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## New Instructor In Children's Dentistry



The School of Dentistry is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. Richard H. Howard as a part time instructor in children's dentistry. Dr. Howard is a graduate of Indiana University School of Dentistry in the class of 1940.

Following his graduation, Dr. Howard spent a two year period on the staff at the Eastman Dental Dispensary at Rochester, New York. He entered the United States Army in August of 1942 and was discharged in April of this year. Dr. Howard is a member of the American Dental Association and Omicron Kappa Upsilon, honorary dental fraternity. He is married and has two daughters, ages four and six.

### Notice

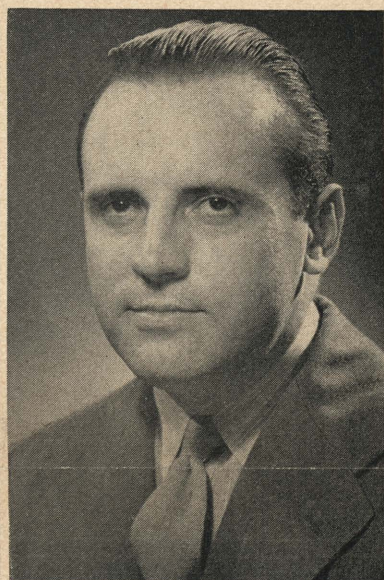
The dental school library would appreciate any copies of the 1928 edition of "Dental State Board Questions and Answers" by R. M. Goepp.

## Basic Standards For Established Hospital Dental Service

The Executive Committee of the Hospital Dental Service Committee of the American Dental Association has prepared and written the following basic requirements for hospital dental service. The purpose of this plan is to present minimum requirements which will

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## Appointed To Staff



Dean Hine is happy to announce the appointment of Dr. William T. Hoop as a part time instructor in the department of orthodontia. Dr. Hoop received his undergraduate training at Hanover College and Butler University and was graduated from Indiana University School of Dentistry in June, 1938.

During the years of 1939 and 1940, Dr. Hoop took advanced work in orthodontia at the University of Illinois. He entered the Dental Corps of the United States Army in 1940 and was discharged in November, 1944. Dr. Hoop is a member of the American Dental Association.

## Weekly Seminar Programs Initiated

The School of Dentistry has initiated a series of weekly seminar programs which are held every Monday. These one hour sessions are open to all members of the faculty and student body and the attendance has been most gratifying. The purpose of these programs is to keep the faculty and students more closely in touch with

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## Large Freshman Class Enrolls At Bloomington

Sixty-four students, one of the largest classes in the history of the Dental School, has started the freshman year at Bloomington. This enrollment is in sharp contrast to the size of the classes during the years of the war when the average class was 25 to 30 students. The names and home addresses of class members are: Jack Alexander, New York, N.Y.; Everett Amos, Indianapolis; Paul Bailey, Marion, Indiana; Robert Barkes, Mishawaka, Indiana; Marvin Baxla, Muncie, Indiana; Allen Brown, Charlotte, N.C.; Ernest Brunoehler, Evansville, Indiana; Frederick Cantrell, Oakland City, Indiana; John Carmody, Indianapolis; Frank Chinn, Bloomington, Indiana; Robert Daily, Indianapolis; Jack Denison, Indianapolis.

Harold Dick, Cicero, Indiana; James Dirlam, Bowling Green, Indiana; Samuel Eitnier, Hillsboro, Indiana; James Fall, Macy, Indiana; Francis Farley, Raton, New Mexico; Seymour Fay, Syracuse, New York; Arnold Felten, Bloomington, Indiana; Charles Finkbner, Indianapolis; Charles Flannagan, Jasper, Indiana; David Frye, Hickory, N. Carolina; Robert Garrard, Terre Haute, Indiana; Ray Hall, Bedford, Indiana; Robert Harris, Lafayette, Indiana.

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## Returns To Faculty



Dr. Harry J. Healey has returned to the faculty of the Indiana University School of Dentistry following service in the United States Navy. He will resume his duties as assistant professor in operative dentistry.

Dr. Healey received his undergraduate training at Butler University and was graduated from Indiana University School of Dentistry in 1931. Following a year of internship at the dental school, he remained on the staff in the department of operative dentistry until February of 1943, when he was called to active duty in the Navy.

As a Lieut. Commander, Dr. Healey saw service at the Marine Barracks, Parris Island, Terminal Island, California, and Camp Pendleton, California. He placed the dental department of the U.S.S. Barnwell into commission and later participated in the liberation of the Philippines and the initial occupation of Japan. He was discharged in July of 1946 and resumed his position on the faculty at that time.

Dr. Healey has contributed numerous articles to the scientific literature and is a member of the International Association for Dental Research, American Dental Association, American Association of Dental Editors, and Omicron Kappa Upsilon.



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## THE LIBRARY

Coming from Indiana University Library, Bloomington, one cannot help being impressed with the difference in size of the two libraries, that is, the main library of the University and this library of Indiana University School of Dentistry. Though the dentistry library is independent in its functions, it is, nevertheless, a department library. The library at Bloomington is rapidly advancing toward its 500,000th book. Here, at the dentistry library, our accession record tells that there are more than 6600 books, and nearly 2000 pamphlets, besides a large number of duplicates and uncataloged material.

A library employee in a place of 500,000 books, becomes associated with one of the various departments, except, of course, the librarians in charge of administration. While the departments in a large library are cooperative, yet the work of the librarian becomes necessarily specialized. The smaller library, however, gives its librarian, if not a broader outlook, at least a pleasant diversity of routine. For the person in charge has some opportunity for choosing and recommending books; she orders them, keeps the accounts connected with the allotted appropriation, catalogs and classifies, takes charge of circulation, becomes a reference librarian, sees that the books are properly bound and repaired, and in the spirit and words of the King of Siam in that recent cinema, "Anna and the King of Siam," etcetra, etcetra, etcetra.

Stepping for the first time into the Indiana University Dental

Library, one pleasantly notices the delightfully light, airy, cheerful aspect of a room of many windows, with light oak tables, chairs and cases in very good condition. There is a very gratifying simplicity in the furnishings and the coloring. But like most department libraries, the space allowed was not planned to take care of its years-hence potential capacity. Nevertheless, there are future plans afoot to rehouse and take care of a welcome growth.

But what is a library connected with a school without faculty and students? Those who have used the library deserve every commendation for their consideration of the functions of the room, a place to study and read. The student personnel, as viewed from the library desk, promises much for the welfare of Indiana dentistry, for this courtesy and consideration seems to be a natural, integral quality of the library's customers, both in their own use of the library and their regard for the rights of each other. There is only one criticism. If they would only use the library a little more, come more often.

Perhaps we should have a little more material of interest for these students. The Indianapolis newspaper we take is very popular. For a little broader viewpoint of world events, we have put in an order for the New York Times, hoping it will arrive soon. Among our popular general magazines, we are receiving "Time", "Harper's Magazine", "Reader's Digest", "National Geographic Magazine". Doubtless, there should be more subscriptions along this line. Some of the students are asking for "Life". One philanthropic student gave his personal copy for library use, but since that periodical has been discontinued, the students are missing it. I think they should have it. And the "New Yorker" would amuse.

Also our "browsing" corner might be built up. At the Medical Center, we are far from a public library. While in this recreational corner, we have sets of Shakespeare, Dickens, Thackeray, Holmes, Mark Twain, Tolstoi, Dostoevsky, and The Harvard Classics, these are not in much demand. It would seem that the same spirit who wished and obtained the best for the beauty of the School of Dentistry Building (and it is the most beautiful building of the Medical Center Group, with its stone-framed windows, its simple lines and lovely proportions) also wished for the best in the non-professional literature. In every professional group there are those

who have that understanding of literary genius, which makes books like those we have in the browsing corner a delight, so please come forward and do these books justice. For books which achieve the high level of these are never antiquated nor antedated. But, should these tomes never even need rebinding, they lend their atmosphere of gentility, of respectability, and of superiority, so by all means, let them remain.

Probably a few of the best sellers might not be amiss. There are very good and interesting ones, and it is a satisfaction to have read the popularly discussed books. Donations would be gratefully received.

Of course, we do not lose sight of the fact that the dental library is and should be chiefly concerned with its professional nature. Literature in the field of dentistry has been very carefully checked, and if I am not too new to have discovered something about the collection here, there is very little that has been missed, due to the industry, intelligence and very conscientious work of the two former librarians, Mrs. Mable Walker and Mrs. Helen Campbell. (Miss Ida Wolf, librarian.)

## Twenty-Four In Sophomore Class

At the present time, twenty-four students are enrolled in the sophomore class for their first year of dentistry on the Indianapolis campus. The names and addresses of the class members are: Lehman Adams, Mansfield, Louisiana; John Bach, Ashley, N. Dakota; Donald Biggs, Evansville, Indiana; Thomas Boardman, Hoopeston, Indiana; Edward Bosh, Berwyn, Illinois; Richard Bosler, Indianapolis; Walter Dean, Indianapolis; Albert DeFrank, Sullivan, Indiana; Hayward Flickner, Evansville, Indiana.

Charles Gish, Delphi, Indiana; Jerry Henderson, Brazil, Indiana; Lee Hill, Rockville, Indiana; Sam Laudeman, Hillsboro, Indiana; Wendell Lee, Plymouth, Indiana; Henry Leff, Indianapolis; Joseph Lush, East Chicago, Indiana; Frank Mandel, Cleveland, Ohio; James Moser, Windfall, Indiana; Leo Paskash, Gary, Indiana; Darwin Reed, Toulon, Illinois; Eugene Sheppard, New Castle, Indiana; Manuel Sposeep, Wabash, Indiana; Daniel Strapon, East Chicago, Indiana; Samuel McIntosh, Osgood, Indiana.

## ODD-DENTITIES

by ruhamah hannah

a new year has started and with it have come two new members to the assisting staff—miss ida wolf from the bloomington campus is now librarian, and miss joanne bugie is in orthodontia . . . several people are here taking refresher and post graduate courses, and you almost have to have a program to tell who's who. dr. george lusk from norman, oklahoma, is getting limbered up after a career in the armed forces, as is dr. harry steinsberger, '34. dr. alcione dias of brazil, south america, is doing surgery, dr. morris stoner, '42, and dr. rolenzo hanes, '40, are in orthodontia . . . there are forty-four in the senior class, twenty-two in the junior, twenty-four in the sophomore, and sixty-four in the freshman . . . interns for the year are dr. glenn bollinger and dr. richard starr . . . there have been several additions to the faculty. dr. james matlock, '43, is part time instructor in surgery, dr. charles rhodes, '46, is part time instructor in crown and bridge, dr. richard howard, '40, is part time assistant in children's clinic, and dr. william hoop, '38, is part time instructor in orthodontia . . . this is what the dental school inspires in some people. poem written by miss jayne mcclain, a patient. my apologies to her for omitting her capital letters.

to my dentist  
when i go to the dentist  
it's such a task, i find  
i lose my zip, i lose my grip  
and almost lose my mind.  
i wait for my appointment  
like someone just bereft;  
and when, avast! my name at last  
i wish that i had left.  
i take the seat he shows me  
with high back and foot rest.  
each arm i grasp in steel-like clasp,  
and pray to stand the test.  
and why this way i suffer  
i really do not know.  
it must be more a habit, for  
he pulled mine long ago!

now why couldn't i have thought of something like that . . . dr. melvin klotz and dr. william micheli, both of '43, are opening offices in indianapolis . . . it's good to see dr. harry healey back on the faculty, and married too . . . dean hine and dr. j. frank hall, surgery, attended the national american dental association meeting in miami, florida . . . saw dr. eugene yoder, '42, in war-

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## Basic Standards For

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be fulfilled by hospitals establishing a Department of Dentistry.

### I. BASIC REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DENTISTRY

1. *Hospital Department.* The title of the department responsible for the hospital dental service should be "Department of Dentistry" or some similar title consistent with those used for divisions of services within the given hospital.

2. *Hospital Rules.* The Department of Dentistry should be organized under the direction of a dentist to function as other specialties. The rules of the hospital should be amended, where appropriate, to include the word dentist. Any other revisions to encourage and permit proper functioning of the Department of Dentistry should be made. The rules of the Medical Board should be revised where necessary to accelerate interdependent procedures.

#### 3. *Dental Staff.*

- a. All dentists privileged to practice in the hospital should be organized as a definite group or staff. Membership upon the dental staff should be restricted to dentists who are:
  - (1) Graduates of schools approved or tentatively approved at the time of graduation, by the Council on Dental Education
  - (2) Members of the American Dental Association or the National Dental Association
  - (3) Worthy in character and in matters of professional ethics as set forth in the Code of Ethics of the American Dental Association.

When special work in oral surgery, periodontics, orthodontics, or other specialties of dentistry is to be undertaken, the dentist should be qualified by training or experience.

- b. Every dentist admitted to practice in the hospital should qualify for membership on the hospital staff in accordance with customary procedure. When accepted for appointment to the hospital staff, he should be assigned to the appropriate rank on the dental staff.

- c. The number of appointments and grades in rank will depend on the size and type of the hospital. The classification of appointments according to rank will be dependent upon the standard nomenclature and custom in other departments of the given

hospital. Promotion in rank should be consistent with the ability, interest and aptitude of the individual and the custom of the hospital.

- d. *Appointments:* Dentists who are being considered for appointment to dental staffs should have qualifications such as previous hospital experience, technical ability and scientific training that would be expected of any other staff member. Opportunity should be afforded for acquiring experience under supervision of qualified staff members.

4. *Dental House Staff.* Whenever possible, hospitals operating a Department of Dentistry, should provide for dental interns and residents appointed according to the usual regulations of the hospital. Dental internships and residencies should conform to "Requirements for Approval of Dental Internships and Residencies," established by the Council on Dental Education of the American Dental Association, and should be consistent with internships and residencies in other departments of the hospital.

#### 5. *Functions.* The Department of Dentistry has three main functions:

- a. *Administrative:* To act in an advisory capacity through customary channels on problems related to the dental services.
- b. *Clinical:* To render professional service to the patients in accordance with the precepts of modern scientific dentistry, to maintain its own efficiency and periodically to audit the professional work.
- c. *Educational:* To help train staff members, dental residents and interns, dental hygienists, dental assistants, and nurses in order that their knowledge and fields usefulness will be increased.

#### 6. *Organization.*

- a. *Directions:* The dental department should be under the direction of a dentist designated by title as are other service chiefs. The chief of the dental department should be selected for his professional and executive ability on the same basis as other departmental chiefs. The chief of the Department of Dentistry should have the same privileges regarding appointment to the Medical Board or Executive Committee of the hospital as have other department chiefs.

- b. *Sections:* In hospitals where large department staffs are required, the Department of Dentistry may be subdivided

into sections:

- (1) Oral Surgery
- (2) Dental Roentgenology
- (3) Restorative Dentistry (which includes operative and prosthetic dentistry)
- (4) Dental Medicine (which includes periodontics and endodontics)
- (5) Dentistry for Children (which includes pedodontics and orthodontics)

Division into sections fixes responsibilities more definitely, stimulates scientific interest in the dental specialties and promotes the proper administration of the professional services. Every department of dentistry should give special consideration to the differentiation of the dental staff into the various specialties in so far as such classification is practical. Establishing sections of the dental staff does not mean that every staff member should be a specialist in order to be assigned to a particular section.

- c. *Meetings and Seminars:* The dental department personnel should attend and participate in general staff conferences. They should hold regular departmental meetings for thorough review and analysis of their clinical activities.

- d. *Education:* Special effort should be directed toward adequate training of the interns and residents. Opportunity should be afforded for their training in general anesthesiology, physical diagnosis and other phases of the healing arts related and applicable to dentistry. Departmental ward rounds are essential to the educational plan and should be regularly scheduled. Opportunity should be provided for systematic specialized training of the dental department personnel. When facilities permit, the Dental Department should engage in the teaching of graduate students who desire to prepare themselves for the practice of one of the specialties of dentistry. The dental department should aid in nurses' training.

- e. *Research:* Clinical investigations should be encouraged in the dental field. The hospital should make every effort to supply time, assistance and material for original investigations.

7. *Dental Hygienists.* Whenever possible, dental hygienists should be appointed to the Department of Dentistry.

8. *Physical Equipment.* The space allotted to, and the equipment, instruments and supplies of the Department of Dentistry should be adequate for such services as may be carried out by the dental department in accordance with generally accepted standards of practice. The physical equipment should be utilized full time and the dental personnel should be adequate to maintain this standard.

An adequate number of beds should be assigned to the dental department in hospitals where such procedure is customary for other departments.

9. *Rules.* The Department of Dentistry should function with a systematic plan of management based upon rules set up by the hospital for other services within the hospital.

10. *Records.* Dental records should be a part of the hospital record system. A uniform method should be established for recording data. Special clinical records may be used as an aid to clinical research.

11. An adequate selection of dental books and periodicals should be available in the hospital library.

12. *Formulary.* A standardized departmental formulary, based upon "Accepted Dental Remedies" of the American Dental Association, should be adopted and included in the general formulary of the hospital.

### II. MINIMUM DENTAL SERVICE FOR HOSPITAL PATIENTS

1. *Oral Surgery.* The work of the section of oral surgery in relation to the hospital out-patients and in-patients lies in diagnosis and surgical treatment. Treatment should consist of surgical eradication of acute and chronic oral infections. Experience in many hospitals has indicated that it is both feasible and desirable for the patients' welfare that the oral surgical service should care for diseases and injuries of the teeth and jaws amenable to oral surgery.

Transfer or assignment of such services to the section on oral surgery to care for those conditions is required and will, of course, be with the consent of the Medical Board.

2. *Dental Roentgenology.* The members of this section will, if they do not take the dental roentgenograms, at least be the consultants to the roentgenographic department for cooperative diagnosis of all dental roentgenograms.

3. *Restorative Dentistry.* In certain types of hospitals, especially those serving patients suffering from chronic diseases, such

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as tuberculosis, mental diseases, restorative dentistry is a necessary service.

Carious lesions of the teeth should be treated in the early stages by properly preparing the teeth and by using an appropriate type of filling material to restore the teeth to usefulness and to prevent pain and infection from this source.

Complete and partial artificial denture service should be available for patients with extended hospitalization.

This department should be responsible for the construction of splints for fractured jaw cases and radium for malignant cases.

4. *Dental Medicine.* Patients with acute and chronic infections of the investing soft tissues of the maxilla and mandible are to be treated by or under the direction of the periodontist. In instances where oral lesions are primarily of systemic origin, the dental department should work in cooperation with the appropriate medical department.

5. *Dentistry for Children.* In certain types of hospitals where children are hospitalized for an extended period of time, i.e., those serving crippled children and children with chronic diseases, the practice of pedodontics and orthodontics is a necessary service.

Orthodontic service should be available to children's hospitals for consultation and treatment. Cleft palate cases especially need this service.

### III. RELATION TO THE SCHOOL OF NURSING

The Department of Dentistry should assist existing schools of nursing to prepare all nurses for participation in the oral health care program. When allocation of the clinical content of the nursing educational program is made to the different clinical departments, those conditions related to dental service should be allotted to the dental department. The chief of the Department of Dentistry with the educational director of nursing should assign the material to be taught by the appropriate members of his department. The role of the nurse in health teaching, in prevention of disease, as they relate to dentistry, should be defined by the dental and nursing departments.

Student nurses should be assigned to care for patients on the dental service of the hospital, and to assist in the dental clinic on the same basis as in other departments.

The "Basic Standards of Hospital Dental Service Required of Approved Hospitals" has been approved as a recommendation for Department of Dentistry in all hospitals by the following committees of the American Hospital Association: The council on Professional Practice, The Coordinating Committee, and the Board of Trustees of the American Hospital Association.

## School Receives Research Grants

The School of Dentistry has been awarded two research grants from the United States Public Health Department. These grants are for one year duration but with the possibility of their continuation if funds are available at that time. The two grants are: "Enamel Solubility as Affected by Various Fluorides", under the direction of Dr. Grant Van Huysen and "Hardness Changes in Enamel as Influenced by Fluorides" under the direction of Mr. Ralph W. Phillips. Preliminary work on both of these projects has already been started.

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saw this summer. he has bought an office and is practicing there . . . the school was greatly saddened by the death of dr. tom arthur, '43 . . . dr. gilbert mellion, '43, sent an announcement of his office opening at rocky hill, connecticut . . . and that's all for this time.

## Weekly Seminar

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the activities of the various departments.

Lecturers include members of the faculty who present new research findings or discussions of problems in their fields. Plans are also made to secure outside speakers who are available at that time. The lecturers and their subjects for the first semester are: Periodontia, Dr. Hine; Root Canal Therapy, Dr. Healey; Amalgam, Dr. Earl Miller; Inlay Construction, Dr. Boyd; Orthodontia, Dr. Adams; Oral Surgery, Dr. Spivey; Fluorine and Tooth Decay, Dr. Van Huysen; Abrasiveness of Dentifrices, Mr. Phillips; Oral Surgery, Dr. Hall; History of Operative Dentistry, Dr. Wilson; Denture Construction, Dr. Hughes; Orthodontia, Dr. Hoop.

## Dental Alumni Association Holds Meeting

For the first time since the start of the war, the Indiana University School of Dentistry Alumni Association held its annual meeting at Bloomington on October 12th. The program was very well attended and provided an excellent outing for alumni and their families.

An informal talk on "Voluntary vs. Compulsory Insurance" was given by Thomas A. Hendricks, secretary of the American Medical Association. This was followed by a talk on the future role and plans of the Dental School by Dean Maynard Hine. The luncheon was held in the Union Building and most of the group attended the Indiana-Illinois football game in the afternoon.

## Large Freshman Class

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Earl Harrison, Owensboro, Kentucky; Henry Heimansohn, Indianapolis; John Hodges, Richland, Indiana; Dean Hoppes, Anderson, Indiana; Harry Johnson, Perry, Iowa; Leo Klinge, Fort Wayne, Indiana; Ralph Laybold, Terre Haute, Indiana; Jack Light, Brooklyn, New York; Robert Linne-meier, Hammond, Indiana; Jerome Mathews, Indianapolis; Edward Merecky, Pompton Lakes, New Jersey; Kent Moseley, Millersburg, Kentucky; Richard Orr, Indianapolis; Paul Pirtle, Terre Haute, Indiana.

H. T. Risley, Oakland City, Indiana; Corliss Roll, Hamilton, Ohio; Francis Salb, Indianapolis, Indiana; William Scholl, Evansville, Indiana; Watt Shroyer, Muncie, Indiana; James Simmonds, Anderson, Indiana; Frank Smith, Richmond, Indiana; Franklin A. Smith, Richmond, Indiana; Kenneth Smith, Mishawaka, Indiana; Howard Stein, Newark, New Jersey; John Spaulding, Gary, Indiana; John Stone, Fort Branch, Indiana; Omer Taylor, Middletown, Ohio; Thomas Terpinas, Frankfort, Indiana; William Vize, Evansville, Indiana; William Vogel, New York, N.Y.

Jack Vorhies, Indianapolis; William Ward, South Bend, Indiana; Joseph Waymire, Elwood, Indiana; Harry Wherry, New Haven, Indiana; Walter Wolfe, Indianapolis; Arthur Wolin, New York, N.Y.; Charles Woodcock, Greenwood, Indiana; Robert Youmans, Clinton, Indiana; Isadore Zarin, Cleveland, Ohio.

## Orientation Course For Freshmen

A special group of lectures is to be presented to the freshmen dental class in order to orient them better with the actual practice of dentistry and further correlate the work in the freshmen year with that on the Indianapolis campus.

Following is a list of lecturers and their subjects which will be presented during the first semester; Objectives of Dentistry by Dr. Hine; Scope of Dentistry by Dr. Wilson; Relation of Oral Anatomy to Operative Dentistry by Dr. Boyd; Relation of Oral Anatomy to Crown and Bridge by Dr. Rogers; Relation of Oral Anatomy to Prosthetic Dentistry by Dr. Hughes; Relation of Oral Anatomy to Oral Surgery by Dr. Hall; Dental Materials by Mr. Phillips; Dental Research by Dr. VanHuysen; Occlusion by Dr. Adams.

## Faculty Meeting Held

A faculty meeting of the School of Dentistry was held on September 27th. Committee reports by the chairmen were given concerning the activities of their respective committees during the past year. Dean Maynard Hine presented a report of future plans and changes in the curriculum and physical equipment at the school. There was active discussion by faculty members on various problems which confront the school such as training for dental technicians, etc. The meeting was adjourned following introduction of new faculty members.

## Refresher Courses

The series of post-graduate courses at the School of Dentistry was continued during the summer of 1946. These courses included denture prosthesis, pedodontics, oral surgery, and general dentistry. As has been pointed out previously, these courses are offered to all ethical graduate dentists but they are designed primarily for the returned veterans. Individual programs may be arranged to coincide with the available time which the student may spend in this work. Returned veterans have found these courses valuable in utilizing the time between their separation from the services and the availability of equipment and office space. These courses are being continued during the academic year 1946-1947 and have been expanded to include periodontia, operative dentistry, and crown and bridge prosthesis.