

American Roentgen Ray Society, one of the highest honors in the field of radiology.

JOHN H. MANLEY has been named a research adviser at the University of California's Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory. Manley had previously been with the laboratory but left in 1951 to become professor and executive officer of the department of physics at the University of Washington.

GENE M. NORDBY has been appointed program director for engineering sciences at the National Science Foundation. He succeeds EDWARD E. LITKENHOUS, who has returned to the faculty of Vanderbilt University. Before joining the foundation a year ago as an engineer, Nordby was a member of the civil engineering faculty at Purdue University and at the University of Colorado.

ROBERT N. FAIMAN, chairman of electrical engineering at North Dakota State College (Fargo), will also be with the NSF Engineering Sciences Program for the forthcoming year. He is on leave from his institution and will serve in the capacity of engineer.

ALVIN F. COBURN, for 3 years resident physician at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center, New York, has been appointed director of clinical investigation in the Laboratories for Pharmaceutical Development, Yonkers, N.Y. He is known for his role in the demonstration of the relationship between an antecedent beta hemolytic streptococcal respiratory infection and rheumatic fever.

HELEN E. ELLIOTT, former assistant director (clinical) at Central Islip (N.Y.) State Hospital, has been appointed deputy assistant commissioner in the New York Department of Mental Hygiene. She will serve as assistant to Henry Brill, assistant commissioner in charge of the Division of Research and Medical Services.

JOHN J. BLASKO, former commissioner of mental health for Connecticut, has been appointed chief of the Veterans Administration Psychiatry Division in the Psychiatry and Neurology Service, Washington, D.C. He succeeds STEWART T. GINSBERG, who left the Veterans Administration in May to become commissioner of Mental Health for Indiana.

W. E. HANFORD, formerly vice president of the M. W. Kellogg Company, has been appointed assistant to the president, research and development, at the Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation, New York.

C. L. GAREY, formerly of the Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station, has joined the staff of the Institute of Paper Chemistry at Appleton, Wis. A research associate, he will be engaged chiefly with the fundamental study of clays, their behavior in liquid suspensions and their use in paper coating.

KATHERINE DODD has been appointed distinguished professor of pediatrics in the University of Louisville School of Medicine. Dr. Dodd is retiring as chairman of the pediatrics department at the University of Arkansas, which she has served for the past 5 years. Previously she taught at the University of Cincinnati for 9 years and at Vanderbilt University for 18 years.

BYRON B. CLARK, for 10 years head of the department of pharmacology at Tufts University School of Medicine, has been appointed director of pharmacology in the Research Division of Mead Johnson and Company, Evansville, Ill.

THOMAS H. JOHNSON will resign as director of the research division of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission on 1 Oct. to become manager of the research division of the Raytheon Manufacturing Company, Waltham, Mass.

### Recent Deaths

PETER BEASLEY, Bronxville, N.Y.; 67; aeronautical engineer; shared in the development of a one-man helicopter and other flying devices; 9 Aug.

PHILIP BUCKY, New York, N.Y.; 58; professor of mining at Columbia University and inventor of a device to determine the stress of gravitation beneath the surface of the earth; 8 Aug.

MARY CAMPBELL, Reedsville, Pa.; 81; educational, research, and administrative worker for organizations for the blind here and abroad; received Shotwell memorial award of the American Association of Workers for the Blind and the Migel medal of the American Foundation for the Blind; editor of *Outlook for the Blind*; 8 Aug.

PERCY W. CARR, Maplewood, N.J.; 60; former consulting engineer in New York; general manager of plastics division at Curtiss-Wright; 8 Aug.

MANDRED W. COMFORT, Rochester, Minn.; 62; specialist in diseases of the stomach and member of Mayo Clinic staff; professor at the Mayo Foundation; 7 Aug.

EARL E. EBY, West Orange, N.Y.; 71; electrical engineer and retired manager of the power and equipment division of General Motors Overseas Division; inventor; 8 Aug.

MICHAEL FEKETE, Rehavia, Is-

rael; 71; for 27 years professor of mathematics at Hebrew University's Institute of Mathematics, of which he was a former chairman; also had served as dean of the university's faculty of science; taught for many years at the University of Budapest; 13 May.

JOHN H. McFARLANE, Cranford, N.J.; 59; for 40 years a petroleum engineer for Charles Martin and Company; 10 Aug.

HOYT MILLER, Great Neck, L.I.; 74; chemist and for many years a vice president and director of the New York Times Company; 7 Aug.

RUSSELL C. MILLER, Easton, Pa.; 67; retired mathematics teacher at Polytechnic Preparatory School, Brooklyn; 11 Aug.

FREDERICK G. NOVY, Ann Arbor, Mich.; 92; dean of the University of Michigan Medical School; contributed to the growth of bacteriology as a discipline; established first antirabies station in the United States; first to demonstrate anaphylotoxin, later recognized as histamine; 8 Aug.

RAYMOND R. PATY, Knoxville, Tenn.; 61; one of the two members of the three-man board of directors for the Tennessee Valley Authority who opposed the Dixon-Yates contract; former president of University of Alabama and chancellor of the University System of Georgia; 7 Aug.

OTTO SCHROETER, Waterford, Conn.; 76; engineer and entomologist who worked on the Panama Canal; since retirement, a breeder of moths for research purposes; 12 Aug.

ALEXANDER P. SCHORSCH, Chicago, Ill.; 75; experimental psychologist and dean emeritus of the Graduate School of DePaul University (1928-52); 10 Aug.

ROSE TRAINOR, Troy, N.Y.; 71; retired director of sales and publicity for the division of the blind in the Massachusetts Department of Education; pioneer in teaching the blind who organized and taught classes for servicemen blinded in World War I; author of several textbooks for the blind and former member of the staff of the Boston School of Occupational Therapy; 10 Aug.

LAZARUS TROMMER, Queens, N.Y.; 69; retired civil engineer and author; designed various sections of New York's subway and elevated system; 8 Aug.

HEINRICH WIELAND, Munich, Germany; 90; won Nobel prize for research with cholic acids and development of Lobelin, a breathing stimulant; 1925-52, professor of chemistry and director of the chemical laboratory at the University of Munich; member of U.S. National Academy of Sciences and recipient of France's Lavoisier medal; 5 Aug.