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# Chronology of KANSAS STATE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, INC.

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#### Chronology



Campus of the Kansas State Chiropractic College, date unknown

1938 (???): Associated Chiropractic Colleges of America News [1(2)], published by Carl S. Cleveland, Sr., D.C., includes (Cleveland papers, CCC/KC):

-"Meet the Kansas Board" (p. 3); includes photograph:



Reading from left to right (Standing) Dr. F.J. Kolar, 320 N. Market, Wichita, Kansas; Dr. Hugh J. Mitchell, Vice Pres., 221.5 N. Penn. Ave., Independence, Kansas; (Sitting) Dr. Anna M. Foy, Sec.-Treas., 718 Kansas Ave., Topeka, Kansas; Dr. Grace Keiser, 1412 W. 8th St., Topeka, Kansas; Rev. F.O. Hesse, D.C., Pres., 1318 Polk St., Topeka, Kansas.

Kansas, the first state to have a Chiropractic Law, is very proud of her law, her board and her record Chiropractically. Kansas has a number of nationally known and respected leaders on her Board, which makes this Board one of the outstanding Boards in the United States. Dr. Anna M. Foy, the Sec.-Treas., as legislative counsel for the Kansas Chiropractors for many years, has much inside knowledge on the actual legal situation. As an officer in both State and National Associations, she has added much to that wealth of understanding, until now possibly no Board Secretary in America is more thoroughly conversant with our national problems and more capable of exercising intelligent leadership than Dr. Foy.

-"Dr. H.O. Blanchat" (p. 3); includes photograph:



Representative – 69th District, Wellington, Kansas

Out in Kansas, the first state in the United States to have a Chiropractic Law, we have learned to respect the ideas and strength of this "One Man Army," Dr. H.O. Blanchat of Kansas. A fearless battler for Chiropractic, he asks no quarter and gives none. In one convention he is severely lambasted and criticized, only to be commended by those same critics at the next convention, who admit he was right.

Sixty years young, a school teacher at the age of fifteen, his has been an active life. At the age of twenty-one, he was a County Chairman and passed the Bar Examination in 1908. A Chiropractor since 1914 (P.S.C. and Ph.D. Carver 1935), he has one of the finest businesses in the State of Kansas. He was a member of the Kansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners from 1929 to 1934 and has been a Representative in the Legislature since 1931, now serving his fourth continuous term.

Dr. H.O. Blanchat has been on the Chiropractic Legislative Defense Lobby since 1928.

He is a 100% Chiropractor, having conducted a "By Hand" Practice without deviation, for twenty-four years. We are looking forward to future articles in the NEWS on Legislation and Legislative Procedure by Dr. Blanchat.

1942: Fred J. Carver, D.C. (brother of Willard) proposes formation of professionally owned school to Kansas DCs (Beideman, 1995, p. 140); 174 founders contribute \$20K to open institution

### 1940s: according to Metz (1965, pp. 72-7):

#### THE WICHITA COLLEGES

It was at the 1942 convention that the question first came up as to the disposition of the Colvin Chiropractic College, which that couple had maintained since the first licenses were procured in 1915. Both their vigor and the supply of students were running low, so the problem was turned over to the K.C.A. Board of Directors. The good wartime wages and the draft was siphoning off the young men that might have been student prospects.

The convention in 1943, at Wichita, on the advise of K.C.A. Board of Directors, decided not to buy the Colvin College. This ambitious couple were natives of Jewell County, and had been school teachers. He had graduated from Western Normal College, in Lincoln, Nebraska, as well as from the Kansas University law department, in 1900. After their marriage in 1908, both studied Chiropractic in the Darling and Baker Chiropractic College of Wichita. They next took post graduate work in the Carver Chiropractic College of Oklahoma City, and finally **bought out the Darling College**, and continued training students in this new health preserving method until 1943. Mrs. Colvin was frequently taking special courses in such other Colleges as Lindlahr's College of Natural Therapeutics, and in Chiropractic Colleges of Ross, in Indiana, of Palmer's, in Davenport, and the National of Chicago.

In earlier years of the K.C.A., each of the Colvins was chosen as a Director of that organization. Then, Dr. J.L. was named to the Board of Examiners for two three-year terms, after which Dr. Cora was appointed for two terms, also.

With his advancing years, and difficulties of wartime upon them, they were ready to look for successors. Five years previously, Dr. Fred Carver, in 1938, had published a book on his posture slant on chiropractic problems. He had given lectures thereon in several states, and written a series of letters to those chiropractors interested in his studies of spinal movement. He was a younger brother of Willard, who was also a writer of text books for his school, and now died at the ripe age of 80, in 1944.

However, Fred was not willing to push such a project. He moved that the chiropractors of the state and surrounding area work toward a professionally owned school, but entirely separate from the State Association, and this motion carried.

As it seemed desirable to keep a Chiropractic College existing there, this idea was vigorously promoted by the Wichita doctors. They sought for help from graduates of any school, to obtain enough money through sale of bonds to buy an easily accessible location in the city. Such a place was for sale at 629 N. Broadway, and Dr. Joe Fallot, that pioneer chiropractor already in practice over 30 years, made arrangements to secure the property till an organization could be completed. The lots had plenty parking space, or room to build for expansion in later years. It was valued at \$22,000, and had been the home of Mrs. Sally Murdock, built in 1888 by Niederlander, an early real estate dealer. The three story brick home had 15 rooms and a basement. It would require remodeling and renovation, so a total of \$60,000 was the goal aimed at to cover all expenses.

As Dr. Colvin left Wichita, and died in 1948, the school in the interim was run by Dr. O.J. Raymond, so that students remaining could complete their course.

Dr. Merle Young was an early committee chairman for solicitation of bond buyers. To obtain immediate funds, a \$25 Founders fee was offered by Certificates, to be redeemed when the doctor brought in a new student. Some were purchased by out-state doctors so that the first name chosen was Central States Chiropractic College. Within the year, 105 such Certificates had been bought. Next, it was planned to raise \$20,000 by a bond issue, with interest at 4% per annum, to relieve Dr. Fallot personally of the property investment which he had so nobly made in the beginning. Several bought generously, to the tune of \$1,000 each, and many others in denominations of hundreds at later meetings.

The name was changed to Kansas State Chiropractic College to distinguish it from the early one in Topeka under the name of Kansas School of Chiropractic. It was now able to open on March 12, 1945,

with Dr. W.L. Bowersox, a former teacher and school superintendent, as the dean.

A course of four years would be taught, consisting of 4,000 hours, according to the legal requirements of this state. Diversified techniques would be taught, and every student was to spend 1,000 hours in clinic or give 2,000 adjustments before graduation. Tuition was \$35 per month. The Board, under the leadership of Dr. R.L. Fredrich, had made a contract with Dr. Vinton Logan, of the St. Louis College, to teach their Basic Technique and Marlow Office Procedure Course to all Kansas Chiropractors who paid for these, while the students receiving their training free at the same classes.

There were 28 students to begin with, and besides Dean Bowersox, teachers were Dora Jackson, teacher of Anatomy and Physiology for 25 years already in the city, and Dr. Tina Carver, later Dr. Schreffler, of St. Louis, from the college which made many chiropractors aware of foundational and gravity influences upon the spine.

#### No matter how well I do a thing today, there will be a better way of doing it tomorrow.

The Logan Basic course began on March 21st, to run for a month. A large class of 41 chiropractors, and students, also, took it in the new College location, with Vinton Logan present at various times. On April 8th, a meeting of all interested in the College was held there. Of the \$20,000 desired, a total of \$13,000 was pledged. A picture of the group was taken outside the building one Sunday afternoon in April, 1945.

As student numbers increased, the idea of chairs for Now and Posterity was conceived. For a donation of \$8.00, the donor would have his name placed on the chairback. About a dozen were so provided by February, 1946. The first graduation class, a combination of the years 1944 and 1945, was held on December 20, 1945, with Dr. Fallot, the College president, presenting the diplomas. By February the student body had grown to almost 50, and Dr. Gerald Werder, from Logan College, took the place of Dr. Shreffler. The Founders numbered over 100, and the bond holders almost as many, besides the many gifts in cash and equipment received.

Dr. Werder had an interesting record to give. Born in Buffalo, N.Y., in 1917, he was introduced to Chiropractic in the same manner as many another, via experience. When he was 18, he received his first adjustment. He described it as follows: "I had been in bed for three days with a temperature of 104. The family physician diagnosed my case as infantile paralysis. My mother, who had taken adjustments, called her chiropractor about 11 p.m. Two hours after my adjustment, I broke out in a profuse perspiration that my bed clothes had to be changed. The next morning my temperature was normal, and three days later I was walking around. I took adjustments from then on and am still thoroughly sold on chiropractic."

He had gone to St. Louis in an old jalopy and \$26.00 in his pocket with the sole purpose of entering the Chiropractic College. It was the only time while there he heard the word "can't," when Dr. **Hugh Logan** said, "It can't be done." However, Jerry had a different idea. He got himself an eight hour night shift job in a defense plant, and supported himself while going through school. He graduated in 1943, and after six months in practice, and two years teaching, he came out to the Wichita College.

In 1947, the new student class numbered 25 from all over the United States: New York to New Mexico, with seven graduate doctors taking P.G. work, preparing for State Board examinations. A new instructor came from Ardmore, Oklahoma, Dr. James Vannerson. He was a graduate of the Palmer School, and the Technological College of Lubbock, Texas, with degrees of D.C., B.A. and M.A. He had practiced for 12 years. He had traveled with Dr. Fleet, instructing in Concept Therapy. His classes now included Pathology, Philosophy, Physics, Chemistry and Biochemistry.

Many of these students were veterans, eager to learn. A free Children's Clinic was held in May for those parents unable to pay for such examinations. In March, 1948, the enrollment rose to 125 students, and eleven faculty members, on a full or part time basis.

In May, the largest graduating class received its diplomas at the hand of the new College dean, Dr. Theodore Schreiber. The Founders meeting at that time elected Dr. Fredrich as Board chairman, and Drs. A.E. Smith, of Hoxie, and Frank Mann, of Lyndon, as directors. Schreiber replaced Dr. Bowersox as Dean. He, like some other teachers, had taught at Logan 's of St. Louis. He was born in Germany a year after Palmer began his development of Chiropractic, in 1896. He was educated at Bonn before coming to the U.S.A., in 1923. He spent much of his time studying for degrees, such as M.A. and Ph.D., in Iowa and Wisconsin. He became a naturalized citizen in Wichita, Kansas, and taught at the Municipal University there. He had taken up Chiropractic after medicine failed for some of his three children's chronic ills, which cleared up after chiropractic care. He attended the Palmer School in 1940, to graduate and then taught for four years as professor of Philosophy and Psychology before he was persuaded to accept the position of dean at the Wichita College, and also taught those subjects...

1943 (July 19): KSCC is chartered

1945 (Mar 12): KSCC opens (Beideman, 1995, p. 140); 4-year, 4,000 hour curriculum

1947 (July 14): letter from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D. of St. Louis to Clarence Weiant, D.C., Ph.D. (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943): Dear Doctor Weiant:

Again I do thank you for your continued interest and confidence confirmed in me as evidenced by your letter of July 9th. In return let me assure you that I am ready to serve the best interests of the chiropractic profession and wherever my services are needed most.

Three years ago I accepted the position offered me here at Logan on the promises that I was to be instrumental in raising the teaching etc standards of this school to the level that an institution to be accredited by the Missouri State Department of Education, The University of Missouri and other academic accrediting agencies. Almost all these efforts have been thwarted except that I am known by all students for my progressive spirit.

It might interest you to know that the Missouri State Department of Education directly and unmistakenly advised us not to enroll another student this year. Needless to say that this news was received by me with rather mixed feelings of satisfaction, since my educational background is of use only to my students in classroom teaching – others seem to be afraid of it.

Chiropractic has tremendous possibilities. Its greatest assets now are the intelligent type of students enrolled in our schools. But can the blind lead the blind? We need professionally trained teachers and administrators who at least will listen to the "Voice of Experience."

I shall submit my credentials to Dr. Nugent within the next few days.

Sincerely yours,...

1947 (July 30): letter on stationery of Chiropractic Research Foundation from Clarence W. Weiant, D.C., Ph.D., CRF director of research, to John J. Nugent, D.C. (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943):

Dear John:

I am sending you this air mail letter on the chance that you will arrive a few days in advance of the convention. Since my last letter to you, I have received important information from Dr. Schreiber of the Logan College. He will be at Omaha on Saturday morning and is anxious to spend some time behind closed doors with you and me. I know the Research Council is to meet Saturday and Sunday, but let's try to make some time for this man on those days if possible.

Sincerely, Clarence

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1947 (Aug 3): letter from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D. of St. Louis to John J. Nugent, D.C. at Omaha (CCE Archives, #35-21-

1943); notes his Ph.D. was from University of Wisconsin in 1931, his D.C. from the Palmer School of Chiropractic in 1941; provides a curriculum vitae

1948 (Jan 23-25): Minutes of NCA Council on Education meeting in Chicago (Keating et al., 1998); includes:

1) <u>The Kansas State College of Chiropractic</u> at Wichita, Kansas. According to Dr. Nugent this college did have a program of expansion. However this program was lagging to some degree because of lack of money and unified interest. He said that if no further progress had been made upon his next inspection of the college we will have to take the same from the provisionally list.

1948 (June 18-July 3): Minutes of NCA Council on Education meeting in Portland OR (Keating et al., 1998); includes:

...(5) The Kansas State College of Chiropractic was in a rather difficult situation and the opinion in general was that it would take some time before it would even come near to portraying qualifications that would merit approval...

(4) Dr. Parr then asked Dr. Nugent whether the Kansas State College still possessed provisional recognition.

(a) Dr. Nugent answered by stating that the Kansas State College had received provisional approval for two years, that these two years were nearly up, and consequently he would have to make another survey of the institution and see whether during this probational period sufficient progress had been made to warrant continuation of this provisional rating.

(5) Dr. Parr encouraged the Council to make an effort to induce the C.R.F. and the N.C.A. to make a more conscientious effort to obtain the cooperation and the understanding of the southwest states, especially Kansas, because, he maintained, the general attitude of the chiropractors in Kansas towards these organizations is one of hesitancy and consequently, inasmuch as he represents a southwest college, it is a detriment to his efforts to comply with an N.C.A. program.

1948 (Nov 17): letter on KSCC stationery from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D., D.C., dean, to John J. Nugent, D.C. in New Haven CT (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)

#### 1949 (Jan): ICA Review [3(7)] includes:

-Dan Shull, D.C. authors "Spotlight on Kansas College" (p. 6): The Kansas State Chiropractic College is a fine example of a well equipped, well staffed and fully accredited College of Chiropractic.

Although the Kansas State Chiropractic College is one of the smaller schools of Chiropractic, it can indeed be proud of its ability to provide modern adequate training for its students. All faculty members are college trained for teaching and the small classes insure adequate personalized instruction.

Much credit is due the Board of Directors, the Dean, Dr. Theodore Schreiber, M.A., Ph.D., and his staff Dr. Jackson, D.C., Ph.C., Miss Brodsway, M.A., Dr. Vannerson, M.A., D.C., Dr. Hall, D.C., Ph.C., and Dr. Johnson, A.B., D.C., for the splendid work they are doing.

The Kansas State Chiropractic College is a non-profit professional institution dedicated to Chiropractic education along broad and thorough lines. A 36 months course is taught leading to a degree of Doctor of Chiropractic. The school enjoys full recognition by the International Chiropractors Association and offers a curriculum of exclusive Chiropractic subjects. No modalities or adjuncts are permitted. The latest teaching techniques are employed including the use of sound movies and still projections.

It is felt that the Kansas State Chiropractic College is filling a pressing need in educating young Chiropractors along sound constructive lines. As a regional institution, owned and operated by the profession, this college sets a pattern for others to follow. 1949 (Jan 5-7): Minutes of the NCA Council on Education meeting in Chicago (Keating et al., 1998); includes:

...Discussions then revolved about the disposition of the Kansas State College of Chiropractic, and it was fully acknowledged that Dr. Schreiber and his associates had made a very fine effort. Dr. Schreiber advised the Council that within the near future there was the possibility of this institution acquiring a new building in the form of a recently built small hospital which now stands empty in one of the suburbs of Wichita, and he, of course, maintained that if this could be realized many of their problems would be solved.

1949 (Feb): ICA Review [3(8)] includes:

-Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D., D.C. authors "Nomen est omen or Is the chiropractor a 'physician'" (pp. 12-3)

- 1949 (Mar 26): letter on KSCC stationery from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D., D.C., dean, to John J. Nugent, D.C. in New Haven CT (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)
- 1949 (Apr 12): handwritten letter from Mrs. Fred J. Carver at Wichita to John J. Nugent, D.C. (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)

1949 (May): ICA Review [3(11)] includes:

-Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D., D.C., dean of KSCC, authors "Our yesterday's help to explain today" (pp. 18-9)

1949 (June 11): letter from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D. of Wichita KS to John J. Nugent, D.C. at Los Angeles (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943):

Dear Doctor Nugent:

This Saturday morning I received your letter, and hasten to drop you a note before leaving for Oklahoma City to participate in the ceremony of dedication for the new Carver College addition.

Thanks for your support of the idea of a coordinating office. "The Issue Must be Met" said Vinton Logan – yet he is abusing Chiropractic in principle as well as in practice. Moreover shoe and sitting lifts were used osteopathically and medically before Vinton Logan was born.

I am about ready to leave Chiropractic to the Davenport cultists. Naturopathy is about the next best title and the "naturopathic physician" is quite in order. It may justifiably include every natural means i.e. all manipulative techniques, phytotherapy and psychology from a historical and logical point of view. Remember I have never held that subluxation was the cause of <u>all</u> disease. It is even ridiculous to claim that Chiropractic is a science of cause, or does not treat symptoms – all this is a diatribe of ignoramuses or rascals.

You, Dr. Janse and some others of your choice will have to put heads together in Chicago where I hope to be with you.

As ever, and with kindly greetings from my wife...

P.S. If you travel eastward over Wichita, by no means to stop over to see me personally.

- 1949 (July 25-29): Minutes of NCA Council on Education meeting in Chicago (Keating et al., 1998); attended by Schreiber:
- 1949 (July 26): letter from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D. of St. Louis to Clarence W. Weiant, D.C., Ph.D. in Peekskill NY (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)

#### 1949 (Oct): *ICA Review* [4(4)] includes:

"School affairs: Kansas-State Chiropractic College" (p. 31):

Wichita, Kansas – Expansion program plans call for extension of clinic facilities and remodeling and enlarging the general facilities of the college.

Work on a new section, which will provide eight additional offices for administration and library purposes will begin as soon as the architect completes plans. Dr. Kenneth Bayer, formerly of Logan College, St. Louis, has joined the staff as student counselor, director of public relations, and clinic director.

1949 (Nov 18): handwritten notes of John J. Nugent, D.C. concerning KSCC (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943); notes he met with Drs. Bayer & Schreiber

1950 (Jan): JNCA [20(1)] includes:

- -Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D., D.C., dean of the Kansas State Chiropractic College (KSCC) of Wichita, authors "A treatise on body, mind, soul" (pp. 16-9, 60, 62); suggests "The so-called chiropractic philosophy is more often than not a dressed-up metaphysical thought-poem"; "As long as we stay within the realm of scientifically observable behavior forms of phenomena, we need not fear the rest of the world."
- 1950 (Jan 27): letter on personal stationery from Theodore Schreiber, Ph.D. of Wichita to John J. Nugent, D.C. at Hotel Sherman in Chicago (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)

1951 (June 4): letter on KSCC stationery from Mrs. Vada Snyder, Secretary-Treasurer, to John J. Nugent in New Haven CT (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943):

Dear Doctor Nugent:

Your letter of May 28 requesting three (3) copies of our catalogue has been received. We are very sorry our new catalogue isn't back from the printers. Under separate cover we are mailing you three (3) copies of our last catalogue.

We will be glad to give you any further information you may need.

Very truly yours,...

VS:mb

1951 (Dec 28): letter from Paul O. Parr, D.C., president of Carver Chiropractic College, on college stationery; this will lead to the formation of the NAACSC (in my Carver files):

TO ALL CHIROPRACTIC SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES ON THE NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT:

After considerable discussion with the heads of other schools at the last several State Association meetings and much correspondence in the last sixty days, it seems to have fallen my lot to extend to you an invitation to attend a meeting, the date for which is tentatively set as March 8, 1952, the location for which is tentatively set for Chicago, since it is centrally located and has excellent transportation possibilities.

The purpose of this meeting is the discussion of school problems by school men. You are cordially invited to be represented by any or all bona fide representatives of your school. We urge that you be represented by at least one of your clear-thinking, forward-looking authorities.

In recent correspondence with deans and presidents of chiropractic colleges I have made many suggestions as to possibilities of organization of schools, etc. I had thought at first that I would include in this invitation a proposed outline for a school organization. I had even thought of stating my position as to having **another accrediting association**, but I have been advised by the president of one of the chiropractic colleges that this might be taken on the part of some of you as meaning that decisions have been made, when they have not. Should like to quote three sentences from this great educator's letter to me:

"I feel the only thing that is needed is an invitation to the schools to attend a called meeting, which would contain a designated place and time to consider mutual problems for the benefit of all. At the conclusion of such a meeting an association of chiropractic schools and colleges might be formed if that was the consensus of opinion of those in attendance. By this I mean that any action that might be taken and the nature of any association that might be formed would entirely depend upon those attending the meeting." It is a little difficult for me to inculcate in this letter the urgency I feel without discussing some of the problems of endangering the proposition by giving the impression that conclusions have already been formed. So, again let me invite you and even strongly urge you that in the interest of unity and advancement of our profession and toward the goal of better health services for our people, please, let us once get the brains of the school business into a close-harmony meeting.

Sincerely yours,...

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-attached is a list of chiropractic schools and addresses:

- ATLANTIC STATES CHIROPRACTIC INST., 699 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn 26, N.Y.
- BOOKER T. WASHINGTON INSTITUTE, 1803 Prospect, Kansas City 1, Missouri.
- BEBOUT CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 1718 North meridian St., Indianapolis 2, Ind.
- CALIFORNIA CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 1916 Broadway, Oakland, California.
- CANADIAN MEMORIAL CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 252 Bloor St., West, Toronto, Ont. Can.
- CARVER CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 521 West 9th Avenue, Oklahoma city, Oklahoma
- CHIROPRACTIC INSTITUTE OF NEW YORK, 152 West 42nd St., New York 18, N.Y.
- CLEVELAND CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 3724 Troost Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri.
- COLUMBIA COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 119 West Franklin ST., Baltimore, Md.
- COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 261 West 71st Street, New York, New York.
- CONTINENTAL CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 2024 West 6th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.
- INTERNATIONAL CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 336 North Robert Blvd., Dayton, Ohio.
- INSTITUTE OF THE SCIENCE AND ART OF CHIROPRACTIC, 55 W. 42nd St., New York, N.Y.
- KANSAS STATE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 1502 East Central, Wichita, Kansas.
- LINCOLN CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 633 North Pennsylvania, Indianapolis, Indiana.
- LOGAN BASIC COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 7701 Florissant Road, St. Louis, Missouri.
- LOS ANGELES COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 920 E. Broadway, Glendale, California.
- MISSOURI CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 3117 Lafayette Street, St. Louis, Missouri.
- NATIONAL COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 20 North Ashland Blvd., Chicago, Illinois.
- NORTHWESTERN CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 2422 Park Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- O'NEILL-ROSS CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 412 East Berry Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.
- PALMER SCHOOL OF CHIROPRACTIC, Brady Street, Davenport, Iowa.
- RATLEDGE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 3511 West Olympic Blvd., Los Angeles, California.
- REST VIEW UNIVERSITY OF CHIROPRACTIC, 416 West 125th St., Seattle, Washington.
- REAVER SCHOOL OF CHIROPRACTIC, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- SAN FRANCISCO CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE, 1122 Sutter Street, San Francisco, Calif.
- SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 1609 W. 9th St., Los Angeles, Calif.
- TEXAS COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 618 Myrtle Street, San Antonio, Texas
- UNIVERSITY OF NATURAL HEALING ARTS, 1600 Logan Street, Denver, Colorado.

- WESTERN COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, 1419 Stout Street, Denver, Colorado.
- WESTERN STATES COLLEGE, 4525 S.E. 63rd Avenue, Portland, Oregon.

1952 (Apr 8): handwritten letter from S.W. Cole, D.C. of Wichita KS to John J. Nugent, D.C. in the Bahamas (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943); discusses KSCC

1952 (Apr 26): letter to Carl Cleveland, Jr., D.C. at Kansas City on LBCC stationery from Vinton F. Logan, D.C., secretarytreasurer of the North American Association of Chiropractic Schools and Colleges (NAACSC) (Cleveland papers, CCCKC; in my NAACSC folder):

Dear Dr. Cleveland:

At the request of the President, Dr. Paul Parr, we are sending you, enclosed, a copy of the minutes of the last meeting. These minutes are to be reviewed by you between now and the next meeting. We shall make them official at the next meeting. We hope to have the minutes so that they are not colored by individual thinking and are the actual record.

The scholarship plan is being formulated and the cards re enrolling a student are ready for the press.

Please communicate with me if you have any information that may be of value to the organization. In the meantime, our President reports that our organization is being well received in the various states.

Sincerely yours,...

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- -attached are minutes of NAACSC meeting for March 1,1952, attended by Earl Bebout, D.C., Kenneth Cronk, D.C., Fannie R. McCoy, D.C.of Rest View Chiropractic College, Vinton Logan, D.C., Paul O. Parr, D.C., Frank Dean, D.C., A.J. Darling, D.C. of Kansas State Chiropractic College, Carl Cleveland, Jr., D.C., Carl Cleveland, Sr., D.C., P. Cerasoli, D.C. of Atlantic States College, and William N. Coggins, D.C.
- 1952 (May 17): letter from S.W. Cole, D.C. of Wichita KS to John J. Nugent, D.C. (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943); notes he resigned as president of KSCC on 1 April 1952
- 1952 (July 18): letter from S.W. Cole, D.C. of Wichita KS to John J. Nugent, D.C. (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)

1953 (Aug): ICA Review (8[2]) includes:

-"Special: school news section" (p. 7); includes photograph & caption:



Dr. H.C. Bargfrede (left), President of the Missouri State Chiropractic [sic] Association and Dr. Carl Ott, president of Kansas State Chiropractic College, show Posture Week proclamations from their respective state governors during Posture Week observance at Cleveland Chiropractic College, Kansas City, under the auspices of the Cleveland Alumni Association and the Jackson County Chiropractic Association.

1957 (Dec 16): letter on stationery of Kansas Chiropractic Society from T.D. Van Winkle, D.C. to John J. Nugent, D.C. (CCE Archives, #35-21-1943)

1958 (July 20): letter on stationery of "Drs Arnold, Perry and Sanborn" of Wichita from R.W. Sanborn, D.C. (Janse papers, NUHS Special Collections): National College of Chiropractic

20 North Ashold [sic] Blvd.

Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sirs, At a special meeting of the board of the Kansas State Chiropractic College I was instructed to contact various colleges with regard to possible amalgamation. We would appreciate a letter stating if such a thing would be possible with your college. We would like to have as many details as possible.

Sincerely,...

1958 (July 22): handwritten letter from John J. Nugent, D.C. at Hilton Hotel in San Antonio TX to Joseph Janse, D.C., N.D. (Janse Papers, NUHS Special Collections)

Dear Joe

I am here for a number of reasons, one being to consummate the last stages of the closing of the Carver & Kansas-State colleges.

This is a continuation of discussions started last May. I mentioned this at the Council and also proposed that our schools accept the students and finish them off.

I have told the officers of these schools that their student may go anywhere they please and I am glad to hear that the five or so students of Kansas-State have decided to enter National. Its not yet certain where the Carver students will go. Some have said they would go to Chiro Institute of N.Y. but I have heard no further expressions. I will know more after the meeting with Carver trustees July 26-27.

I am trying to prevent any from going to Cleveland or Logan. Both of these Schools and **De???** Making efforts to induce them.

The thing I want to inform you is that the Carver trustees have discussed a merger with Texas – a few are going with Logan but most trustees want Texas affiliation. However, great pressure outside of the trustee for Cleveland & Logan.

As for the Wichita School. Their trustees, rather a committee representing their trustee will also meet with me on July 26-27. Sentiment mostly in favor – so far as I can judge it in favor of merging with Texas but National College has also been mentioned.

My position is that I shall be happy to have them merge with any accredited schools – although to be frank I have been talking of a merger with Texas for many years because they are a "straight" school and the old grads rabidly so. In past years National was damned in their sight as "filthy mixers." Hence my stressing Texas affiliation. However, now I don't mind where they go.

However, I do think that it is important that discussion relative to affiliation should not be done independently – as if they were going shopping. I believe the discussions should be held with the representatives of the Council – who in this matter is the director of education. I also believe the schools concerned, on both sides should be represented.

So if the National would like to send a representative to the meeting July 26-27, Hotel Baker 6pm Dallas Texas I would welcome it. Otherwise my position will be that I welcome affiliation with any accredited school.

If you have already been approached please advise and let me know what proposals if any were made.

You can do this by addressing me at Hotel Baker, Dallas. I'll be there the evening of July 25.

Kind regards,...

1974 (July/Aug): **Digest of Chiropractic Economics** [17(1)] includes:

-"Honors to Dr. McCubbin" (p. 9); includes photograph:



Dr. Stephanie McCubbin, Past President, Dallas County Chiropractic Society, was named Texas Outstanding Chiropractor of the Year at the 59th Annual Convention of the Texas Chiropractic Association, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Houston, Texas on Saturday, June 8, 1974.

She was Dallas County Chiropractic Society's "Chiropractor of the Year" in 1966.

She is a Fellow of the International College of Chiropractors and is a charter member of the American Chiropractic Association.

She is serving as Assistant Editor of "The Texas Chiropractor" magazine.

Dr. Stephanie received the Dallas County Chiropractic Society "Journalism Award" in 1965 as editor of the Society's monthly publication and is Texas Editor for the "Digest of Chiropractic Economics."

This fine doctor has been Chairman of the Membership Committee of the Texas Chiropractic Association since 1971.

Dr. McCubbin graduated from the Kansas State Chiropractic College in 1948 and has been practicing in Dallas since then. Her husband, Dr. Curtis S. McCubbin, is also a Doctor of Chiropractic.

She is a member of the Zonta Club of Dallas and has recently been selected as one of the two Delegates to represent Dallas at the International Zonta Convention in Boston, Massachusetts, June 22, 1974.

## 1975 (Jan/Feb): *Digest of Chiropractic Economics* [17(4)] includes:

-J.F. Vannerson, M.A., D.C. authors "A neurological explanation of acupuncture – part 6" (pp. 52-3, 82-4, 86-7, 89-90); includes: *ABOUT THE AUTHOR* 

J.F. Vannerson holds a Masters Degree from Texas Tech University plus thirty-seven semester hours of graduate work beyond the Masters Degree in the Wichita State University. He taught biology and other science subjects for six years in high schools and holds a permanent high school certificate from the State of Texas. Dr. Vannerson graduated from Palmer College of Chiropractic in 1934 and has taught nine years in chiropractic colleges including Kansas State Chiropractic College, Wichita, Kansas and Cleveland Chiropractic College, Los Angeles. He has practiced chiropractic continuously with very few interruptions since 1935. At the present he is conducting a chiropractic practice in Purcell, Oklahoma and is director of research for the Nimmo Technical Seminars.

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