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The
JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE
of Philadelphia

131st COMMENCEMENT



FRIDAY, JUNE SEVENTEENTH, 1955 . . . ELEVEN O'CLOCK
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PROCESSIONAL MARCH

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

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GEORGE PACKER BERRY, M.D.
Dean, School of Medicine of Harvard University

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Gynecology Prize. In Honor of Professor Scheffey, to be given annually by Mrs. Albert Strickler, to a Senior Student, for the best examination, thesis, and general excellence in Gynecology, to
FREDERICK WILLIAM SUNDERMAN, JR.
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Orthopedic Surgery Prize. By Professor DePalma, for general excellence in Orthopedic Surgery, to
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Paris Alexander Shoaff, III	New Castle, Pa.	David Ogden Zenker	St. Davids, Pa.
		Robert Frank Zuch	Essex Fells, N. J.

THE GRADUATE COURSE IN MEDICAL SCIENCES

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Seymour W. Milstein (Biochemistry) Brooklyn, N. Y.
Thesis: "The Synthesis of fat in adipose tissue."

Clara M. Ambrus, M.D. (Pharmacology) Rome, Italy
Thesis: "Fate of white blood cells and effect of drugs thereon with special reference to the hematological mode of action of epinephrine."

Richard John Matthews, Jr. (Pharmacology) .. Scranton, Pa.
Thesis: "The effect of L-epinephrine, L-norepinephrine and DL-isopropylarterenol on transmission in the superior cervical ganglion of the cat."

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Anthony V. Marturano (Bacteriology) Philadelphia, Pa.
Joseph F. Borzelleca (Pharmacology) Norristown, Pa.
IN ABSENTIA
Julia Z. Rutman (Physiology) Shenandoah, Pa.
IN ABSENTIA

GEOGRAPHICAL RECAPITULATION

The Course in Medicine

PENNSYLVANIA	109	CONNECTICUT	1
NEW JERSEY	21	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	1
WEST VIRGINIA	8	GEORGIA	1
NEW YORK	6	ILLINOIS	1
MISSISSIPPI	4	MARYLAND	1
FLORIDA	3	NORTH CAROLINA	1
INDIANA	2	OKLAHOMA	1
MASSACHUSETTS	2	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
OHIO	2	VIRGINIA	1
RHODE ISLAND	2	WISCONSIN	1
		TOTAL	169

The foregoing additions bring the total number of names on the list of Graduates in the Medical Course to 19,084