

MAXWELL S. JONES, director of the social rehabilitation unit at Belmont Hospital, Surrey, England, and noted for his contribution to a new "unlocked-door" type of psychiatric care, will serve as visiting professor of psychiatry at Stanford University Medical School for the year beginning 1 July. He will assist in setting up a psychiatric treatment unit at the university's new medical center, which is being built on the Palo Alto campus.

J. GARROTT ALLEN, professor of surgery at the University of Chicago, has been named head of the department of surgery at Stanford University Medical School, effective 1 July.

ALBERT BARKER, professor of microbial biochemistry at the University of California, Berkeley, received the Neuberger Medal of the American Society of European Chemists at a recent meeting held at the Rockefeller Institute.

HENRY S. KAPLAN, professor of radiology at Stanford University Medical School, has received the Bertha Goldblatt Teplitz Award of the Ann Langer Cancer Research Foundation of Chicago.

W. WARD PIGMAN, professor of biochemistry at the University of Alabama Medical Center, will receive the 1959 Hudson Award of the American Chemical Society's Carbohydrate Division at the 136th annual ACS meeting in Atlantic City in September.

GERTRUDE RAND (Mrs. Clarence E. Ferree), research associate emeritus of ophthalmology at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, has received the 1959 Edgar D. Tillyer Medal of the Optical Society of America.

DONALD E. CAMERON, chairman of the department of psychiatry at McGill University, Montreal, has received the \$2500 Samuel Rubin Award for outstanding achievements in mental health. The presentation took place at the Postgraduate Center for Psychotherapy in New York. Cameron also serves as psychiatrist-in-chief and chairman of the medical board of the Royal Victoria Hospital, director of the Allan Memorial Institute, president of the Canadian Psychiatric Association, and past president of the American Psychiatric Association.

KARL W. MAIER of the Winchester-Western Division of the Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation, has been appointed scientific adviser to the corporation's vice president for research and development.

ATLE SELBERG and DEANE MONTGOMERY, both mathematicians at the Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J., will be visiting lecturers in mathematics at Yeshiva University's Graduate School of Mathematical Sciences for the academic year 1959-60.

ARNOLD ARCH, air pollution control director at Niagara Falls, has been named executive secretary of the Air Pollution Control Association, Pittsburgh, Pa., effective 1 July. He will also serve as a senior fellow at the Mellon Institute, where he will head the Air Pollution Association's multiple air purification fellowship.

Recent recipients of honorary degrees include the following:

DETLEV W. BRONK, president of the Rockefeller Institute and the National Academy of Sciences, from the University of California, La Jolla.

LAWRENCE K. FRANK, research scholar in human relations in the department of planning at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, from Wayne State University.

THEODORE VON KARMAN, chairman of the Graduate School of Aeronautics at the University of California Institute of Technology, from Wayne State University.

ANDRE M. LWOFF, head of the department of microbial physiology, Pasteur Institute, Paris, from the University of Chicago.

CLESSON E. MASON, consultant to the petroleum industry, from Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio.

GEORGE E. MYLONAS, professor and chairman of the art and archeology department at Washington University, from Ohio State University.

LYDIA J. ROBERTS, chairman of the home economics department at the University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras, from Ohio State University.

PAUL B. SEARS, chairman of the conservation program at Yale University, from Wayne State University.

EDWARD C. TOLMAN, professor of psychology emeritus of the University of California, from the University of California.

### Recent Deaths

BENJAMIN M. BLOCH, New York; 58; chemist and administrator of the Weizmann Institute of Science in Israel since 1925; 26 Apr.

RICHARD M. BRICKNER, New York; 62; neuropsychiatrist and assistant professor of neurology at the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University; staff member of the Neurological Institute of the Columbia-Pres-

byterian Medical Center and Mount Sinai Hospital for 25 years; founder of the Multiple Sclerosis Society; author of *Is Germany Incurable* and *The Intellectual Functions of the Frontal Lobes*; 25 Apr.

DAVID C. BULL, New York; 66; practicing physician and leader in the development of blood-transfusion techniques and blood banks; assistant clinical professor at the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University, 1938-56; acting chief of clinic at the Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center Vanderbilt Clinic, 1931-45; attending surgeon at Presbyterian Hospital, 1930-57; a founder of the Blood Transfusion Association, 18 Apr.

FRED H. H. CALHOUN, Lexington, N.C.; 85; dean emeritus of Clemson College school of chemistry and geology; joined the college in 1904 as professor of geology and mineralogy and retired in 1947; 2 May.

IRMA K. CRONHEIM, New York; 85; resident physician at the Oceanside Gardens Sanatorium from 1943 until retirement in 1957; came to the U.S. in 1940, after many years of practice in Berlin, the first woman to obtain a medical degree in Germany; 26 Apr.

STUART A. FALCONER, Darien, Conn.; 60; chief metallurgist for the American Cyanamid Company; had been with the company since 1927; 26 Apr.

FREDERICK K. LOOMIS, Norwalk, Conn.; 41; physicist at the Springdale Laboratories of Time, Inc.; former chairman of the Western Fairfield County Chapter of the Optical Society of America; 1 May.

WILLIAM F. OGBURN, Tallahassee, Fla.; 72; sociologist, social statistician, and social philosopher; retired in 1951 as Sewell L. Avery distinguished service professor of sociology of the University of Chicago; visiting professor of sociology at Florida State University since 1953; taught at Columbia University, the universities of Calcutta and Delhi in India, and Oxford; former vice president of the AAAS and of the Social Science Research Council; author of many books; 28 Apr.

REUBEN OTTENBERG, New York; 77; hematologist and internist, who was one of the first in New York to perform a matched blood transfusion; former assistant professor of clinical medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University; 25 Apr.

MARTIN G. VORHAUS, New York; 62; specialist in internal medicine, particularly in gastroenterology, and a pioneer in the clinical use of vitamin B<sub>1</sub> in the treatment of neuritis; former chief of the medical service at the Hospital for Joint Diseases; author of *A Guide to General Medical Practice*.