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INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE FEATURES

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FOUNDATION FACTS

NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF MENTAL HEALTH GRANT TO INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE FOUNDATION: The Foundation is pleased to announce approval from the National Institutes of Mental Health for a five-year training grant in the amount of \$639,522 in support of the Foundation's pilot plant studies on Employee Mental Health and Occupation Health Nursing Practices. (See Industrial Hygiene Digest 28:7 pp.1, July 1964, 28:11 pp.11, Nov. 1964 and Nursing Series, Bulletin No. 1).

ASSISTANCE TO FOUNDATION MEMBERS: Representatives of the Laundry and Dry Cleaning Association visited Drs. deTreville and Rinehart at Mellon Institute on April 5 to discuss an information research project. Others, from the Asbestos and Fiberglass Industry, met with Drs. Gross and deTreville on April 12 to discuss work on Asbestos in progress in the Foundation's Research Laboratory. Drs. John G. Keller, American Petroleum Institute, Committee for Air and Water Conservation and David Andrews, Manufacturing Chemists' Association, Committee on Atmospheric Pollution, visited Dr. Gross' Laboratory during April to discuss the progress of emphysema studies.

STAFF ACTIVITIES: On April 21, Dr. deTreville was elected a fellow of the American College of Physicians. He attended the American Industrial Health Conference in Detroit the week of April 25. He met during April with the Foundation's Engineering, Chemical-Toxicological, Legal, Medical and Nursing Committees to finalize details of the 31st Annual Meeting program in preparation for the meeting of the Foundation's Board of Trustees on May 10 at Mellon Institute.

Dr. deTreville will speak on "Management of Environmental and Occupational Health Problems" on May 13 at the Pennsylvania Chamber of Commerce sponsored 14th Annual Clean Streams and Clean Air Conference in Harrisburg and on "The Industrial Hygiene Foundation and The Occupational Health Nurses" at a meeting of the Pennsylvania State Association of Industrial Nurses on May 14 at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel in Pittsburgh.

Dr. Gross has accepted an invitation to moderate a session at the 2nd Annual Conference on Atmospheric Contamination in Confined Spaces, to be held May 4 in Dayton, Ohio under the sponsorship of the Aerospace Medical Research Laboratory, U.S. Air Force Systems Command.

INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE FOUNDATION EXHIBIT: IHF will have an exhibit on emphysema research at the American Industrial Hygiene Association meeting in Pittsburgh, May 23-27.

THE 31st ANNUAL MEETING will be held on OCTOBER 18-19, 1966 at Pittsburgh's new Chatham Center.

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