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60th Annual Meeting
PHILADELPHIA
April 30 – May 3, 1987
Tours: Four special tours will be available by preregistration:

The *Ars Medica* collection of the Philadelphia Museum of Art, with William H. Helfand, Thursday 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

A guided "Medical Visit" to Philadelphia’s Historic Cemeteries, Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

A tour tracing the history of women physicians in Philadelphia, guided by Regina Morantz-Sanchez and the staff of the Archives and Special Collections on Women in Medicine, of The Medical College of Pennsylvania, Saturday 12 noon until 2:00 p.m.

A visit to Rosalind Berman’s re-creation of a turn-of-the-century pharmacy and general store, Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

Other Meetings: The following societies will meet in Philadelphia in conjunction with the AAHM:

*American Osler Society* (at The College of Physicians, Thursday, April 30)

*Association of Librarians in the History of the Health Sciences* (at The College of Physicians and Pennsylvania Hospital, Thursday, April 30)

*Medical Museum Association* (at The College of Physicians, Wednesday, April 29)

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THURSDAY, APRIL 30

2:00 to 6:00 p.m.
REGISTRATION: Stuart Room

6:00-8:00 p.m.
RECEPTION: Peale Ballroom

7:30-11:00 p.m.
COUNCIL MEETING: Sully Room

9:30-11:00 p.m.
MOVIE (Code Grey):
Rembrandt Peale Room

"The way I sometimes feel after a visit to the Dean" This sketch was drawn by Martha Tracy (1876-1942) when a student at the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania. Tracy would herself become its dean in 1917. (Courtesy Archives and Special Collections, The Medical College of Pennsylvania)
FRIDAY, MAY 1

8:45-10:30 a.m.  
PLENARY SESSIONS  
Rembrandt and Titian Peale Rooms

8:45 a.m.  
Welcome: Jeanne L. Brand presiding

Greetings from Lewis L. Coriell,  
President, The College of Physicians of Philadelphia

9:00-10:30 a.m. HEALTH EDUCATION OF DOCTORS AND LAYMEN  

Ronald L. Numbers presiding

9:00 a.m. Good Health for All:  
The Introduction of Human Physiology into American School Curricula  
Elizabeth Lomax

9:30 a.m. Dr. Clarke vs. the "Ladies":  
The Social Use of Medical Knowledge in the 1870s  
Maxine S. Seller

10:00 a.m. The Rise and Fall of The Internship  
William G. Rothstein

10:30 a.m. COFFEE

FRIDAY, MAY 1

11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
TWO CONCURRENT SESSIONS

MEDICINE IN ART, PHOTOGRAPHY AND LITERATURE  
Rembrandt Peale Room

Ynez V. O'Neill, presiding

11:00 a.m. Medieval Islamic Anatomical Illustration: A Preliminary Report  
Emilie Savage-Smith

11:30 a.m. Francis X. Dercum and Animal Locomotion  
Michael McVaugh

12:00 noon Johann Weyer's De Praestigiis Daemonum:  
Witchcraft and Psychiatry in The Renaissance  
George Mora

WOMEN IN MEDICINE AND NURSING  
Titian Peale Room

Sandra L. Chaff, presiding

11:00 a.m. Without Compromise of Delicate Feelings: The Graduation of the First Six Women Doctors from Western Reserve College  
Linda L. Goldstein

11:30 a.m. Tension at the Bedside:  
Physician-Nurse Relationships, 1830-1865  
Patricia O'Brien

12:00 noon The Visiting Nurse Service of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, 1909-1953  
Diane Hamilton
FRIDAY, MAY 1

12:45-2:00 p.m.  
THREE LUNCHEON MEETINGS  
(Ticket Required)

Luncheon A: Raphael Peale Room  
NIH and FDA: Case Studies in Emerging Historical Programs  
Victoria Harden and Suzanne White

Luncheon B: Titian Peale Room  
Archival Resources: Nursing, Aerospace Medicine, Anatomy  
Lilly Sentz, Mary Ann Hoffman, Christopher Hoolihan

Luncheon C: Rembrandt Peale Room  
Physicians as Antiquarian Booksellers  
Jacob Chernofsky (moderator);  
James Tait Goodrich, Norman Shaftel,  
D. J. Canale, Andrew Nadell

2:30-4:00 p.m.  
TWO CONCURRENT SESSIONS

COLONIAL AMERICAN MEDICINE  
Rembrandt Peale Room  

Whitfield J. Bell, Jr., presiding

2:30 p.m. Medicine and the Household:  
The Diary of Elizabeth Drinker and Medical Practice in Colonial Philadelphia  
Sarah Blank Dine

3:00 p.m. The Identity of the New England Indian Epidemic of 1616-1619  
Timothy L. Bratton

3:30 p.m. Albert the Noorman: Colonial American Attitudes Toward the Neighbor Insane  
Jacques M. Quen

NINETEENTH-CENTURY SURGERY  
Raphael Peale Room  

Gert H. Brieger, presiding

2:30 p.m. John Snow's Early Researches in Anesthesia  
Roderick K. Calverley

3:00 p.m. The Unpublished Letters of William Halsted and Harvey Cushing  
Ira M. Rutchow

3:30 p.m. The Laboratory and the Clinic:  
The Impact of Pathology on Surgical Diagnosis at the Glasgow Western Infirmary, 1875-1910  
L. S. Jacyna

(Conclusion of afternoon sessions)

4:30-5:00 p.m. Ten-minute walk to The College of Physicians of Philadelphia, or use limited van service if desired

5:00-6:30 p.m. ANNUAL AWARDS AND  
THE GARRISON LECTURE FOR 1987  
Mitchell Hall, The College of Physicians of Philadelphia  
Jeanne L. Brand, presiding

Osler Medal, Shryock Medal, Welch Medal

The Garrison Lecture for 1987:  
On the Spot: A History of Focal Infection  
Barbara G. Rosenkrantz

6:30-7:30 p.m. RECEPTION  
Downstairs Foyer, Halls, Herb Garden

7:30-7:45 p.m. Limited van service to the Holiday Inn

9:30-11:00 p.m. MOVIE (Yellow Jack):  
Rembrandt Peale Room, Holiday Inn
SATURDAY, MAY 2

8:30-10:00 a.m.
THREE CONCURRENT SESSIONS

NINETEENTH-CENTURY AMERICAN MEDICINE
Rembrandt Peale Room

John Harley Warner, presiding

8:30 a.m. Fractured Confidence: Aspects of Medical Malpractice in the Nineteenth Century
Kenneth De Ville

9:00 a.m. Morbidity in a Nineteenth-Century American Poorhouse
Kim M. Lanphear

9:30 a.m. Biomedical Research and the Bureau of Animal Industry
Eric P. Sandgren

HISTORY OF PSYCHIATRY
Titian Peale Room

John C. Burnham, presiding

8:30 a.m. "A House of Cure": The Antebellum South Carolina Lunatic Asylum
Peter McCandless

9:00 a.m. Animal Magnetism and Multiple Personality: History of a Theoretical Relationship
Eric T. Carlson

9:30 a.m. Model Science: The American Psychiatric Association's Attempt to Set Scientific Standards in Psychiatry
Jack D. Pressman

FRENCH MEDICINE
Raphael Peale Room

Caroline C. Hannaway, presiding

8:30 a.m. Medical Geography and the Political Economy of Colonial Settlement in the New French Empire
Michael A. Osborne

9:00 a.m. The Ordinance of 1724: A Critical Juncture in the History of French Medicine
Kathleen Wellman

9:30 a.m. Triage for Health Care in a Metropolis: Paris Under Napoleon
Dora B. Weiner

10:00 a.m. COFFEE

10:30-12:00 noon
THREE CONCURRENT SESSIONS

TWENTIETH-CENTURY MEDICINE, I
Rembrandt Peale Room

Joel Howell, presiding

10:30 a.m. The 1917 New York Biopsy Controversy: A Question of Surgical Incision and the Promotion of Metastases
James R. Wright, Jr.

11:00 a.m. The Angina Pectoris Controversy During the 1920s: Why Was the Coronary Theory Accepted?
Reidar K. Lie

11:30 a.m. The Army Medical Department and the Attack on Pearl Harbor
Mary Ellen Condon-Rall
SATURDAY, MAY 2

INFECTIONS: SCIENCE AND SOCIETY
Titian Peale Room

John Parascandola, presiding

10:30 a.m. History of the Condom
   Ronald O. Valdiserri

11:00 a.m. Policing the Body: Criminological
   Metaphor in the Popularization of Germ
   Theories in the United States, 1870-1950
   JoAnne Brown

11:30 a.m. Background to the Bacteriophage
   Controversy
   Alan W. Varley

BRITISH MEDICINE
Raphael Peale Room

John M. Eyler, presiding

10:30 a.m. Thomas Beddoes’ Opinions on Oxygen
   Lack and Their Consequences
   Norman A. Bergman

11:00 a.m. Lambert vs. Simon: Alternate Visions
   of Public Health in Victorian England
   Ronald D. Cassell

11:30 a.m. Coroners’ Juries and Occupational
   Death in England, 1830-1850
   Elisabeth A. Cawthon

12 noon-2:00 p.m. LUNCH

(Philadelphia women in medicine tour:
   pre-registration required; purchase
    a box lunch)

SATURDAY, MAY 2

2:00-3:30 pm.
   THREE CONCURRENT SESSIONS

REPRODUCTIVE MEDICINE
Rembrandt Peale Room

Diana E. Long, presiding

2:00 p.m. Defining Disease: Knowledge and
   Practice of Obstetrics in the Old South
   Steven M. Stowe

2:30 p.m. The Emergence of Reproductive
   Science in the United States, 1910-1940:
   An Intersection of Medical, Biological
   and Agricultural Work
   Adele E. Clarke

3:00 p.m. Joseph B. DeLee and the Practice of
   Preventive Obstetrics
   Judith W. Leavitt

SCOTTISH AND BRITISH MEDICINE
Titian Peale Room

Guenter B. Risse, presiding

2:00 p.m. Surgeon-Apothecaries in Edinburgh,
   1695-1730
   Rosalie Stott

2:30 p.m. Indigenization of the Western Medical
   Profession During the Nineteenth
   Century, With Special Reference to
   South India
   John J. Paul

3:00 p.m. American Jewish Medical Students in
   Scotland, 1925-1940
   Kenneth E. Collins
SATURDAY, MAY 2

TWENTIETH-CENTURY MEDICINE, II
Raphael Peale Room

Peter C. English, presiding

2:00 p.m. Pioneering in Family-Centered Maternity and Infant Care: Edith B. Jackson and the Yale Rooming-In Project
Sara Lee Silberman

2:30 p.m. Founding the American Women's Hospital Service, 1917-1918: Heroism vs. Professionalism
Ellen S. More

3:00 p.m. The American-Soviet Medical Society: Henry E. Sigerist's Last Political Contribution
Walter J. Lear

3:30-4:00 p.m. Break (Refreshment)

4:00-5:00 p.m. Annual Business Meeting
Peale Ballroom

5:45-6:00 p.m. Ten minute walk to The College of Physicians of Philadelphia, or use van service

6:00-10:00 p.m.
ANNUAL BANQUET AND RECEPTION
(Ticket required--no exceptions)

SPEAKER: Edwin Wolf, II
Librarian Emeritus
The Library Company of Philadelphia

10:00-10:15 Busses return to the Holiday Inn

SUNDAY, MAY 3

9:00-11:00 a.m.
TWO CONCURRENT SESSIONS

PHILADELPHIA MEDICINE
Rembrandt Peale Room

Charles E. Rosenberg, presiding

9:00 a.m. Almshouse as Gatekeeper: Access to Care at the Philadelphia Hospital, 1865-1885
Gail E. Farr

9:30 a.m. Medicine in a Philadelphia Neighborhood: Doctors and Patients In Old Germantown
Lisabeth M. Holloway
Steven J. Peitzman

10:00 a.m. Public Health and the Demographic Revolution in Philadelphia, 1870-1900
Gretchen A. Condran
Edward T. Mormon

10:30 a.m. Dr. Nathan Francis Mossell and Philadelphia's Black Hospitals, 1895-1905
Vanessa Northington Gamble

(Another Session on Next Page)
SUNDAY, MAY 3

VARIA: ANTIQUITY TO THE 1900s
Titian Peale Room

Saul Jarche, presiding

9:00 a.m. Ancient Medicines: Byproducts of Copper Mining in Cyprus
Giraud V. Foster

9:30 a.m. The Reliability of the Evidence of the Senses: Galen and Harvey on the "Pores" in the Heart
Elinor Lieber

10:00 a.m. Medicine and Morality in Seventeenth Century English Moral Theology
Darrel W. Amundsen

10:30 a.m. Career Contingencies and Organizational Change in the Development of a Medical Speciality: American Pediatrics in the Early 1900s
Sydney Halpern

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