Announcements

Northern California Component

The Northern California Component of the Edward H. Angle Society of Orthodontia met at the Sequoyah Country Club in Oakland, January 11, 1951 for an afternoon and evening meeting.

Although some of the members came early for golf, the formal part of the program began at 3 o'clock with round table sessions on diagnosis and treatment planning, led by Drs. K. F. Terwilliger, G. W. Hahn, L. A. Huberty, and G. H. Terwilliger. Each participant wrote out an analysis and treatment plan for each case shown, using original records only, after which final records were displayed for general discussion.

After a steak dinner in the Club dining room, the group returned to the meeting room for a discussion of extra-oral anchorage, with various types of devices displayed and discussed by those using them. A business session brought the meeting to a close at 10:30 P.M.; a feature of these proceedings was the election to full membership of Drs. Elgin Jackson, Benjamin Ledyard, Jr., Everett Watkins and Arnold Wieser. All four had previously been affiliate members.

Southern California Component

The December meeting of the Component was held on the eighth of the month at Mike Lyman's Restaurant in Hollywood. Following a business session, Dr. John B. Hopkins presented a paper entitled "The Dental Health Program in the Los Angeles City Schools and Its Relation to Preventive Orthodontics". The essay was accomplished by slides which presented national and local data on the subject; the topic was discussed at length by the group.

Dr. Hopkins was elected to regular membership at this meeting.

The January meeting was held January 8, 1951 in the same place. In addition to the usual orthodontic program, the Component got a report on a world tour recently concluded by Dr. John Griffin.

Dr. Fay Van presented an essay entitled "Some Orthodontic Considerations Involved in Third Molar Complications", based on the returns of questionnaires distributed to 200 orthodontists in the United States. The spirited discussion which followed testified to the continued interest which the subject holds for orthodontists, and to the differences of opinion which persist.

Dr. Roscoe Keedy presented a paper on "Anchorage", illustrated with projected slides, in which he reviewed fundamental principles and paid respects to Case and other pioneers in the field, leading up to a definitive statement of current thought on the subject.

In addition to the formal papers at this meeting there were table clinics provided by Drs. Kratzer, Shannon, Brown and Ridgeway.

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University of Minnesota

Fellowships and Teaching Assistantships are available for a limited number of graduate students in the University of Minnesota School of Dentistry. Stipends for these appointments range from \$1200 to \$3600 per year and include tuition exemption. Graduate study programs may be arranged with a major in Orthodontics, Oral Pathology, Oral Surgery, Oral Medicine (including Periodontia), or Restorative Dentistry (Operative, Prosthetics, Pedodontia, or Endodontia.) The course in these areas vary in length from two to three years. An alternate program, in the basic sciences with special reference to dentistry, leads to the PhD degree.

Persons interested in these appointments should write for an information bulletin and application form to the Dean of the Graduate School, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis 14, Minnesota.