

University of Iowa Medical School, and Dr. Phillips Thygeson, formerly Professor of Ophthalmology at Columbia University, and now Associate Professor at the University of California, will serve on the Advisory Board. Dr. A. Ray Irvine, Professor of Ophthalmology at the University of Southern California, will act as Chairman of the original board. It is contemplated that the Advisory Board will also include prominent business and professional leaders as well as representatives from the eye departments of local hospitals, medical schools, and from the Eye Section of the Los Angeles County Medical Association.

Dr. Peter Soudakoff, formerly Associate Professor of Ophthalmology at the Peking Union Medical College, will serve as full time pathologist at the laboratory. As part of the residency programme of the Eye Service of the Los Angeles County General Hospital and of certain local Veteran's Hospitals, each resident will spend two or three months at the laboratory. It is anticipated also that a research associate, granted a fellowship in basic ophthalmic research by the foundation, will be added to the laboratory staff from time to time.

In creating this perpetual charitable foundation dedicated to the conservation and restoration of eyesight, Mrs. Edward Doheny, with great generosity and discerning wisdom, has been careful to insure a flexibility of organization to take care of the immediate practical needs and at the same time provide for eventual development of much needed research in ophthalmology.

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Let there be Light The 32nd annual report of the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, 1946 has the above title. The year has shown a resurgence of activities and the report indicates that the society is in a flourishing condition. During the year a three-day conference was held which was largely attended, the whole being most successful. During the year the Society has established nine scholarships of \$1000 for the education of qualified students interested in preparing for positions in the field of sight conservation and prevention of blindness. An industrial eye conservation programme has been worked out; and during a fortnight in June, the Society gave an intensive course of lectures and demonstrations at headquarters. Research is being actively undertaken, and nation-wide meetings are being organised. The campaign against glaucoma goes on. A summary of the year's finances completes the report.

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Corrigenda In the review of Kestenbaum's "Clinical Method of Neuro-Ophthalmologic Examination" p. 508, the publishers name should read Grune & Stratton, Inc. not Green & Stratton. And by an error the date 1949 was given for Troncoso's Treatise in gonioscopy in place of 1947.