency, two years in the Navy as a surgeon.

Q. Where will you locate?  
 A. Greensboro

Q. In Surgery?  
 A. Yes

Dr. Edmondson: When do you contemplate going to work?  
 A. January 3rd

Q. With a group?  
 A. Alone

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

He will be discharged on or about January 1st, 1964.

VERDICT: Dr. Robert Hugh Farley was approved for license by endorsement of credentials if and when he locates in the state for the practice of medicine, within one year.

RE: Dr. Bryan William Fleming, Jr. appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he will be a resident in Surgery beginning November 1st, 1963. He stated that he started at the Veterans Administration Hospital in July and will go to Duke in November.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?  
 A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Bryan William Fleming, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary. (Credentials completed)



RE: Dr. Samuel Earl Forbis, Jr. appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Large: What have you been doing since graduation and what do you plan to do?

A. Interned at Macon, Georgia, one year, in general practice. I intend to go to Lillington.

Dr. Combs: When do you want to move?

A. In January.

Dr. Templeton: Have you made any commitments in Lillington as to property or agreement?

A. It is a verbal agreement. I will be associated with Dr. Kenneth Williford.

Dr. Large: Why do you plan to come to North Carolina?

A. I want to change from Macon, the potential is not as good.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Samuel Earl Forbis, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary and when he locates in the state for practice, within one year.

RE: Dr. Lynn Darcy George applied applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Davis: Where have you been since graduation?

A. Internship D. C. General Hospital, two years in service, two years Surgery residency in Atlanta, two and one-half years in Bristol.

Q. Where will you locate in North Carolina?

A. Blowing Rock

Q. Have you made arrangements?

A. Yes sir

Q. When will you begin practice?

A. This afternoon

Dr. Templeton? Will you be associated in Blowing Rock?

A. Dr. Devant

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Lynn Darcy George was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.



RE: Dr. Thomas R. Giblin appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Plastic Surgery.

Dr. Davis: How long have you been at Duke?

A. Since January, 1963

Q. Where have you been since 1955?

A. Three years in the armed forces, six months in private practice in Alabama, the remainder in residency in Atlanta in General Surgery.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever used harbiturates or narcotcs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas R. Giblin was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine; that if credentials are not completed within two weeks he will be directed to stop his residency until such time as his credentials are in order.

RE: Dr. Oliver M cPherson Going appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials limited to Wake County Memorial Hospital, where he is a resident in Obstetrics-Gynecology.

Dr. Davis: Where have you been since graduation in 1955?

A. Internship Greenville General Hospital, two years residency in Obstetrics-Gynecology, Greenville, Miners' Association in Virginia two years. I was in an automobile accident and out nine months and then moved to South Carolina and worked with Dr. McFadden part time. I then had a re-examination and went with the Miners in Kentucky and then in Raleigh for third year residency.

Q. When did you start at Wake Memorial?

A. June 26th, I came a little early as they were short handed. I do not recall ever getting any information from the hospital about the license.

Dr. Combs: Dr. Going got his credentials in within three weeks and was interviewed by me.

Dr. Davis: How long has Dr. Jack Parker known you?

A. 15-20 years, and he has known the family.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Dr. Davis: Do you contemplate staying in Raleigh for practice?

A. I will need some more Gynecological training and I would like to stay another six months and rotate to Chapel Hill, and will go back to South Carolina.

VERDICT: Dr. Oliver McPherson Going was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Wake County Memorial Hospital.



RE: Dr. John Gregory Guccion appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is assistant resident in Pathology.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used narcotics to excess? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. John Gregory Guccion was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. Carl William Hammer appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Templeton: What have you done since 1935?  
 A. Private practice seven years in Michigan, in the Army, student health work in Bozman, Montana 1945-51, public health Bozmann.  
 Q. Why are you making the move?  
 A. The winters are too long.

Dr. Davis: What will your practice be in Goldsboro?  
 A. Director of Public Health in Wayne County

Q. As of what date?  
 A. August, 1963

Dr. Combs: Have you practiced medicine, examined, prescribed or treated a patient?  
 A. No sir

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Carl William Hammer was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.

RE: Dr. Emil Heller Henning, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He stated that he had been in general practice in Baltimore since 1947 and planned to locate in Sylva or that area.

Dr. Edmondson: What helped you make your decision to come to North Carolina?

A. Several things - Baltimore is a changing community. I live in a neighborhood that has changed. A lot of my patients have been moving away. For five years I have been fighting that to stay even. We live in a large house and my wife has trouble with leg veins. If you move out in the county as most of my friends, you are paying taxes into the city. I have been looking for a place to move, a smaller community. Some neighbors of ours, Mr. Woodward, has been interested in a mica mine near Franklin and has been going there seven or eight years. They like the community and know some of the people. Last summer I went with him and his family and looked around the area. This year I went to Sylva and met with some of the doctors, my wife and I went back in August, they were most cordial to us. I think there is some need there and they feel they would like to have



Dr. Henning continued

me for general practice, with some interest in geriatrics. My family liked it.

Dr. Combs: When do you plan to move?

A. That is not easy to say. It is going to take me a little while to sell my house up there and depending, of course, on your verdict, I can put my house up for sale and would like to come within three to six months.

Q. The Board does not grant license until you move. They can say if you move within one year, license will be granted, and if you wait one year, you may have to appear again.

A. Four-five years ago I made an effort to move on the other side of Baltimore and have been working with a group.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Emil Heller Henning, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when he locates in the state for practice, within one year.

RE: Dr. Paul Edward Henson, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Urology.

Dr. Templeton: Where have you been since 1961?

A. Piedmont Hospital, Atlanta, internship and residency in General Surgery.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Paul Edward Henson, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. Lester Harper Hopkins appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He plans to go to Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Butner. He has been in General Practice in Indiana for 30 years.

Dr. Edmondson: What induced you to decide to come to North Carolina?

A. I got interested in alcoholism. I had to quit my practice. I had a brother who died of alcoholism. I talked to some doctors and was told North Carolina had an up and coming program, was one of two leading states in the United States on its alcohol program, so I wrote. I came down here. They have a good program going.

Q. How far have your plans developed relative to coming to North Carolina?

A. To the point of getting a house if I pass here. I would like to start work Monday or Tuesday.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir



VERDICT: Dr. Lester Harper Hopkins was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.

RE: Dr. John Robert Kindell appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He stated that he planned to practice Pediatrics with Drs. Webb and Peacock at Sea Level.

Dr. Rodman: Where did you do your residency?

A. Mary Hitchcock, Hanover, New Hampshire, 1959, spent three years in Spain, then the Navy Hospital six years.

Dr. Edmondson: Has your service terminated?

A. I will get out December 12th. I can not leave until relieved. I have been looking for a place to practice for six months.

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotids? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Q. It is not the policy of the Board to issue license to a physician until he is sure he is going to locate in North Carolina. If and when you get your discharge from the service, you should notify our office.

VERDICT: Dr. John Robert Kindell was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when he locates in the state for practice, within one year.

RE: Dr. Charles Herschel King appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a board eligible Anesthesiologist.

Dr. Rodman: You are planning on locate in Greensboro?

A. Yes sir

Q. Will you affiliate with either of the hospitals?

A. I plan to affiliate with both, but primarily with Wesley Long.

Q. You plan to practice solo?

A. Yes sir, I have had considerable correspondence, especially with Dr. Warwick at Wesley Long, and he has encouraged me to come.

Dr. Davis: You will get privileges at Cone Hospital?

A. Yes sir, I hope so.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. Not at all

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any trouble with any examining board? A. No

Q. When do you plan to go to Greensboro?

A. Shortly after November 1st

VERDICT: Dr. Charles Herschel King was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.

RE: Dr. Maurice Klopper appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Psychiatry.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No



VERDICT: Dr. Ralph Maurice Klopper was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. Clinton Robert Lincoln appeared with incomplete credentials, applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he will be gain his residency in Orthopaedics January, 1964.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Clinton Robert Lincoln was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. William Fred Mayes appeared with incomplete credentials, applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He has accepted the position as dean of the School of Public Health, University of North Carolina.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. William Fred Mayes was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. John Milton Miller, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Bowman Gray School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Medicine.

Dr. Miller: I would like to apply for a permanent license. I would like to practice in North Carolina.

Dr. Combs: How much training do you have?

A. This year and the next.

Q. You will be advised how you can convert it to full license.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. John Milton Miller, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Bowman Gray School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. Frank Gordon Moore appeared without credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Surgery.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No



VERDICT: Dr. Frank Gordon Moore was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary.

RE: Dr. Thomas J. Moran, Pathologist at Memorial Hospital, Danville, Virginia, appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Rockingham County, North Carolina. He stated that he wished to go to Leaksville to practice Pathology.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas J. Moran was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Rockingham County, North Carolina.

RE: Dr. A. Wendell Musser appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is assistant professor and chief of Laboratories at Durham Veterans Administration Hospital and in charge of the training program in Clinical Pathology at Duke University School of Medicine.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. A. Wendell Musser was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.

RE: Dr. Clyde Norman Owensby appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Owen: Did you get Virginia license?  
 A. Just temporary. I was thinking of going there, but I am not going there.

Q. You interned at Albany and went in service?  
 A. Yes

Q. What have you been doing since your discharge?  
 A. Mainly looking for a place to practice. I had thought about one in Virginia, looked it over and decided I would not. I found a good spot at Matthews.

Q. Where did you look?  
 A. Hopewell, Hot Springs, Covington. We went all over. Before I got out of service we looked about a month and three weeks after.

Q. Were you pretty interested in any location in Virginia?  
 A. No, I applied to the Virginia Medical Care for replacement and followed up on those. None of them seemed to work out very well, either racial situation or school situation, the general economy of the whole state.

Q. Was your family with you?  
 A. I had a little camper and took all the children with me, camped out and stayed in motels. We had a good time. It was more or less a vacation.



Dr. Owensby continued

Dr. Owen: In Hopewell did you talk to anyone in particular?

A. Yes sir, Dr. Youngblood and Dr. Bowyer. They wanted a partner. I promised I would come to see them, I went to see them on the week-end. The senior partner wasn't there and they asked us to stay. They put us up in a motel. We liked it, but there was no house. I worked in their office four-five days and met all the medical people in town. After awhile I felt there would be too much personality clash between myself and the senior partner and I was a little bitter about dictatorship in service, not having free rein. So I told them I did not want it.

Q. Did you tell them you would tak it?

A. I did then, I would probably take it August 1st, then on the way back to Florida to my wife's home we were talking about the negative prospects of Hopewell and the partnership and we decided, I decided it would be better if I went on my own and in the future take a partner in myself instead of going in with someone.

Q. Did you draw a contract or have contract made out?

A. I was to have it when I returned August 1st. I was to sign it then. I did not sign anything before I left. We were to work the contract out. He gave me a figure on the salary. We could not find any house. After we got away, looking back at it, we decided we would not be happy.

Q. You practiced there?

A. Just in his office, saw his morning patients, sometimes stayed all day.

Q. Did you get any compensation?

A. I felt I was stay ing in a motel at his expense.

Q. He said he would pay your way?

A. The younger partner said they would put us up in the motel since we had to wait for the senior partner, which was agreeable with the senior partner.

Q. You were there six days?

A. Yes sir

Q. You are coming to North Carolina to practice?

A. Yes sir, the small community of Matthews, right outside of Charlotte. Another thing, is a place I was needed. I did not think I would fit in a big city where I really was not needed, a small town, some place in the country and raise the children.

Dr. Combs: Was it a verbal agreement when you went to Hopewell, they were going to pay your expenses or do you have a letter?

A. It was verbal.

Q. You said you had a camper. Why was the situation different?

A. They had no place to camp at Hopewell. We had three children and a dog. Usually we stayed in parks. About every third day we stayed in a motel.

Q. When you moved in this motel, it was your understanding that the firm was goingto pay your expenses, when you moved in?

A. I had paid it. Dr. Youngblood's partner came to show me around and said do not worry about the motel because we want you to stay and see.

Q. Is Dr. Youngblood the senior partner?

A. Yes

Q. You are now in Matthews and desiorous of going to work right away?



Dr. Owensby continued

A. Yes sir

Q. You are going to be associated or solo?

A. I have a friend I interned with who is thinking seriously of coming in about two years. I went to see the pharmacist and he is going to supply me with my office and he is going to give the rent free until I start to making money. The town Council has turned out and helped me get some loans. They have one doctor about 76 years old. The other doctor is a woman surgeon, who won't make house calls.

Dr. Large: How did you hear about Matthews?

A. I was traveling in South Carolina, decided to go north, got to Charlotte, called two doctors and they told me about Matthews and I went that day.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Dr. Owen: Have you heard from either Drs. Youngblood or Bowyer?

A. I have not, but I called my mother-in-law to see if I had any mail. I called August 1st to say I decided to do solo practice. I was supposed to start work August 15th.

Dr. Combs: Did you talk to Dr. Bowyer or Dr. Youngblood?

A. I talked with Dr. Bowyer.

Q. Has any claim been made that you should pay your expenses made at the motel at Hopewell?

A. Not that I am aware of. I heard from a friend of mine in Kansas City that he had written to the Florida Board, which burned me up. (See Dr. Youngblood's letter (Copy) to Florida Board of Medical Examiners alleging that Dr. Owensby had incurred expenses while in Hopewell paid by them, had agreed to become associated with him and his partner; that he had broken this agreement and had made no offer to reimburse for expenses paid out for him.) Dr. Owensby was read Dr. Youngblood's letter and made the following statement.

Dr. Owensby: It was right up to the point where he said I told him we were short of money and was asked to pay motel bill. The younger partner was the one who told me that they would pick up the tab and could take it off income tax. They told us to go to this exclusive motel.

Dr. Combs: Did you talk to Dr. Youngblood on the phone on August 1st?

A. No

Q. Did he tell you that you owed him \$180.00?

A. Not at all. When I talked to Dr. Bowyer he was taken aback and said they had legal bill and I told him to send me legal bill. They had my phone and address. We would not have stayed in the motel six days, we did not have much money, I would not with all the family. It was too expensive for me. I did agree to pay the attorney's fee, I was sorry about that. They have not contacted me about that. All my mail has been forwarded from Florida. I think he was upset when I did not practice with them, but I did not want to make a mistake.



Dr. Owensby continued

Dr. Edmondson: Do you think you can clear up this misunderstanding?

A. Yes

Q. I do not think it is well for a beginner in medicine to have this type of accusation against him.

A. I will get in touch with him right away. He said he would give me a leeway of two weeks after August 1st.

Dr. Combs: When did you leave Hopewell?

A. Around July 25th and arrived in Tampa August 1st. We went to the mountains in Asheville. I knew another person in Columbia and we went there to contact these people to talk to them.

Dr. Davis: You knew several days prior to that you would not be in Hopewell on August 1st?

A. Yes sir. We were still seesawing back and forth. We even thought about going there a year or two.

Q. You did not feel any obligation to make a final decision before August?

A. No, he was not expecting me to work until August 15th.

Dr. Rodman: Had you looked for a house?

A. We looked.

Q. You did not make any decision?

A. We could not find any.

Dr. Combs: Was the contract entirely salary?

A. For a year, then percentage.

Dr. Owen: Did you do most of the negotiating with Dr. Youngblood?

A. Both of them

Q. Do you think Dr. Youngblood knew Dr. Bowyer told you he would take care of this motel?

A. I do not believe he did or I do not believe he would feel I owed him the money. He might want to interpret it though.

Dr. Davis: Do these men have equal status in the partnership?

A. No sir, Dr. Bowyer has almost no say so in the partnership. That is one reason that made me think I would not want to go. It was going to be a very restricted contract.

Dr. Rodman: When did you first go to Hopewell?

A. About July 19-20th.

Dr. Edmondson: Do you think you can satisfy this group and have Dr. Youngblood write Dr. Combs as to the decision you have come to?

A. I think so. If he feels this way, I might pay all the expenses, I do not want to, to have a clean slate.

Action was deferred until another session of the Board.

(See p 285 these Minutes)



RE: Dr. David Lee Pearsey appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Otolaryngology.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No  
 Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. David Lee Pearsey was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. Charles Edwin Powe, Jr. appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials.

Dr. Owen: How long have you been at Hartsville?

A. Since January 1st, almost a year.

Q. You are planning to relocate?

A. I plan to go to Charlotte.

Q. With anybody?

A. Will rent space from Dr. Pinckney Rankin. I will not be associated.

Dr. Large: Obstetrics-Gynecology ?

A. Yes

Dr. Combs: When will you start practice?

A. I hope to begin January 1st. I want to arrange about closing out. I am in a partnership and he plans to relocate. We plan to leave together.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever taken barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Dr. Edmondson: We would like to be sure that you are going to move to North Carolina.

A. I have made final arrangements with Dr. Rankin, made last week. It is at 225 Hawthorne Lane.

VERDICT: Dr. Charles Edwin Powe, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary. (Credentials completed.)

RE: Dr. Carl Frederick Root appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He stated that he had accepted a position as county physician at Fayetteville.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever taken barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with an examining board? A. No

Dr. Davis: When do you desire to go to work?

A. I am packed and ready to go. I have to find a place to live.

Q. Your appointment is applicable to when you can go?

A. The clinic has not been run for a year.

VERDICT: Dr. Carl Frederick Root was approved for license by endorsement of credentials.



RE: Dr. Robert Leo Stuber appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is assistant chief of Laboratory Service at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Durham. He said he had talked about going to Burlington, but had not made any decision.

Dr. Davis: You do think you will practice in the state?

A. I may stay at Duke, the two departments at the Veterans Administration and Duke are combined. Currently I am on the staff at the Veterans Hospital.

Dr. Edmondson: You are board certified?

A. In Anatomical and as of next July 1st I will be certified in Clinical.

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Robert Leo Stuber was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. Henry Ray Sturkie, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He stated that he planned to practice Obstetrics and Gynecology in Winston-Salem.

Dr. Davis: Are you board certified?

A. I will be eligible next year.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Dr. Combs: When do you plan to begin practice?

A. I finish my Air Force obligation next June.

Dr. Combs: You are applying for license by endorsement for next June?

A. Yes

Dr. Davis: Have you made definite arrangements?

A. Semi-definite arrangements for solo practice.

Dr. Edmondson: It is the policy of this Board to issue license contingent upon your making up your mind to definitely come to North Carolina. If you would notify our office when you have made definite plans, if the Board sees fit, it can issue license then. If it goes beyond a year you might have to make another appearance.

A. I have definite plans. I am dickering for an office.

Dr. Combs: You will be notified something definite so you can make your plans.

VERDICT: Dr. Henry Ray Sturkie, Jr. was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when he locates in the state for practice, within one year.



RE: Dr. Joel Richard Temple appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Medicine.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. I have used barbiturates.

Dr. Combs: On order of a doctor or your own volition?

A. I have used about 100 barbiturates.

Dr. Davis: Not habitually? A. No

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Joel Richard Temple was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.

RE: Dr. James Joseph Thomas appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He stated he had accepted the position as medical director of the Western Carolina School, which is being organized.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q. Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. James Joseph Thomas was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. James William Thompson appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Surgery.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotics? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. James William Thompson was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, contingent upon completion of credentials within two weeks or case practice until requirements are met. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. Jon Paul Tipton appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Medicine.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Jon Paul Tipton was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine.



RE: Dr. Roy Wesley Vandiver appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Neurosurgery.

Dr. Vandiver stated that he had not received his military discharge and he presented his card showing honorable military service.

Dr. Edmondson: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board?

A. No sir

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No sir

VERDICT: Dr. Roy W. Vandiver was approved for license by endorsement of credentials, limited to Duke University School of Medicine, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the secretary, contingent upon completion of credentials within two weeks or cease practice until requirements are met. (Credentials completed)

RE: Dr. Bruce Enzor Walls appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He stated that he planned to enter the private practice of Psychiatry in Winston-Salem.

Dr. Edmondson: Where have you been since finishing residency?

A. Two years at Fort Bragg, 1957 Department of Mental Health, State of Tennessee, Superintendent of Tennessee Psychiatric Hospital and Institute. For the last three years I have done primarily administrative work.

Q. Have you ever had any difficulty with any examining board? A. No

Q. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No sir

Q. Have you ever used barbiturates or narcotic drugs? A. Never

Dr. Templeton: What caused you to change your location?

A. This is nothing new. For the past five years we have discussed it. I was raised in Greensboro. The first time this year I was able to sever my connection with the Department of Mental Health and get out of state work. I interned in Winston-Salem and we have friends there.

Dr. Combs: You stated you never used alcohol to excess? Has there ever been any conflict between you and the law in regard to alcohol?

A. I was arrested last year and charged with driving drunk and found not guilty.

Q. Was there any other charge?

A. The only other one was failure to report an accident.

Q. Was there any question of public drunkenness?

A. It was at my home. I do not remember any charge about that.

Dr. Templeton: Was there anything about this making the change?

A. I think the charge the doctor referred to hastened my decision six months before I was planning to. I planned to stay until it was operating well. There was a good deal of publicity, an excessive amount. I was not asked to resign.



Dr. Walls continued

Dr. Edmondson: What is your feeling toward alcohol? Do you drink regularly or to excess?

A. For the past six months I have drunk practically nothing. I had hepatitis in 1957 and it is not to my best interest. I drink an occasional beer, practically no hard liquor. I have never considered it to excess, no treatment has ever been given me or recommended.

Dr. Large: What had you been drinking?

A. It was in February, it was my day off. I had been drinking vodka. The accident involved occurred eight hours before as I left the hospital, at which time I had not been drinking. It was a heavy downpour and the car slipped over the road and hit a lamp post. I walked on home and did not notify the police. It was the next morning I was having a wrecker pull it out when the police came. It was clearly proven I was not driving while intoxicated.

Dr. Owen: Why did they charge you?

A. The officer told me later it was assumed the accident had just occurred. I had had a drink then, it was my day off, I was going to work on taxes. A friend was with me. I was not driving and had no intention of driving.

Dr. Combs: What time did you take those drinks?

A. When I got up, before breakfast. This was very rare.

Dr. Rodman: Did they carry out analysis test?

A. Yes, used a breath analyzer and it indicated about to be inebriated.

Q. Did you pay a fine?

A. \$100.00 fine on charge of drunkenness and failure to report an accident. The other charge was dismissed. The only thing I can say regarding this is the extensive publicity was because of the position I was in. A newspaper reporter told my secretary they had been told to build this up big. A new administration had come in in Tennessee. We had had a great deal of pressure put on us to get it operating.

Q. This is the only instance you have had in court?

A. The first time I was ever arrested in my life.

Dr. Edmondson: This Board frowns on excessive use of alcohol for the best of practice of medicine. We hope that it will not recur if you work in North Carolina.

A. I can assure you it will not. It was an isolated instance.

Q. When do you want to go to work?

A. After the first of the year. I am waiting for my children to finish the first semester in school.

Q. What definite arrangements have you made to come?

A. I plan to sign this week-end for office space. Dr. Proctor has intimated I will have automatic appointment at Bowman Gray.

Q. It is the policy of this Board not to issue license until an individual has made definite arrangements to come to North Carolina to practice.



Dr. Walls continued

- A. My home is for sale in Memphis at the present and we are negotiating for purchase in Winston-Salem and all that remains is to draw up the contract.

The Board deferred action on Dr. Bruce Enzor Walls until a later session. (See p 287 these Minutes)

The meeting adjourned.

October 11th  
2:00 P. M.

APPLICANTS FOR SPECIAL LIMITED LICENSE - HOSPITAL RESIDENTS

RE: Dr. Elizabeth P. Kanof, graduate of the New York University, Bellevue, in 1960, appeared applying for special limited license to Duke University School of Medicine, where she is a resident in Dermatology, for which she was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Michael H. Leakan, graduate of the University of Maryland in 1960, appeared applying for special limited license to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Pathology, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. James D. Mallory, Jr., graduate of Duke University School of Medicine in 1958, appeared applying for special limited license to Duke University School of Medicine, where he will be a resident in Psychiatry, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Stanley Sylvester Moles, graduate of Duke University School of Medicine in 1959, appeared applying for special limited license to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a fellow in Medicine, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Jerome Ruskin was granted special limited license to Duke University School of Medicine in 1961. He is now applying for reinstatement of this special limited license as he has returned to Duke. He was not required to appear at this time. Dr. Ruskin was approved for special limited license on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Melvin M. Scheinman, graduate of Albert Einstein College of Medicine in 1960, appeared applying for special limited license to the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Medicine, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Henry P. Stockwell, graduate of McGill University in 1961, appeared applying for special limited license to Charlotte Memorial Hospital, where he is a resident in Pediatrics, for which he was approved on an annual basis. Dr. Stockwell presented exchange visa.

RE: Dr. David B. Swift, graduate of Harvard University School of Medicine in 1962, appeared applying for special limited license to the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, where he is a resident in Psychiatry, for which he was approved on an annual basis.



RE: Dr. Dorothy L. Woods, graduate of Duke University School of Medicine in 1957, appeared applying for special limited license to Dorothea Dix Hospital, where she is a resident in Psychiatry, for which she was approved on an annual basis.

Dr. Edmondson: This special limited license is to cover your residency. You will not be eligible for narcotic tax stamp and can not be converted to full license. It has to be renewed annually.

APPLICANTS FOR SPECIAL LIMITED LICENSE - FOREIGN MEDICAL GRADUATES - HOSPITAL RESIDENTS

RE: Dr. Jeanne Dulas Harbour, graduate of the University of Paris in 1947, appeared applying for special limited license to the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, where she is a resident in Psychiatry, for which she was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Sushil S. Lacy, graduate of the Madras University, India, in 1959, appeared applying for special limited license to Duke University school of Medicine, where he is a research fellow in Surgery, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Asuncion Palafox Lazaro, graduate of Manila Central University, Philippines in 1952, appeared applying for special limited license to Lincoln Hospital, where she is a resident, for which she was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Hiroshi Mori, graduate of Nippon Medical School in Japan, 1953, appeared applying for special limited license to Duke University School of Medicine, where he is a fellow in Endocrinology, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Shrihari Shripad Sakhadeo, graduate of Poona University, India, 1961, appeared applying for special limited license to Watts Hospital, where he is a resident in Pediatrics, for which he was approved on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. Gilbert Silverman, graduate of the University of Berne, Switzerland, 1960,

Dr. Edmondson: The special limited license will cover you as a resident, you will not be eligible for narcotic tax stamp and the special limited license can not be converted to full license. It must be renewed annually.

RE: Dr. Macelino Amaya, graduate of the University of Mexico in 1955, appeared applying for special limited license to the State Hospitals to cover him as staff physician until he is able to obtain license. He is a child psychiatrist and is at Murdoch Center. He was interviewed by the secretary June 26th, 1963, and granted the privilege of beginning work until he could appear at this time. He presented immigrant visa. He also petitioned for the privilege of taking the written examination in 1964.

Dr. L. R. Kroner appeared with Dr. Amaya and stated that they understood Dr. Amaya could not remain on the staff after the first opportunity to take the written examination; that he could not remain unless he takes and passes the examination.



VERDICT: Dr. Marcelino Amaya was approved for special limited license to the State Hospitals until he can take the written examination at the first opportunity and pass the same.

Dr. Joseph J. Combs moved that Dr. Marcelino Amaya be granted the privilege of taking the written examination in June, 1964. This motion was duly seconded and passed unanimously.

RE: Biennial Registration - Reinstatement- The licenses of the following physicians were suspended for failure to register as required by General Statutes of North Carolina 90-15.11 and they have now registered:

Dr. Jack P. McDaniel  
 Dr. Clyde Bolyn Cox, Jr.  
 Dr. Saul Boyarsky  
 Dr. Joseph Edward Donlan  
 Dr. William Paxton Parker, Jr.

VERDICT: RESOLVED that the medical licenses of the above physicians be reinstated.

RE: Dr. Saul Boyarsky was granted license by endorsement, limited to Duke University School of Medicine in 1951, to cover him as a resident. He then left Duke and has been practicing out of the state. Dr. Boyarsky is now applying for conversion of limited to full license. He appeared and stated that he is at present at the Veterans Administration Hospital.

Dr. Edmondson: What do you contemplate doing?

A. I plan to practice at Duke Hospital and the Veterans Administration Hospital in Urology.

Dr. Large: What have you been doing in the meantime?

A. Practicing in New York, teaching at Albert Einstein.

VERDICT: Dr. Saul Boyarsky was approved for conversion of limited to full license.

RE: Dr. Edward Everard Low was granted special limited license in September, 1956 to the University of North Carolina School of Medicine to cover him as a resident. He later transferred to the State Hospital to continue his training. He is appearing at this time petitioning for renewal of his special limited license and the privilege of taking the 1964 written examination.

Dr. Edmondson: What is your position?

A. Clinical Director of the Female Service at Broughton Hospital.

Q. How long have you been there?

A. Since 1959

Q. What is your status as to your presence in the United States?

A. At the present time I have a bill, a private bill, pending in Congress to see if I could establish a permanent residency. Senator Irvin reintroduced the bill in January. I have no information as to when it will come up. The last communication was I did not apply for renewal of my special limited license.

Q. Under your present status I do not believe you are eligible to take our state board examination. I think there is no choice by this Board to consider your special limited license on an individual basis since your status in this country is not classified. When this bill is acted upon, will that put you in a position to apply for naturalization?

A. That is what I understand. If at such time, could I be considered for reciprocity?



Dr. Low continued

Dr. Combs: All graduates of foreign medical schools are required to take our examination in the State of North Carolina.

A. If the bill goes through it means that I can remain in this country as a permanent resident.

VERDICT: Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. moved that Dr. Edward Everard Low's special limited license be extended until such time as he can take the June, 1964 examination and the results of the examination are determined; secondly, that the secretary be instructed to advise Dr. Low to process his credentials that would be necessary to take this examination in the event the bill is passed, to put him on immigrant status; that if for any reason he does not take or pass the 1964 examination special limited license to be terminated; that he would have to terminate his service. This motion was duly seconded and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Gaston J. Robau, graduate of the University of Havana in 1946, appeared petitioning for the privilege of taking the June, 1964 written examination.

Dr. Edmondson: Where are you now employed?

A. At the Veterans Administration Hospital, Durham.

Q. For how long?

A. Five months

Q. What service?

A. Chief of the Out-patient Service

Q. What are your plans relative to practice in North Carolina?

A. I plan to engage in general practice.

Q. You have no intention to go back to Cuba?

A. I do not think so.

Q. You wish to petition to take our examination in June, 1964"

A. Yes, that is correct.

Dr. Robau presented immigration card and the photo thereon was compared with the one on file.

VERDICT: Dr. Clark Rod,an moved that Dr. Gaston J. Rabou be granted the privilege oftaking the written examination in 1964, the same to be limited geographically. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. Ralph G. Templeton and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. James B. Wheless was requested by the secretary, as per the instruction of the Board at its July meeting, to appear at this time for an interview on account of narcotic addiction. The secretary presented letter from the superintendent of Dorothea Dix Hospital with regard to Dr. Wheless' treatment there. Dr. Wheless failed to appear at this time. (See p. 289 these Minutes)

RE: Dr. Joseph E. Donlan was licensed in North Carolina October 8th, 1951, at which time he was in public health service in Murphy. On March 3rd, 1962 his license to practice medicine in the State of New York was revoked because of his being an habitual drunkard. The execution of revocation was stayed and he was placed on probation for a period of three years. One of the terms of probation requires Dr. Donlan once in three months to submit to a physical examination by a physician selected by him and approved by that department; that each



Dr. Donlan continued

examination should disclose that he continued to avoid excessive use of alcohol; that he could not practice outside of the State of New York without permission. The New York Board advised that Dr. Donlan obtained permission to practice outside of New York and would be required to submit his quarterly reports. The Board further advised that he was in Franklin, North Carolina.

Dr. Donlan appeared at the request of the Board and stated he was doing general practice with Dr. Furman Angel in Franklin. He said so far as he knew this would be a permanent stay. The Board advised Dr. Donlan that he would be kept under surveillance and instructed him to forward a copy of the reports made to the New York Board to this office.

RE: Dr. Walkup Kennard McCain, High Point, North Carolina - The secretary reported that report of the State Bureau of Investigation of August 19th, 1963, was received alleging narcotic addiction on the part of Dr. McCain; that he surrendered his narcotic tax stamp on August 12th, 1963 for two years. The secretary also reported that as of October 2nd Dr. McCain was at Appalachain Hall undergoing treatment.

VERDICT: The Board instructed the secretary to request Dr. Walkup Kennard McCain to appear at the January, 1964 meeting.

RE: Dr. Grayson S. Waldrop was convicted in the County Court of the County of Westchester, State of New York, upon his plea of guilty to an indictment charging the crime of abortion, on March 1st, 1963, and on this basis on May 23rd, 1963 Dr. Waldrop's license to practice medicine in the State of New York was revoked.

Dr. Waldrop was licensed to practice medicine in this State on September 30th, 1946.

VERDICT: Dr. James E. Davis moved that Dr. Grayson S. Waldrop be subpoenaed to appear at the next meeting of the Board of Medical Examiners in January, 1964, to show cause why his license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina should not be revoked on the basis of his conviction of performing a criminal abortion in the State of New York. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

RE: California College of Medicine - This school became an accredited medical school effective February 15th, 1962, as a result of official action of the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association and the Executive Council of the Association of American Medical Colleges. As a result of this action the graduating class of June, 1962, would be the first to be recognized as graduates of an accredited medical school. This school was previously the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

VERDICT: Dr. Ralph G. Templeton moved that no physician who has received an M. D. degree from the California Medical College before February 16th, 1966 will be eligible for license in the State of North Carolina. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. James W. Skaggs, Jr., Charlotte, North Carolina - Following an arrest of a known narcotic addict by the State Bureau of Investigation, as per report to the Board of August 23rd, 1963, it was ascertained that Dr. Skaggs had prescribed a narcotic drug, marked to refill two times; that Dr. Skaggs stated that the patient had complained of kidney stones and examination indicated blood in the urine; that he pre-



Dr. Skaggs continued

scribed dilaudid; that he usually marks his prescriptions to be refilled twice. It was noted that he had written prescription for the same patient for dilaudid on August 5th, 1963 and again on August 7th, 1963, for the same drug and amount; that Dr. Skaggs aid he didn't mean to write this prescription so soon; that he had assumed it was to cover the refill as the patient stated he had refilled the prescription.

VERDICT: The Board of Medical Examiners directed that the secretary notify Dr. James W. Skaggs, Jr. of his violation of the narcotic laws.

RE: Dr. Daniel W. Rader - (See previous Minutes) - Dr. Rader was granted special limited license to Dorothea Dix Hospital in October, 1962, where he was a resident in Psychiatry. He is continuing his training there and has applied for renewal of his special limited license. He has been recommended by Dr. W. A. Sikes, Superintendent of that hospital. (See file for further information)

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph J. Combs moved that Dr. Daniel W. Rader's special limited license to Dorothea Dix Hospital be renewed on an annual basis.

RE: Dr. A. Hugh Altvater again failed to amke a passing average on his written examination in June, 1963, and has applied to have his special limited license to Bowman Gray School of Medicine renewed. He has not furnished letter of recommenation from his chief of service. Action deferred to a later session. See p. 289 these Minutes.

RE: Renewal Special Limited License for the following on an annual basis:

University of North Carolina  
School of Medicine

Dr. Albert A. Bechtoldt, Jr.  
Dr. Ronald C. DeConti  
Dr. Herbert S. Gross  
Dr. Richard D. Knapp

Bowman Gray School Medicine

Dr. Gerard M. Cerchio

Duke University School of Medicine

Dr. Yihong Kong  
Dr. Robert H. Sauer  
Dr. Peter P. E. Schuntermam

Charlotte Memorial Hospital

Dr. Tatsuo Watanabe

The Minutes were approved as read.

The meeting was adjourned.

Saturday, October 12th  
9 A. M.

RE: Dr. Clyde Norman Owensby - (See pp.255-261 these Minutes)-  
VERDICT: Dr. Clark Rodman moved that Dr. Clyde Norman Owensby be granted license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina and suggested that the matter between him and Dr. Youngblood be settled amicably; that the office of the secretary notify Dr. Youngblood that we have heard the situation, that he has been granted license and give him Dr. Owensby's address. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. Joseph J. Combs and carried by a vote of five. Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. abstained from voting.



RE: Dr. Bruce Enzor Walls -(See pp. 271-275 these Minutes)-  
 VERDICT: Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. moved that Dr. Bruce Enzor Walls be granted license by endorsement of credentials to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. James E. Davis and passed by a vote of four.

RE: Board of Chiropractic Examiners of the State of California -  
 The secretary presented letter from the secretary of this board requesting copies of past examination questions by this Board.

VERDICT: Dr. W. Boyd Owen moved that the secretary of this Board advise the Board of Chiropractic Examiners of the State of California that he has been instructed not to furnish examination questions to other than physicians who are prospective candidates for its examination. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. James E. Davis and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Carl A. Kline, deceased - The secretary presented letter from an attorney at law representing the widow of Dr. Kline, requesting that his fee for license by endorsement be refunded. Dr. Kline was granted license on June 19th, 1962 and he expired in July, 1962. This Board was informed on July 11th, 1962 by Dr. Kline's prospective associate in North Carolina that he had expired. At that time his license had been processed, all records completed, and his license certificate forwarded. The secretary also advised the Board that he had written Mrs. Kline on June 5th, 1963, in response to letter from her, that upon consultation with the Board's attorney and auditor, he would be unable to make any restoration of fee paid.

VERDICT: Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. moved that the secretary express regrets to Mrs. Carl A. Kline and advise that the Board can not legally refund fee paid by Dr. Carl A. Kline. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. James E. Davis and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. T. H. Millman, Leaksville, North Carolina - The secretary presented the following to the Board:

That in 1956 report was received from the Rockingham County Medical Society alleging unethical advertising on the part of Dr. Millman, at which time he was interviewed by the Board.

That a report was made in July, 1963 to the office of the secretary alleging unethical behavior on the part of Dr. Millman with a mentally sick patient.

That in September, 1963, Dr. Millman was bound over to superior court of Rockingham County for trial for alleged criminal abortion.

VERDICT: Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. moved that the above be received as information; that if Dr. T. H. Millman is convicted in the superior court, the secretary proceed with proper charges, with the advice of the attorney for the Board. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. Clark Rodman and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. James Valentine Thomas - On October 12th, 1962, the Board passed the following judgment: That the license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina heretofore issued to the said Dr. James Valentine Thomas by this Board be revoked, and that execution of judgment be suspended upon the condition that Dr. James Valentine Thomas continue employment in Broughton Hospital, under supervision, and that the terms of this suspension will terminate when Dr. James Valentine Thomas is no longer on the staff at Broughton Hospital.



Dr. Thomas continued

Dr. Thomas was a patient at John Umstead Hospital from December 12th, 1962 to June 22nd, 1963, and then at Appalachian Hall for two weeks. He and his wife have separate. He is now in Florence, South Carolina.

VERDICT: Dr. James E. Davis moved that the secretary be directed to write Dr. James Valentine Thomas and that the action of the Board be spelled out to him that his license stands revoked. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. Clark Rodman and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Charles Irving Fuller, Jr. appeared in May, 1963 petitioning for license by endorsement of credentials from the State of Virginia. He was not eligible for license as his grades on the Virginia written examination did not meet the Board's requirements. Dr. Fuller was given an opportunity to take one or both of these examinations given by this Board in June, 1963, or repeat the subjects given by the Virginia Board, neither of which he has availed himself. The secretary presented another letter from Dr. Fuller, which was received as information.

VERDICT: Dr. James E. Davis moved that the secretary be instructed to refund fee for license by endorsement to Dr. Charles Irving Fuller, Jr., less 10%, and that it be pointed out to Dr. Fuller that it will be necessary that he take a re-examination in Virginia or North Carolina in the subject or subjects in which his grades were below 75%. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. A. Hugh Altvater - (See p. 285 these Minutes)-Dr. W. Boyd Owen moved that if and when letter of recommendation is received from Dr. Altvater's chief of service, that his special limited license be renewed for one year. This motion was duly seconded and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. James B. Wheless - (See p. 281 these Minutes) - VERDICT: Dr. H. Lee Large moved that the secretary investigate the status of Dr. James B. Wheless and if he finds that he has completely ignored the request of the Board of Medical Examiners to appear at this meeting, that the secretary be authorized to subpoena him for the January, 1964 meeting. That if he has a legitimate reason for not appearing, that he be requested to appear at the next meeting. This motion was duly seconded/and passed unanimously.  
by Dr. James E. Davis

RE: Dr. Wiley Royster Young- The Board at its October, 1962 meeting ruled that if Dr. Young take an accredited full three-month post-graduate course in general medicine, it would consider reinstatement of his license to practice medicine. Dr. Young reported to the secretary that he had exerted much effort, but had been unable to obtain the postgraduate course as set out. Dr. Royster appeared at this time.

Dr. Young appeared at this time and stated that he is spending about five hours a day at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Monday, through Saturday, where he is attending lectures and ward rounds. He stated that it is very beneficial to him; that the same was begun September 10th, 1963. (See file for full interview)

VERDICT: Dr. James E. Davis moved that Dr. Wiley Royster Young be told the Board of Medical Examiners is pleased with his attitude and if he continues this educational process, the Board of "Medical Examiners will probably look with favor at the January, 1964 meeting to restoration of his medical license. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. Clark Rodman and passed unanimously. Dr. Young was so advised.



RE: Dr. Leopold Widner applied to the Board of Medical Examiners for license by endorsement of credentials in 1959, at which time he was told that if he were certified by the Educational Council for Foreign Medical Graduates he might petition to take the written examination. No further word has been received from Dr. Widner.

Dr. Howard P. Steiger of Charlotte has written with regard to the possibility of Dr. Leopold Widner obtaining a temporary restricted license for blood bank duty only.

VERDICT: Dr. Ralph G. Templeton moved that the secretary notify Dr. Howard P. Steiger that the only way Dr. Leopold Widner can obtain a license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina is to meet the requirements of the Board of Medical Examiners and obtain the standard certificate of the Educational Council for Foreign Medical Graduates and then take its written examination. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

RE: Stamp Machine - Dr. James E. Davis moved that the secretary be authorized to purchase a stamp machine. This motion was duly seconded and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Robert Foster Castle was granted license limited to the University of North Carolina School of Medicine, to cover him as a resident on the basis of endorsement of credentials in July, 1957. He is now applying for conversion to full license as he has joined the Department of Pediatrics at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine as full time cardiologist.

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph J. Combs moved that Dr. Robert Foster Castle be granted full license. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Norman Moulson was granted license limited geographically on June 18th, 1959, until he could obtain citizenship. He has now submitted evidence of naturalization.

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph J. Combs moved that Dr. Norman Moulson be granted full license. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

The following physicians were granted license limited geographically as they had not obtained citizenship. They have now submitted evidence of naturalization. Each of these physicians are located out of the state:

Dr. Angenieta Anne Biegel  
 Dr. Walter Georg Hertel  
 Dr. Joseph Umbert Toglia

VERDICT: Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. moved that it become a policy of the Board of Medical Examiners to consider conversion of geographically limited license to a full license to practice medicine in North Carolina, provided the licensee is residing in the State of North Carolina. This motion was duly seconded and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Jacqueline C. Hijmans - The secretary presented letter from Dr. Hijmans stating that she has filed petition for naturalization as of August 2nd, 1963. This was received as information.

RE: Dr. A. E. Perry - The secretary presented letter from Dr. Perry's chief of service stating that Dr. Perry continued to carry on his practice at the Good Samaritan Hospital according to the directive of the Board of Medical Examiners. This was received as information.

RE: Meeting of the Federation of State Medical Boards - February 7-11th, 1964 - VERDICT: Dr. James E. Davis moved that the Board of Medical Examiners pay the usual expenses of those members of the Board who will attend this meeting. This motion was duly seconded by Clark Rodman and passed unanimously.

RE: University of North Carolina Medical School Students - Written Examination - Donald Drake McNeill, Jr. and Charles Thomas McLees had not completed some phase of their work and their promotion to the third year had been delayed pending additional work at the time the 1963 examination was held. They were granted permission to take the examination with the understanding that they would not receive credit for the same until they had completed the work required to be promoted to the third year. The secretary presented letter from Dr. W. R. Berryhill, Dean, stating that this requirement had been met by both students.

RE: National Congress on Medical Quackery - Dr. James E. Davis moved that the Board of Medical Examiners authorize the secretary, or in his absence, any other member who can, to attend the meeting to be held October 25-26th, 1963. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

Dr. W. Boyd Owen moved that the Board extend the outgoing president its thanks for the job he has performed. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. Clark Rodman and passed unanimously.

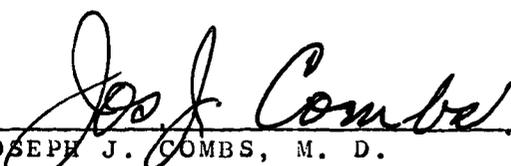
RE: Salary of the Secretary - Dr. Ralph G. Templeton moved that the salary of Dr. J. J. Combs' be raised to \$7200.00 per year. Dr. Large seconded this motion and the same was passed unanimously.

Dr. H. Lee Large, Jr. moved that the Board commend the secretary for his splendid service. This motion was duly seconded and passed unanimously.

RE: President - Dr. Clark Rodman moved that Dr. Ralph G. Templeton be elected president of the Board of Medical Examiners for the coming year. This motion was duly seconded by Dr. W. Boyd Owen and passed unanimously.

RE: Finance Committee - Dr. Ralph G. Templeton appointed the following to the Finance Committee: Dr. Frank Edmondson, Chairman, and Drs. H. Lee Large, Jr. and W. Boyd Owen.

The meeting was adjourned.

  
 JOSEPH J. COMBS, M. D.  
 Secretary

