

## MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF NORTH CAROLINA

DECEMBER 9-10, 1941 O'HENRY HOTEL

GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

The Board of Medical Examiners of North Carolina met at the O'Henry's Roost for a business meeting on December 9, 1941. Doctors William M. Coppridge, J. Street Brewer, Lester A. Crowell, Jr., Frank A. Sharpe, Lewis W. Elias, Karl B. Pace and W. D. James were present. Dr. William M. Coppridge, President called the meeting to order, and Dr. Lewis W. Elias led in Prayer.

On December 10, 1941 the Board of Medical Examiners met at the O'Henry hotel in Greensboro, North Carolina. At this meeting license were granted by endorsement of credentials with physicians holding the following state license and the national board certificate. Michigan, Virginia, Tenn., Iowa, District of Columbia, Pa., South Carolina, Illinois, Maine and the National Board.

Dr. J. W. Miller of Englehard, North Carolina was interviewed by two members of the board to ascertain the exact status of of his practice in Hyde County. It had been brought to the attention of the board by physicians in his neighborhood, that Dr. Miller was doing general practice the same as a doctor of medicine.

Dr. E. Swindel, of Swan Quarter, North Carolina, was a witness in this investigation. No action was taken at this time. The matter is held open.

Mr. Boone and Mr. Reese were summoned before the board for investigation due to complaints by physicians in Madison County. Mr. Boone and Mr. Reese were reported practicing medicine. They were instructed as to the Medical Practice of North Carolina and were warned what to anticipate if they infringed upon this law.

Dr. E. D. Woodard of Bayboro, North Carolina was summoned before the board for the violation of the Narcotic law. He was instructed to take treatment at Dix Hill at once, for morphine addiction. He was advised that his license would be revoked unless he obtained a certificate from the physician of this institution that he was cured of the morphine addiction.

Dr. Karl Moore, Newton Grove, North Carolina appeared before the board, he had gained 25 pounds and was practically free from dysentery. He was not taking any morphine for this trouble.

Doctors Reece Berryhill, Roy Carpenter, and W. C. Davison requested the Board of Medical Examiners to grant license to practice medicine in North Carolina to certain European physicians of outstanding ability, graduates of European Medical school classified as Grade A, by the English classification, one reason the Committee requested this was due to a shortage of Teachers in the Medical faculty, on account of the World War II.

The following resolution was adopted:

## RESOLVED:

That due to National emergency The Board of Medical Examiners of North Carolina will consider the granting of license to certain graduates of foreign medical schools, which schools have been classified as acceptable, by the National Board of Medical Examiners.

SIGNED: W. D. James  
W. D. JAMES, M. D. Sec'y - Treasurer



The entire Board thoroughly enjoyed the hospitality of Dr. and Mrs. Frank A. Sharpe at the Owl's Roost in Greensboro, North Carolina.

At this time the Board signed their names to the licenses. Meeting adjourned.

SIGNED:

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SECRETARY - TREASURER



