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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 26): letter to Carl Cleveland, Jr., D.C. at Kansas City on LBCC stationery from Vinton F. Logan, D.C., secretary-treasurer 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 (Oct): photograph:



1969 (Sept/Oct): **Digest of Chiropractic Economics** [12(2)] includes:

-“The last known manuscript of Dr. Daniel David Palmer” (p. 24) is ad from E.R. Bebout, D.C. of 1718 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis IN

2003 (Dec 9): e-mail from Glynn Till, D.C. (gtill@cmcc.ca):

Dear Dr Cice, Joe, Jim and others,

I attended the Lincoln Chiropractic College from 1959 to 1962, and I cannot recall any reference to the institutions to which you refer. Certainly there was a Bebout College on Meridian Street (just down the road from the LCC) which, if I remember correctly, offered an 18 month course at the time. I also recall some of the vitriolic statements levelled by the then owner of Bebout at LCC when LCC subscribed to the thoroughly scurrilous requirement of chiropractic students having to undergo 1 year of college education prior to enrolment at LCC!! Mario, do you, or perhaps Louis remember?

Glynn Till

References: