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DR. R. BLACKWELL SMITH, JR. RESIGNS AS PROVOST

Dr. R. Blackwell Smith, Jr., Provost of the Medical College of Virginia, has requested that the Board of Visitors relieve him of his duties as provost for reasons of health. Mr. Virginius Dabney, Rector of the Board, announced on January 10.

Doctor Smith's resignation will become effective, at his request, on July 1, 1969, or as soon as an appropriate successor can be found.

"We accept Doctor Smith's resignation," Mr. Dabney said, "with deep regret and in full recognition of the great and lasting service which he has performed for medical education."

In addition to accepting the letter of resignation, the board at its January 9 meeting also extended the appointment of Doctor Smith as professor of pharmacology. Doctor Smith, who has held an appointment as professor of pharmacology since 1947, was assistant dean of the MCV school of pharmacy from 1945-1947. He was dean of the school from 1947 until his appointment as assistant president of MCV in 1954. He became president of MCV in 1956 and continued in that post until he was appointed provost in 1968.

"It has been a great privilege to serve as the fourth and last president of the Medical College of Virginia and more recently as first provost of the College as the Health Sciences Division of Virginia Commonwealth University," Doctor Smith said in his letter to the Board of Visitors.



R. Blackwell Smith, Jr.

"The responsibility of guiding our College, even under the helpful policy leadership of the Board of Visitors, has been difficult and unremitting. The constant pressures inherent in the duties of the position have taken their toll of my physical well-being," he said.

"It is my hope," Doctor Smith added, "to return to the department of pharmacology, my major field of scientific training, interest, and endeavor."

Dr. Paul S. Larson, chairman of the

department of pharmacology, said he was "very pleased to have Doctor Smith join the department. We feel his background, experience, and reputation in the field will materially strengthen the department."

Dr. Daniel T. Watts, dean of the school of graduate studies, cited Doctor Smith's long period of service to MCV and his experience and international reputation in pharmacology and toxicology.

Emphasis on continuous upgrading of education at the Medical College of Virginia—both in quality faculty, student enrollment, and physical facilities—and emphasis on student welfare mark Doctor Smith's 12 years as MCV's chief administrative officer.

During his administration, the number of full-time faculty grew from approximately 175 in 1956 to 407 in 1968. Student enrollment, including house staff, increased from 1,558 in 1956 to 1,990 in 1968. During Doctor Smith's tenure, four residence halls were completed; the Medical Education Building (renamed Sanger Hall in June 1968) was built; in 1967 a new 432-bed women's dormitory, Cabaniss Hall, was built, the Jonah L. Larrick Student Center was dedicated, and the Clinical Center for self-care patients was completed.

College funds for attracting quality faculty and building improvements

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MEDICOVAN TRIBUTE TO DOCTOR SMITH

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On January 10, 1969, the MCV Advisory Board adopted the following resolution expressing its appreciation to Dr. R. Blackwell Smith, Jr., for his leadership as president and provost of the Medical College of Virginia from 1956 until 1969:

WHEREAS, Robert Blackwell Smith, Jr., who has had a long association and distinguished career at the Medical College of Virginia as a student, teacher, dean, president and provost; and

WHEREAS, during the administration of Doctor Smith as president of the the College, dramatic progress was made in advancing the institution and the programs that were offered, the enrollment that was doubled, the physical expansion that increased the capacity of the institution and the value of the property fourfold, the additions to the faculty in all schools and in particular the school of medicine that have added so many new full-time positions, and the extension of recognition of the institution as one of the highest excellence, throughout the nation and internationally;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Advisory Board of the Medical College of Virginia express its sincere appreciation to ROBERT BLACKWELL SMITH, JR., for his leadership during this period of great progress; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the best wishes of the Board be conveyed to Doctor Smith in his career as professor of pharmacology, with the hope that he will have an early and complete recovery from his illness; and

FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be suitably engrossed and furnished to DR. ROBERT BLACKWELL SMITH, JR., and made a permanent part of the records of the institution.

Stoneburner Lectures To Be February 20-21

Dr. Douglas D. Bond of Cleveland will be the guest lecturer for the Twenty-Second Annual Stoneburner Lecture Series to be held February 20-21.

The title of this year's program is "Psychiatry in Medical Practice."

Doctor Bond, who is professor and chairman of the department of psychiatry and former dean of the school of medicine at Case-Western Reserve University, will speak at 2:00 P.M. on February 20 on "Perspectives in the Field of Behavioral Sciences." His address on February 21 will be delivered at 1:30 p.m.; subject that day will be "Changing Attitude Toward Mental Illness and Deviant Behavior."

Other guest faculty will include: Dr. Stanley L. Block, associate professor of psychiatry, University of Cincinnati, and director, psychiatric services, Jewish Hospital (Cincinnati); Dr. Ewald W. Busse, professor and chairman, department of psychiatry, Duke University; Dr. Luther Christman

professor and dean of nursing, Vanderbilt University; Dr. John A. Ewing, professor and chairman, department of psychiatry, University of North Carolina; Dr. David R. Hawkins, professor and chairman, department of psychiatry, University of Virginia; Dr. Marc H. Hollender, professor of psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania; Dr. William W. Jepson, chief of psychiatry, Hennepin County General Hospital, and associate professor of psychiatry, University of Minnesota; Dr. Zigmund M. Lebensohn, director of psychiatric services, Sibley Hospital, and clinical professor of psychiatry, Georgetown University; Dr. Heinz E. Lehmann, clinical director, Douglas Hospital, and professor of psychiatry, McGill University; Dr. Milton Rosenbaum, professor and chairman, department of psychiatry, Albert Einstein College of Medicine; and Dr. Melvin Sabshin, professor and chairman, department of

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also sharply increased—from a total college income of \$2,995,991 in the 1957 fiscal year, of which \$951,000 was State appropriation, to \$15,178,944 for the 1968 fiscal year, of which \$4,950,000 was appropriated by the State. College expenditures for organized research in 1968 was \$5,538,600 as compared with \$1,008,385 in 1957.

In his letter of resignation to the board, Doctor Smith said:

"... I believe in the Virginia Commonwealth University and the great future of the College as the Health Sciences Division of it. . . In my own view, Virginia Commonwealth University is destined to become the State's largest and most useful university, and in many ways, its strongest. It has a magnificent future."

A native of Petersburg, Doctor Smith received a B.S. degree from the MCV school of pharmacy in 1937, an M.S. from the University of Florida where he was a graduate scholar in pharmacology, and a Ph.D. from the University of Chicago where he was a university fellow in pharmacology. In

1966 he received an honorary LL.D. degree from Hampden-Sydney College.

Doctor Smith, 53, was a pharmacologist with the division of pharmacology, U.S. Food and Drug Administration, from 1941-1945. He returned to MCV late in 1945 and began his teaching career in the department of pharmacology.

He is currently chairman of the board of directors of the Richmond Area University Center and chairman of the advisory panel, Food Chemicals Codex, National Research Council, National Academy of Science. He is a member of the Academy-Council's committee on food protection and has also served as chairman of its subcommittee on toxicology.

Doctor Smith is a former chairman of the Council of Presidents, Virginia State Institutions of Higher Learning, a past president of the Association of Virginia Colleges, and a former chairman of the governing committee, Virginia Associated Research Center. He served for several years as national

consultant in pharmacology to the Surgeon General, U.S. Air Force, and was chairman of the conference held at Geneva, Switzerland, by the Food Agricultural Organization - World Health Organization of the United Nations in 1957, dealing with methods for determining the safety of chemicals used in food.

A past president of the Richmond Rotary Club, Doctor Smith was one of the incorporators of the Medical College of Virginia Foundation. Other board memberships have included the Virginia Council on Health and Medical Care, Richmond chapter of the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation, the Richmond Area University Center, and the Richmond Chamber of Commerce.

Doctor Smith is also a member of Rho Chi, Sigma Xi, Omicron Kappa Upsilon, Phi Kappa Phi, and societies in the field of science. He is a member of River Road Baptist Church. Doctor and Mrs. Smith (the former Esther B. Ostrem of Madison, Wis.), have one son and two daughters.

Dr. Thomas C. Barker Heads New School of Allied Health Professions

Dr. Thomas C. Barker, director of the school of hospital administration, has been named the first dean of MCV's newly created school of allied health professions.

The announcement of Doctor Barker's appointment, effective immediately, was made January 9 at a meeting of the Board of Visitors for Virginia Commonwealth University.

The school of allied health professions was established January 1 by the Board of Visitors as a component of MCV for the administration of present programs in health-related professions and the development of future programs.

In his new post as dean of the school of allied health professions, Doctor Barker will be responsible for the overall administration of programs in the school of physical therapy, school of medical technology, school of radiologic technology, and the school of

hospital administration. He will continue as the Arthur Graham Glasgow professor and director of the school of hospital administration.

Doctor Barker formerly was project director of the Michigan Health and Social Security Research, Inc., before joining the MCV faculty in July 1967 as director of the school of hospital administration.

A native of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, his major research and publication activities have been in the health care administration field. He has been a member of the graduate faculty of the University of Iowa program in hospital administration and has had held teaching and consultative positions with Wayne State University and Brandeis University.

He is concurrently serving as associate director of the Governor's Committee on Nursing and as a member of the Advisory Council of the Salva-

tion Army Home and Hospital. Doctor Barker, a Fellow in the American Public Health Association, is also a member of the American Hospital Association, Virginia Hospital Association, American College of Hospital Administrators, Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions, and Central Virginia Hospital Council.

A veteran of naval service, he holds the rank of commander in the naval reserve.

Kidney Transplant Research Grant Received

The National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases has approved a \$9,460 research grant for a program connected with MCV kidney transplant operations.

The program, to be directed by Dr. Michael C. Hall, associate professor of orthopedic surgery, will involve research into bone changes resulting from kidney diseases and transplants.

The grant is for the first year of a three-year program.

Institute on Hospital Based Manpower and Law Institute Planned for February 5-7

On February 5 and 6 an "Institute on Hospital Based Manpower" will be held at the Richmond Academy of Medicine; a "Law Institute on Hospitals and Medicine" will be conducted on February 7.

Dr. Thomas C. Barker, professor and director of the school of hospital administration, and Mr. Allen L. Shaner, director, educational services, Virginia Hospital Association, are program coordinators for the "Institute on Hospital Based Manpower," sponsored by the school of hospital administration and the Virginia Hospital Association.

Speakers are: Dr. Edwin F. Rosinski, University of Connecticut; Mr. Thomas M. O'Farrell, Hospital Research and Educational Trust; Mr. Thomas D. Jordan, Medical College of Virginia; Dr. Walter J. Wentz, Memorial Hospital; Mr. William T. Delamar, Medical College of Virginia; and Dr. David E. Schrieber, University of Wisconsin.

The "Law Institute on Hospitals and Medicine" is sponsored by the department of legal medicine, school of

hospital administration, Virginia Hospital Association, and Virginia Academy of General Practice.

Program coordinators for the law institute are Doctor Barker, Mr. Jordan, and Dr. Geoffrey T. Mann, Chief Medical Examiner, Commonwealth of Virginia, chairman of the department of legal medicine, and professor of forensic pathology.

Program participants are: Doctor Barker; Mr. William J. Curran, Harvard University; Mr. Waller H. Horsley, Hunten, Williams, Gay, Powell & Gibson; Mr. Jordan; Doctor Mann; Mr. Jack B. Russell, Browder, Russell, Little & Morris; Dr. Carl E. Wasmuth, Cleveland Clinic Foundation; Mr. Lawrence Douglas Wilder, attorney and counsellor at law.

No Institute fees are required for MCV personnel or for faculty, students, and residents in medicine or hospital administration.

The Law Institute is acceptable for continuation study credit by the American Academy of General Practice.

Board Declares 1838 To Be Founding Date of VCU

The Board of Visitors has declared 1838 as the founding date of Virginia Commonwealth University.

Although VCU was not established until July 1, 1968, it takes 1838 as its founding date since it is traditional in creating a merged institution to use the date of the founding of the first element as the new institution's date of establishment.

MCV, the Health Sciences Division of VCU, was opened on November 5, 1838, as the Medical Department of Hampden-Sydney College. A rupture in 1853 led to the chartering of the Medical College of Virginia, an independent institution, in 1854. It became a State institution in 1860 and was enlarged and enriched by consolidation with the University College of Medicine in 1913.

Richmond Professional Institute, now the General Academic Division of Virginia Commonwealth Univer-

sity, was founded in 1917. Made a division of the College of William and Mary in 1925, it was separated from William and Mary in 1962 by act of the General Assembly.

College Division current expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1968, totaled \$15,181,563.

Joe Alston Retires from Buildings and Grounds

Joe Alston, storeroom truck driver for the department of buildings and grounds, retired December 31.

Mr. Alston was honored on December 24 at the buildings and grounds shops annual Christmas party when he was given a \$50.00 bill and presented with his 10-year service pin.

Biometry Department Completes New Computer Programs

Several computer programs recently completed by the department of biometry probably are of interest to *Medicovan* readers engaged in medical research.

One concerns factor analysis. This program investigates the structure of an array of simple correlations. The technique is especially helpful in evaluating patient response to a set of simultaneous treatments and currently is being used in a kidney transplant rejection study.

Multivariate multiple linear regression. When a set of observables is recorded which results from an experimental treatment combination, we may hypothesize a cause-effect model. When properly parameterized by this computer program, we can test the contribution of each cause to the effects. This program also should be useful in evaluating the varying responses to declining drug combination levels over time.

Molecular orbital parameters. Electron densities, bonding energies, and superdelocalizabilities are determined from the molecular structure of complex molecules. These submolecular parameters recently were found to be very good predictors of biological activity of some tetracycline derivatives. Another recent research study found that measurements of submolecular parameters gave significant predictability of a physical response.

The cluster analysis program measures distances between clusters of subjects located in p-dimensional space as determined by p measurements per individual. Hence, this can be thought of as a generalized taxonomic classification tool and is being used currently to classify the anaerobic bacteria. Other uses might be to characterize sub-classes of disease clusters in terms of their distances from each other.

1,495,457 laboratory examinations were made in the Hospital Division last year.

Mrs. Virginia Churn Appointed Information Officer

Mrs. Virginia Gibson Churn has joined the Medical College of Virginia as an information officer in the office of development.

A native of Charlottesville, Mrs. Churn received her B.S. degree in journalism from Richmond Professional Institute (now the General Academic Division of Virginia Commonwealth University). A former reporter with the *Richmond News Leader*, she served as a staff writer for the University of Virginia last year. While at U. Va., she was assigned to the school of medicine.

Mrs. Churn's primary responsibilities at MCV are to plan and implement a news information service for the institution with the press, radio and television. Her appointment was effective January 1.

Head and Neck Anatomy Postgraduate Course To Be January 28-31

The Alton D. Brashear Postgraduate Course in Head and Neck Anatomy will be held January 28-31.

MCV faculty members lecturing at the four-day course are: Dr. J. W. Clabaugh, instructor in anatomy; Dr. M. C. England, assistant professor of

prosthodontics; Dr. R. K. Green, assistant professor of oral surgery; Dr. E. S. Hegre, professor of anatomy; Mrs. L. L. Jones, associate professor of anatomy; Dr. M. R. Schweisthal, associate professor of anatomy; Dr. H. R. Seibel, assistant professor of anatomy; and Dr. G. H. Williams, associate professor of otolaryngology.

Dr. R. P. White, assistant professor of oral surgery at the University of Kentucky, is guest faculty member for the course.

Dr. B. T. Cullen, Jr., Named Assistant Director of School of Hospital Administration

With the appointment of Dr. Thomas C. Barker, director of the school of hospital administration, as dean of the newly created school of allied health professions, Dr. Benjamin T. Cullen, Jr., associate professor of hospital administration, has been named assistant director of the school of hospital administration. Both Doctor Cullen and Dean Barker retain their "old" positions in addition to their new responsibilities.

Doctor Cullen joined MCV in 1959 as director of the personnel department. Named an associate in hospital administration in 1960, he was appointed to a full-time faculty position in the school of hospital administration in 1966.

Brockwell Named Director of Athletics

Arlick L. Brockwell, Jr., has been appointed an assistant professor of physical education for the school of nursing and director of athletics at MCV.

Mr. Brockwell, football coach and counselor at John Marshall High School from 1964-1968, received an A.B. degree from Duke University in 1958 and an M.Ed. degree from the University of Virginia in 1964. He has served as intramural athletics director at MCV on a part-time basis since 1964.

A native of Petersburg, Mr. Brockwell was an assistant football coach at the University of Virginia from 1962-1964 and athletic director and football coach at Prince George High School, 1958-1962. He is immediate past president of District Q of the Virginia Education Association, a former president of Phi Kappa Sigma, a member of the Virginia Coaches Association, and a member of Phi Delta Kappa, national honorary education fraternity.

TB Association Gives Spirometer to MCV

The Medical College of Virginia recently received the gift of a \$3,000 hi-fidelity spirometer from the Richmond Area Tuberculosis Association. This instrument measures air flow in breathing of patients with respiratory diseases.

Personal News Briefs

New faculty appointments approved by the MCV Advisory Board on December 13 were:

NEW APPOINTMENTS

Dr. Ajay S. Bhatnagar, research associate in physiology, effective December 1, 1968.

Dr. Walter L. Grubb, Jr., assistant professor of radiology, effective March 1.

Dr. Freeman C. Hays, lecturer in preventive medicine, effective January 1.

Dr. Sidney H. Horwitz, instructor in pedodontics, effective September 1, 1968.

Dr. Samuel R. Jones, instructor in obstetrics and gynecology, effective February 1.

Dr. Richard A. Lehew, instructor in orthodontics, effective September 1, 1968.

Dr. Rosa B. Tomsich, assistant professor of psychiatry, effective September 1, 1968.

Dr. Leslie S. Webb, Jr., instructor in oral diagnosis and therapeutics, effective September 1, 1968.

SCHOOL OF NURSING

On December 10th, students in the school of nursing chartered three buses, paid for out of their Student As-

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sociation funds, to go to Central State Hospital and sing Christmas carols to patients. While there, they took gifts of candy and shared this with all patients in the wards where they were singing.

Betty Joyce Moore, assistant professor of nutrition was the speaker at the annual meeting of the Richmond Area Dairy Council and Affiliates in December.

Dr. Mary Louise Paynich, associate professor and chairman of the department of public health nursing, attended the Subcommittee on Community Organization meeting of the ETV Public Health Science Project in Houston Texas, on December 13.

Dr. Joseph Golden, professor of sociology, has been elected to the Board of the Richmond Council on Human Relations and the American Civil Liberties Union, Capitol City area. Doctor Golden, a member of the faculty of the General Academic Division of VCU, teaches the course in sociology to the nursing students.

SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

Dr. Warren E. Weaver, dean, served as a member of a site visit team to Northeast Louisiana State College in Monroe, Louisiana, November 6-8. On November 21, Dean Weaver was in Washington, D.C., to attend a Symposium, National Pharmaceutical Council. Doctor Weaver attended the Federation of Associations of Schools of the Health Professions held in Chicago, Illinois, on December 11 and 12. On December 16-18, Dean Weaver served on a site visit team to the school of pharmacy of the University of Mississippi.

Dr. John Andrako, assistant dean, attended the meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association Academy of Pharmaceutical Sciences held in Washington, D.C., on November 17 and 18.

The following faculty members also attended the meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association Academy of Pharmaceutical Sciences: Dr. Marvin R. Boots, assistant professor; Dr. Jennifer A. Castleden, assistant professor; Dr. Werner Lowenthal, associate professor; Dr. Harold L. Smith, assistant professor; and Dr. James F. Stubbins, associate professor.

DEPARTMENT OF ANATOMY

Dr. John E. Norvell, assistant professor, addressed the Richmond Traffic Club on December 4 on the subject of "Basic Research in Organ Transplant."

**DEPARTMENT OF RADIOLOGY AND
SCHOOL OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY**

Dr. M. Pinson Neal, Jr., assistant dean and professor of radiology, was elected chairman of the Section of Radiology of the Southern Medical Association at its annual meeting held in New Orleans on November 19.

Dr. Seymour H. Levitt, professor and chairman of the division of radiation therapy and oncology, lectured at Mt. Sinai Hospital, New York City, as a guest professor on January 14-15.

Mrs. Barbara W. Dunnivant, R.N., R.T., an instructor in the school of radiologic technology, attended a workshop for radiologic technologists and instructors in Baltimore, Maryland, on January 18.

A. D. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL CLINIC

Mrs. Helen W. Matthews, nursing administrative assistant, has been elected president of District 5 of the Virginia Nurses Association.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Congratulations to Wayne L. Brown on his promotion from trades helper to motor vehicle operator.

BIRTHS

Our congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Farmer, credit department, on the birth of their daughter, Bonnie Lynn, on December 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Francis, personnel department, on the birth of their daughter, Chris Ann, on November 23.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred J. Grundbacher, department of biology and genetics, on the birth of their son, Ronald Waldo, on December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pierce, division of academic pathology, on the birth of their daughter, Donna Zemorina, on December 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robinson, Jr., division of academic pathology, on the birth of their daughter on December 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy D. Zupo, data processing department, on the birth of their son, Anthony James, on October 25.

SHARING SORROW

Our sympathy is extended to:

Mr. W. T. Dickerson, Sr., and Mr. W. T. Dickerson, Jr., department of buildings and grounds, in the death of Mr. Dickerson, Sr.'s, brother.

Mr. Julian C. Gunn, department of buildings and grounds, in the death of his father.

Mr. Theodore Turner, department of buildings and grounds, in the death of his sister.

WEDDING

Dr. Doris B. Yingling, dean of the school of nursing, and Dr. Harry Lyons, dean of the school of dentistry, were married January 2, 1969, in Monumental Church, with Rev. Ronald Merrix, former minister of Monumental Church, and Rev. Lavelly Gruber, pastor of Doctor Yingling's home church in Baltimore, officiating.

Dr. and Mrs. Lyons will honeymoon in Hawaii and San Francisco. Upon their return to Richmond, they will maintain an apartment in the Berkshire and a home in Stratford Hills.



Mrs. Hogan Retires from Linen Department

Mrs. Lou Irene Hogan, a seamstress in the linen department, retired December 31, 1968, after 14 years' service to the Medical College of Virginia. She is pictured above with Mr. E. E. Witherow, manager of the department, at a party held in honor of her retirement and of Christmas on December 20.

Buck-A-Month Club Fails To Reach Goal

IT WAS APPARENT AT PRESS TIME THAT THE BUCK-A-MONTH CLUB FUND RAISING CAMPAIGN CONDUCTED AT MCV LAST FALL DID NOT MEET ITS GOAL. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME IN 15 YEARS THAT THIS HAS HAPPENED.

IF YOU FAILED TO COMPLETE A PLEDGE CARD OR TO CONTRIBUTE TO THIS WORTHY CAUSE, WON'T YOU RECONSIDER YOUR DECISION AND CALL MR. HENRY CURRY, EXTENSION 5476, or DR. M. L. NEUROTH, EXTENSION 4659, FOR A NEW CARD?

HOW'S YOUR MORALE?

"Morale" is a word that has come into increasing use in the past few years. We speak of the morale of soldiers, of employees, and of citizens. It isn't anything you can feel or taste or see—yet morale makes all the difference in the world between happiness and discontent, both on and off the job.

Morale is easy to define—it's simply your MENTAL ATTITUDE, in terms of cheerfulness and enthusiasm, toward the world around you. The hard part is keeping a good morale day after day.

To begin with, you have to want good morale. We've all seen people who are always griping and complaining. They never seem to have a pleasant thought about anything. After a while, you begin to wonder if they don't enjoy suffering. Maybe you work next to a person like that, or maybe you're a little like that yourself. Either way, it's not the best way to spend a lifetime, is it?

Let's face it—some jobs are pretty routine, the same thing day after day.

If yours is like that, you will have to work extra hard to keep a cheerful attitude about it. It's a good feeling—a good morale booster—to know that you are a person others can count on. This includes a lot—coming to work on time, keeping up high work standards, following instructions intelligently, and cooperating with your boss and fellow workers. Cooperation is important because no matter how different your job is from the next person's, you are both part of the same team. Willingness to help others can do a lot to keep you cheerful, and you will know how much this means when you are in a tight spot yourself.

Initiative is important. This means not dawdling over your work or waiting to be told what to do next when you've finished an assignment. In terms of morale this means "how can I give?" and not "how much can I get?"

If you aren't sure you can do your job well, you will naturally dread going to work. The only way to improve morale on this point is to LEARN.

Ask questions about anything you don't understand and be sure to listen carefully to the explanations. The more knowledge you develop, the prouder you will be of the work you turn out. Pride goes hand in hand with confidence.

A neat office and desk with everything in its place is a great morale builder. It doesn't take long for sloppy surroundings to make sloppy attitudes. Company loyalty is important, too. Experts say a sense of belonging to something worthwhile is one of the most important components of job satisfaction.

Test your morale by asking this question: If I were my boss, would I be satisfied to have an employer like me? Would I hire myself?

Remember, you only live once and you spend at least half your waking hours at work, so doesn't it stand to reason that if you aren't happy there you won't be very happy anywhere else? Building good morale is the best way to start.

—Sylvia Carter in *Southern Accent*

ENROLLMENT 1968-1969

SCHOOLS AND COURSES	TOTALS	SCHOOLS AND COURSES	TOTALS
School of Medicine			
Class of 1969	100	Class of 1970	8
Class of 1970	104	Class of 1971	10
Class of 1971	119		21
Class of 1972	128		
	451	School of Physical Therapy	
School of Dentistry			
Class of 1969	71	Class of 1969	22
Class of 1970	70	Class of 1970	36
Class of 1971	70		58
Class of 1972	81		
	302	School of Hospital Administration	
School of Pharmacy			
Class of 1969	61	Class of 1969	27
Class of 1970	75	Class of 1970	23
Class of 1971	82		50
Class of 1972	20		
	238	School of Medical Technology	
School of Nursing			
Class of 1969	84	School of Graduate Studies	
Class of 1970	84	Returning	35
Class of 1971	93	Entering	44
Class of 1972	132		79
	393	Training Programs	
School of Radiologic Technology			
Class of 1969	3	Cytology	2
		Blood Bank	2
		Postgraduate Dentists	7
		Dietetic Interns	13
		EEG	9
		X-ray Technology	23
			56
		Housestaff	
			293
		GRAND TOTAL	1971

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psychiatry, University of Illinois.

MCV faculty on the program will be Dr. Richard H. Armstrong, assistant professor of psychiatry; Dr. Ronald H. G. Butcher, associate professor of psychiatry; Dr. Patrick H. Drewry, Jr., professor of psychiatry; Dr. Gilbert N. Ferris, assistant professor of psychiatry; Dr. Merritt W. Foster, Jr., associate clinical professor of psychiatry; Dr. Milton D. Friedenberg, assistant clinical professor of psychiatry; Dr. L. Martin Harris, assistant professor of psychiatry; Dr. F. Paul Kosbab, associate professor of psychiatry; Dr. George Kriegman, clinical professor of psychiatry; Dr. Henry D. Lederer, professor and chairman, department of psychiatry; Dr. William W. McDonough, clinical instructor in psychiatry; Dr. Kinloch Nelson, dean of

the school of medicine; and Dr. Douglas F. Powers, professor and chairman, division of child psychiatry.

The Stoneburner Lecture Series will be held in Baruch Auditorium.

LIFE'S ENDEAVORS

"I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do or any kindness that I can show to any fellow-being, let me do it now. Let me not defer nor neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

13,203 operations were performed at MCV last year.

Student fees furnished 6.99 percent of the total income in the College Division last year.

Gifts, Grants, and Contracts to MCV Increase

Gifts, grants, and contracts to the Medical College of Virginia during the first six months of the current fiscal year topped last year's totals by \$232,273.04.

Income was up in each of the three categories in the July-December, 1963 period. Gifts amounted to \$120,-693.39, compared to \$112,399.43 in the previous year. Grants were \$3,631,-206.10 against \$3,499,770.02. Contracts totaled \$584,800, compared to \$492,-257.

Gifts, grants, and contracts during the first six months of 1968-1969 were \$4,336,699.49. The total for the similar period last year was \$4,104,426.45.