

Dr. Lenox D. Baker

# National Award to Dr. Baker

On January 28, Dr. Lenox D. Baker, of the Duke Hospital Orthopedic Surgery staff, received the 1957 Physician's Award of President Eisenhower's Committee on Employnent of the Physically Handicapped. The award is given annually to the doctor who, in the opinion of a group of impartial judges, has made the greatest contribution to the physically handicapped. Dr. Baker was selected from among 37 physicians throughout the Nation who had been recommended by their Governor's Commissions. The formal presentation of the award, an illuminated scroll bearing the signature of President Eisenhower, was made by Major General Melvin J. Maas, Chairman of the President's Committee on Employment of the Physically Handicapped, at the annual convention of the American Medical Association's Congress of Industrial Health in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Dr. Baker is well known for his leadership in the battle against cerebral palsy. A key figure in organizing the N. C. Cerebral Palsy Hospital and Cerebral Palsy School in Durham, Dr. Baker has been medical

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## Psychiatry

Welcome to two new secretaries in the Department, Mrs. Judy Pulley and Miss Ann Kuhns. Miss Joan Klug is the new receptionist.

### Psysical Therapy

Twenty-one physical therapy students were graduated at exercises held in the Union Ballroom on December 12. Colonel Harriet Lee, A.M.S.C., gave the commencement address. Her subject was Some Guideposts to Professional Maturity. Of these students, four remained in North Carolina, and two of them, Miss Penny Wood and Mrs. Robert H. Gibbs, formerly Miss Carolyn Alderman, we are pleased to welcome as staff members.

On December 1, Mrs. Eleanor Malone accepted an interim appointment on the physical therapy teaching staff. In addition to being a graduate of the Duke physical therapy program, Mrs. Malone is a graduate of Agnes Scott and Columbia Teachers College. Mrs. Malone has had extensive experience in the physical therapy management of patients with chronic diseases, especially poliomyelitis, and will be responsible for this phase of the physical therapy program.

#### Obstetrics and Gynecology

Welcome back to Dr. Van Freeman who spent the month of January at Boston Lying-In hospital. Mr. Maynard Guderian, the exchange staff member, has gone back to Boston.

Also, we welcome back Louise

director of the hospital since 1950. He is a member of the North Carolina Employ the Physically Handicapped Commission. Last year he was honored by this Commission as the North Carolina physician who had done the most during 1956 in behalf of physically handicapped persons.

Kaufmann who has returned from California to resume her work in the Papnicolaou smear laboratory.

Dr. Paul Green, Jr., has left the department to begin practice in Salisbury, North Carolina.

Welcome to two new internes: Howard Satterfield and Robert Ellington.

### Surgery

Dr. Victor Politano has returned to Duke from Boston and is now on the Urology Staff.

Dr. Frank Clippinger has completed his residency in Orthopaedics and is now on the Orthopaedic Senior Staff at Duke.

Miss Mary Forrest has resigned as secretary to Dr. Banks Anderson to open a dress shop in Hillsboro, her home town. She has been replaced by Mrs. Helen McCandless of Durham.

Mrs. Ethel Girvin has been employed as a part-time secretary in Dr. Anderson's office.

# Surgical Private Diagnostic Clinic

Mrs. Grayce Carver, R.N., has moved to Monroe, N. C. Her husband will be working in Charlotte.

Miss Judith Rush, R.N., of Greenville, S. C., and Memorial Hospital, Chapel Hill, has joined the nursing staff in S.P.D.C. She will fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Carver.

Mrs. Isabelle Carroll joins the Insurance Office of S.P.D.C.

Mrs. Katherine Wilkinson joins the Business Office.

#### Medicine

The Department of Medicine has received 124 applications for medical internship for July 1958 and 90 for junior assistant residency.

#### Anesthesia

Welcome to Dr. Josette Brugerolle, a new resident, from France who will be with us for six months, and to Miss Annie Mae Truitt, nurse anesthetist from Sparta, North Carolina.

The following nurse anesthetists began the Department's 18 month