Juan Taveras Named To Head Mallinckrodt

Dr. Juan Taveras will be the new director of the Edward Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology. Dr. Taveras is now professor of radiology at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City. He is expected to join the faculty soon after January 1, 1965.

Dr. Taveras, Columbia University faculty member since 1950, is internationally known for his research and publications dealing with radiology of the nervous system. His book, *Diagnostic Neuroradiology*, written with Dr. Ernest Wood, appeared in 1964 and is regarded as the definitive work in this area. At Columbia, Dr. Taveras was director of radiology at the Neurological Institute.

Dr. Taveras will be the third director of the Institute, which opened in 1931. The present facility and its expansion were made possible by gifts of the Mallinckrodt family.

Edward Mallinckrodt, Jr., has recently made a gift to enlarge the Institute's research, educational and patient service activities.

Dr. Taveras graduated from the Normal School of Santiago, Dominican Republic, and received his M.D. degree from the University of Santo Domingo. He entered the Graduate School of Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania in 1944 for training in radiology and received a second M.D. degree in 1949 from there.

Gildea Portrait Is Presented

A portrait of Dr. Edwin Gildea, former head of the psychiatry department, was presented to that department recently. The portrait is a gift of Dr. Gildea's friends and colleagues in recognition of his services. Dr. Gildea retired as head in 1963 and is now Renard Professor of Psychiatry. The portrait will be hung in Renard Hospital.

At the presentation, Dr. Gildea was cited for his encouragement of real academic freedom. He was one of the first in American psychiatry to apply the principles of basic science to psychiatry. Dr. Eli Robins, present head, made the presentation.

Vice Chancellor's & Dean's Offices Are Now Located in North Building

The Office of the Dean and the Vice Chancellor's Office have been moved to Room 1812 located in the North Building of the School of Medicine adjacent to the auditorium. Telephone numbers for the Dean's Office remain the same, 461, 462. The Vice Chancellor's numbers are 3013, 3014.
Early Electron Microscope
Now on Display in Anatomy

The first electron microscope used in the United States for biological research is on display in the department of anatomy, third floor of the North Building. It was constructed by Dr. Gordon Scott in 1935-36.

Dr. Scott, who is now vice president in charge of medical affairs at Wayne State University, Detroit, built the unit to aid in locating calcium, magnesium, sodium, and potassium as metallic salts either intra- or extra-cellularly.

This early device was an emission microscope, that is the specimen emitted the electrons; whereas today's electron microscopes are transmission types in which the electrons pass through the specimens. In Dr. Scott's model, the specimen was heated on a cathode until it was ash. A high voltage then drove the electrons onto a fluorescent screen which could be photographed.

SKF Foreign Fellowships
Available for Students

The Association of American Medical Colleges has announced that Smith, Kline & French Foreign Fellowships will be awarded again next year. The grants enable students to broaden their medical knowledge by serving in remote stations in underdeveloped areas for a period of at least ten weeks.

Fellowships are available to students who have completed their junior year, with eligibility continuing through their senior year. Descriptive brochures and application forms for the 1965 program are available through Dr. M. Kenton King, Acting Dean. The closing date for submitting applications is December 31, 1964.

Miss Mary Lou Fitzgibbons, administrative secretary to the Alumni Association, died suddenly October 30. Miss Fitzgibbons was a graduate of the University of Missouri School of Journalism. She was public relations specialist for the Missouri Section of Vocational Rehabilitation before joining the WU staff in 1961.
Drs. Luse & Lacy Honored at Mayo Convocation

Dr. Sarah Luse, professor of anatomy and pathology, and Dr. Paul Lacy, head and professor of the department of pathology, were among 35 distinguished alumni of the Mayo Graduate School who received Outstanding Achievement Awards from the University of Minnesota at the Mayo Centennial Convocation.

Dr. Luse was honored for her research on the central nervous system and on the nature of cancer cells. Dr. Lacy was cited for significant research on insulin-producing tumors and for studies concerned with the pancreas.

The convocation was held as part of the Mayo Centennial Year events commemorating the births of Drs. William and Charles Mayo.

History of Science and Medicine Society to Meet Oct. 12

Dr. Lloyd Hawes, archivist of the New England Roentgen Ray Society and a member of the radiology department at Harvard Medical School, will speak on X-ray visualization of the biliary tract at this year's first meeting of the History of Science and Medicine Society at 8:15 p.m., Monday, October 12. The meeting, which will be held in Clopton Amphitheatre, is open to faculty, students, and all interested persons. Dr. Hawes will include in his discussion material on the oral cholecystogram developed at Washington University School of Medicine.

Holiday Schedule for 1964-65 for Academic and Non-Academic Personnel

Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 26, 1964
Christmas Holiday All day Thursday and Friday and Saturday Morning, December 24, 25, 26
New Year's Holiday One-half day beginning at noon, Thursday, all day Friday and Saturday morning, December 31, 1964 and January 1 and 2, 1965
Memorial Day falls on Sunday, May 30, 1965. Monday, May 31 will be the Holiday.
Independence Days falls on Sunday, July 4. Monday, July 5, will be the Holiday.
Labor Day Monday, September 6, 1965