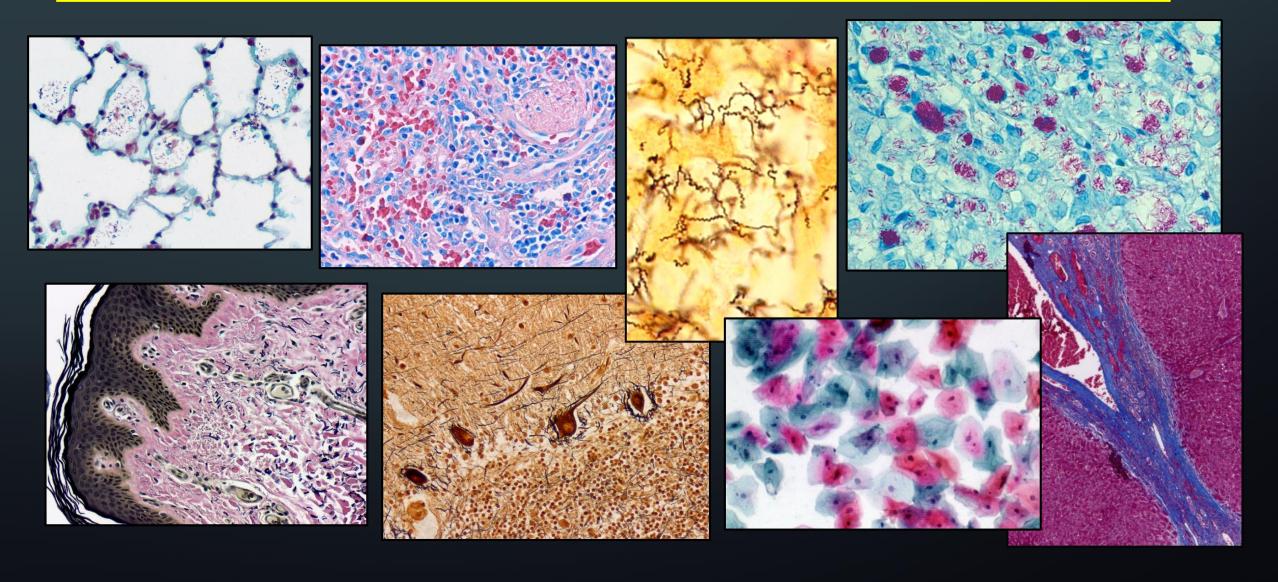
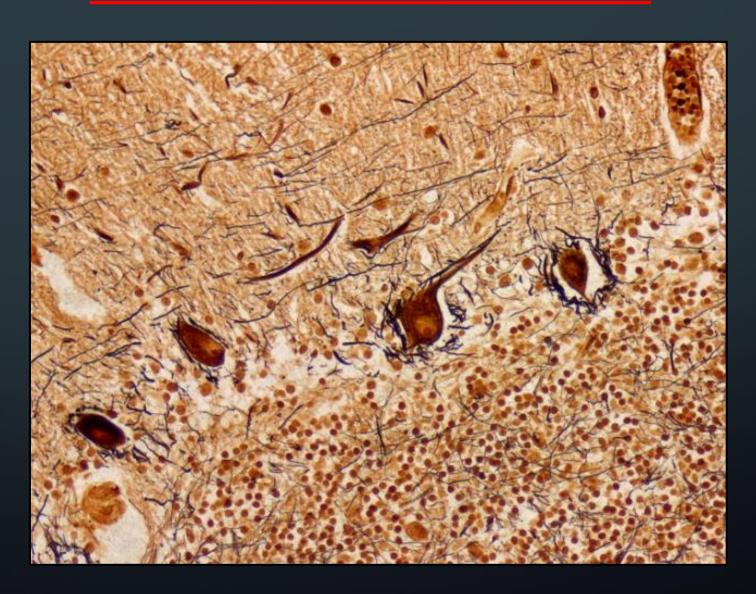
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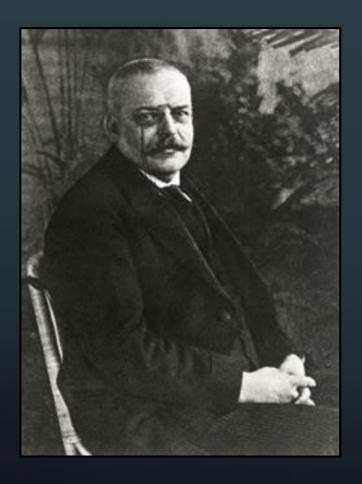
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THE NAMES OF THE STAINS



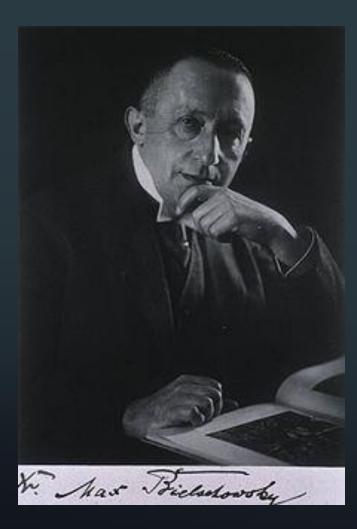


DR. ALOIS ALZHEIMER: 1864-1915



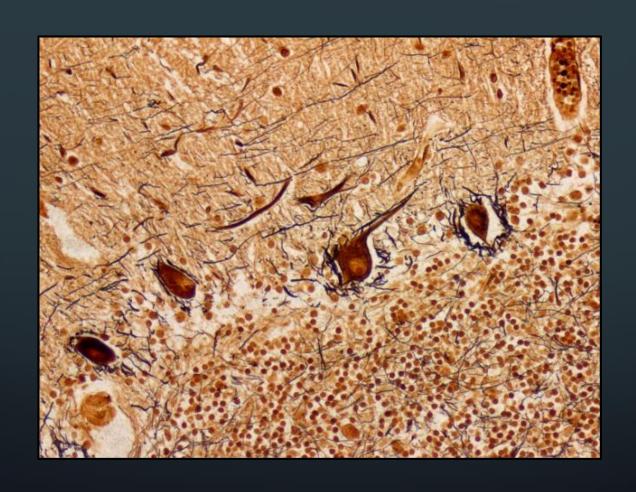
- 1. German Neurologist
- 2. 1901: 51 Year-Old Woman w/Psychological Problems Dementia
- 3. 1906: Brain Displayed Extensive Atrophy
 - Sampled Thin Preps w/Silver Salts
 - 2 Types of Abnormal Nerve Cell Deposits
 - Plaques & Tangles
- 4. 1911: Published Article of Observations
 - "Particular Disease Process of the Cerebral Cortex"
- 5. Died from Heart & Kidney Problems

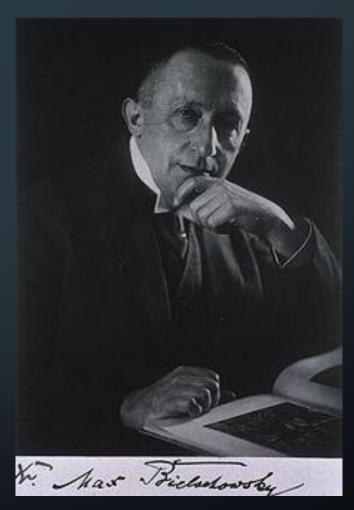
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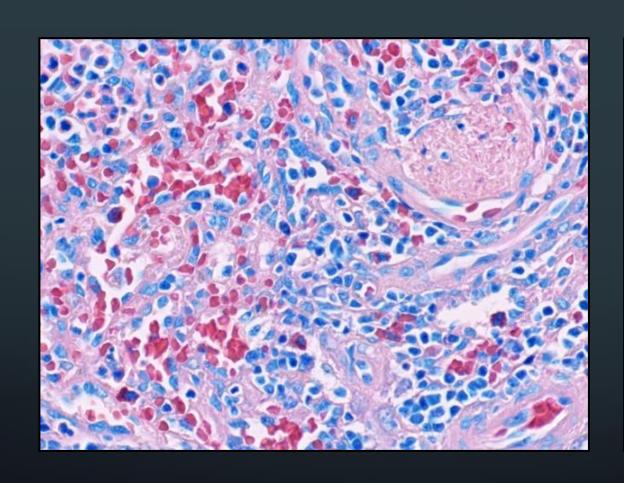


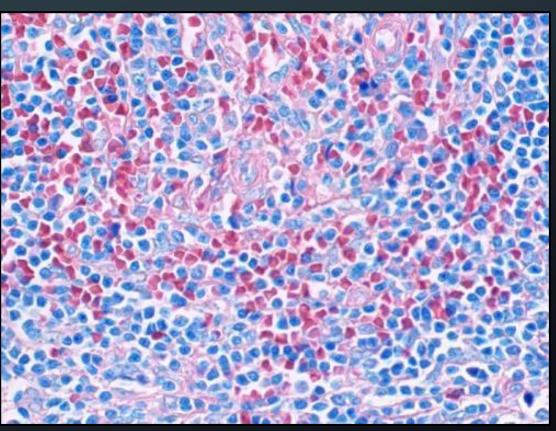
- 1. German Neuropathologist
- 2. 1896-1904: Senckenberg Path Institute
 - Carl Weigert, Alois Alzheimer, Franz Nissl
- 3. 1902: Published Silver Technique
 - Improvement on Cajal's Method
- 4. 1905-33: Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for Brain Research Berlin
- 5. 1935: Escaped Nazi Germany
 - Son: Franz Bielschowsky, Director of Cancer Genetics in Dunedin, New Zealand

BIELSCHOWSKY STAIN

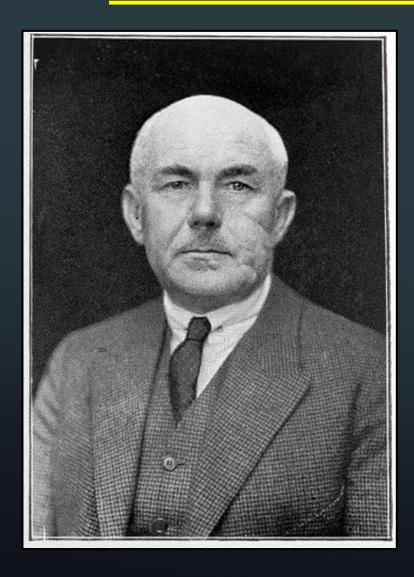






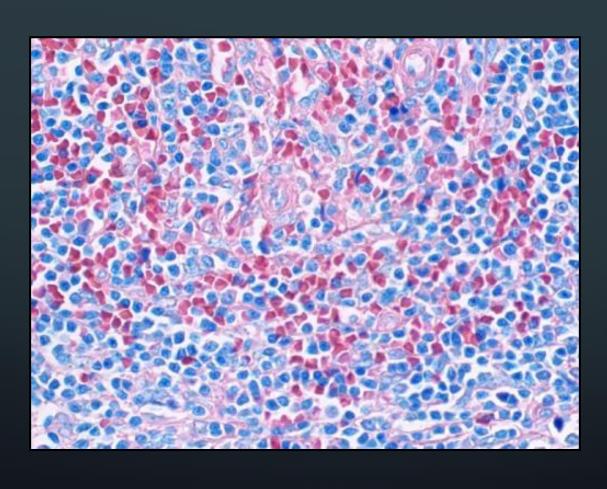


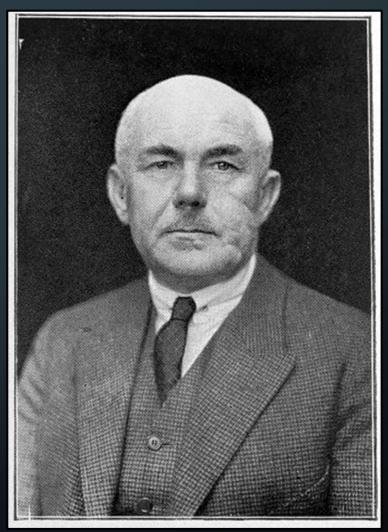
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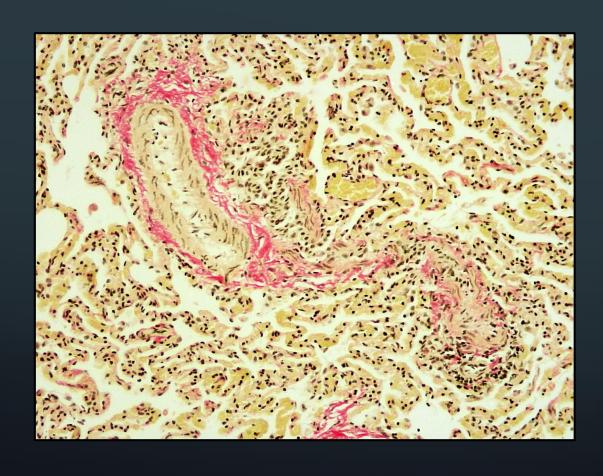
- 1. German Chemist and Bacteriologist
- 2. 1904: Published Essay on Staining Procedure for Flagellates, Blood Cells & Bacteria
 - Now Known as the Giemsa Stain
- 3. Designed for Demonstration of Parasites in Malaria
- 4. Oxidized Methylene Blue to Azure I

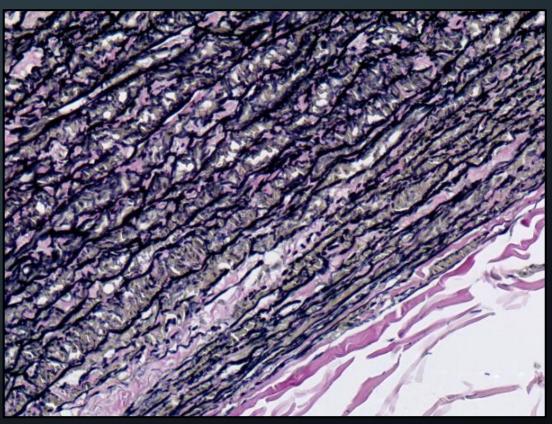
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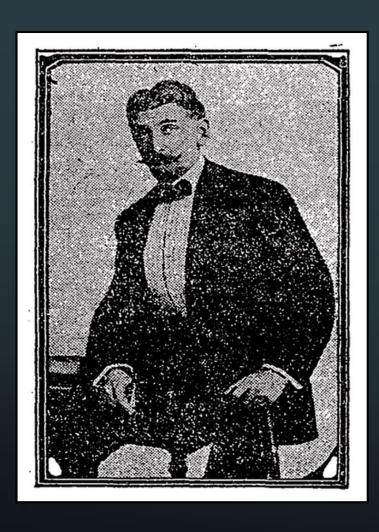


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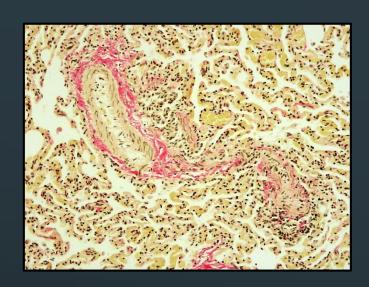
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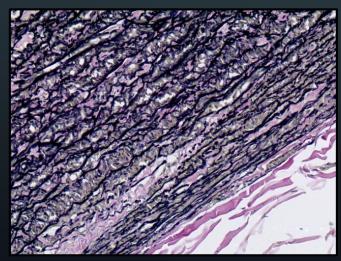


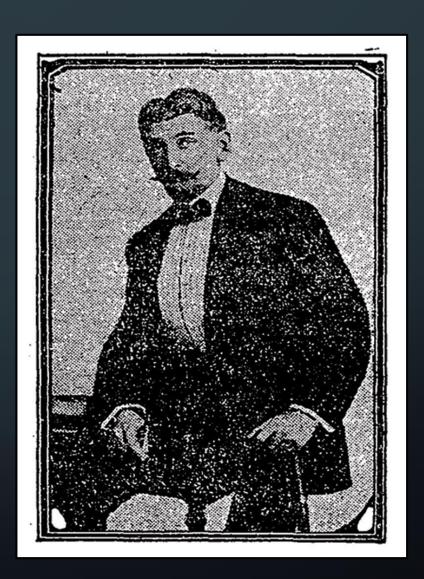
- 1. American Neurologist, Psychiatrist, Bacteriologist & Neuropathologist
- 2. 1885: Columbia Medical Degree
 - Pathology Instructor of Nervous System
 - 1889: Introduced the "Picric Acid Stain"
- 3. 1896: 1st Director of Path Institute
 NY State Hospitals for the Insane
- 4. 1903: NY State Health Department
- 5. Practiced Hypnosis
- 6. Described as "A Genius"

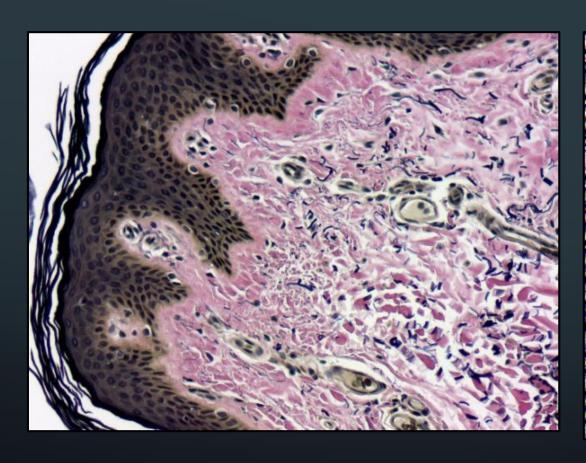


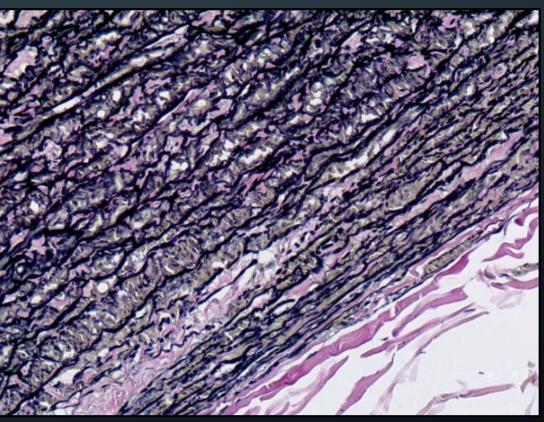
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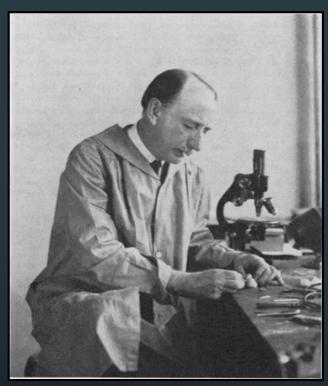






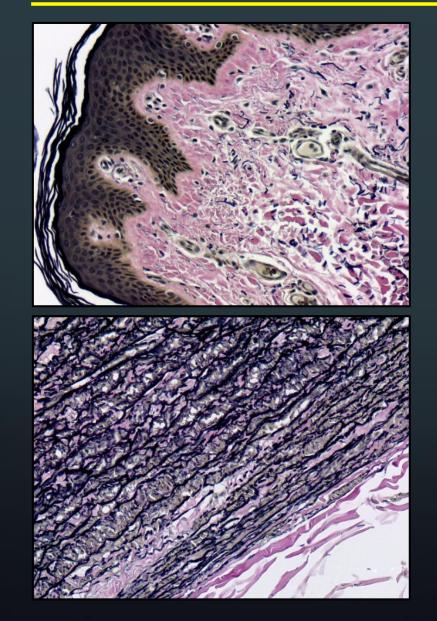


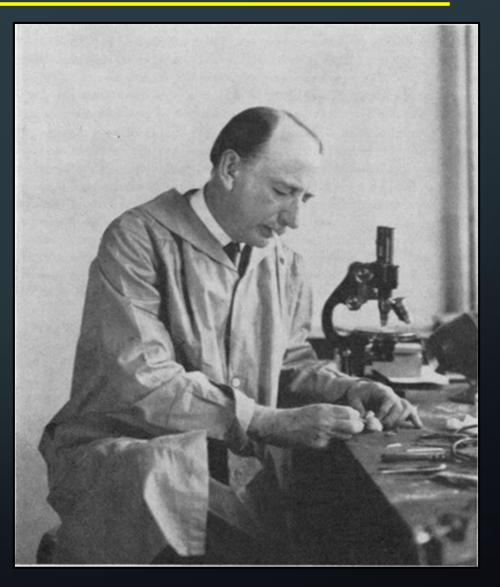
FREDERICK HERMAN VERHOEFF: 1874-1968



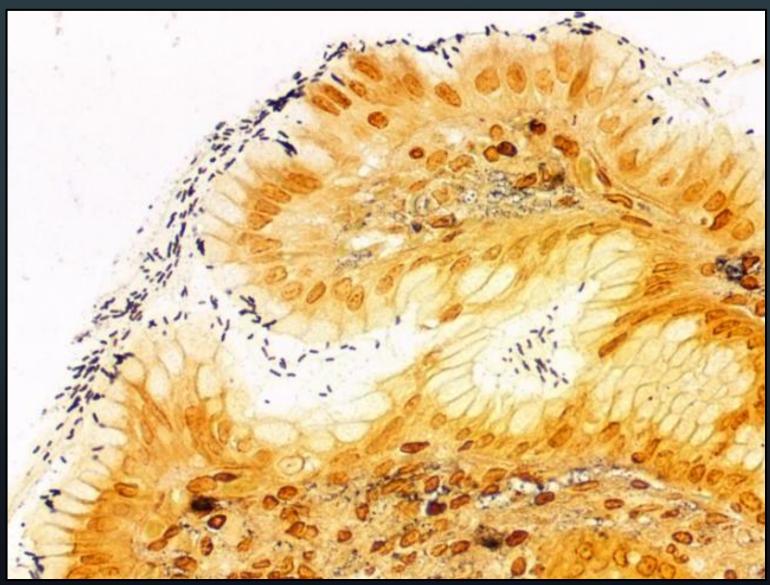
- 1. Eye Pathologist & Bacteriologist (from Louisville, KY)
- 2. 1899: Johns Hopkins Medical Degree
- 3. 1905-1932: Mass Eye/Ear Institute
 - Eye Surgeon, Consulting Chief, Professor
- 4. 1932-39: Howe Lab of Ophthalmology
- 5. 1907-41: Harvard
 - Professor Ophthalmic Research & Pathology
 - Published 100's of Journal Articles
- 6. 1918-19: WWI Rank of Major

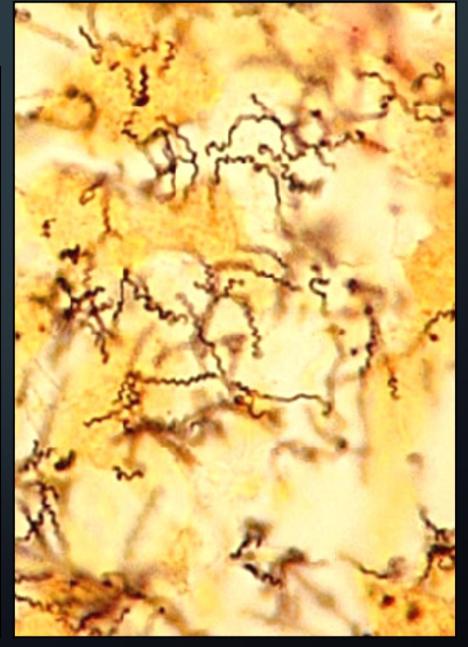
VERHOEFF ELASTIC STAIN



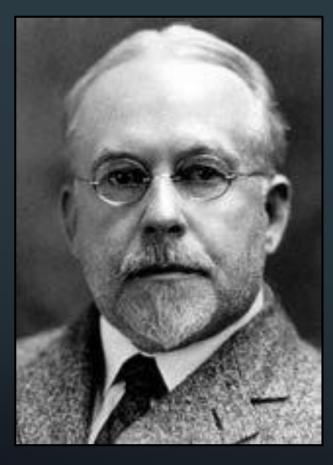


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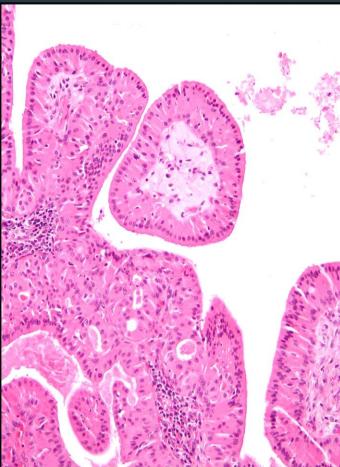
ALDRED SCOTT WARTHIN: 1866-1931

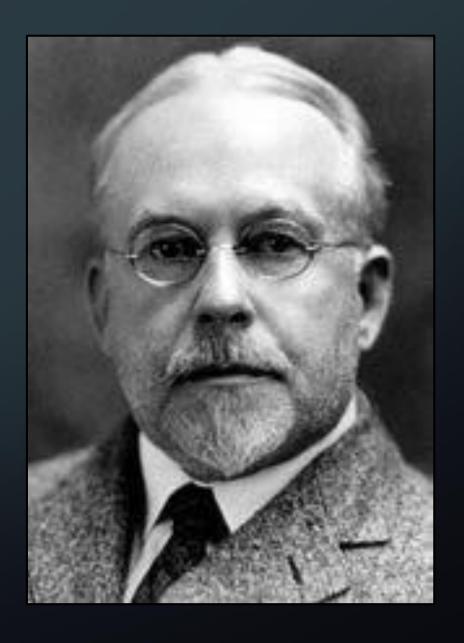


- 1. Born in Indiana U of Michigan Med School
- 2. Director of Pathology U of Michigan
 - Professor of Dieterlie & Starry
- 3. Studied Pathology of Syphilis (20 Years)
- 4. 1920: With Allen Starry (1890-1973)
 - Silver Nitrate Staining for Spirochetes
- 5. Father of Cancer Genetics
- 6. Author of Several Pathology Textbooks
- 7. Welleria aftonensis Warthin

WARTHIN-STARRY STAIN & WARTHIN TUMOR







ROBERT RICHARD DIETERLE: 1896-1969

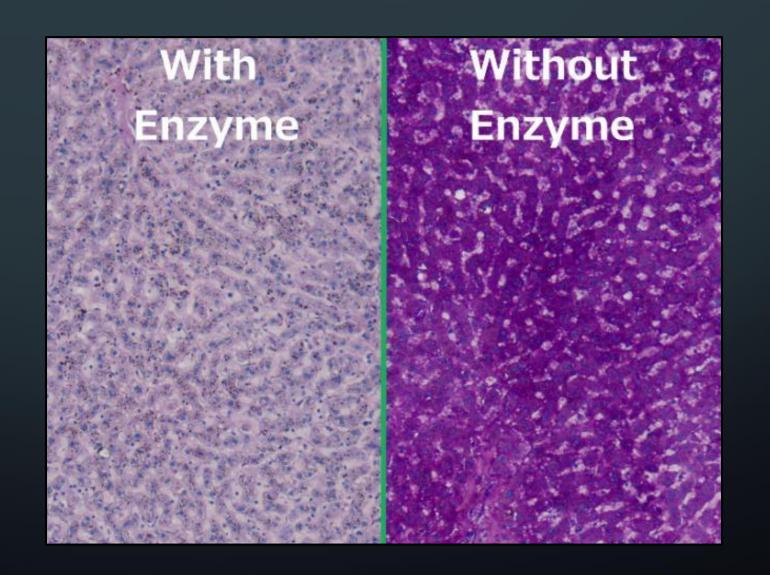


- 1. From Ann Arbor, Michigan
- 2. Neuro-Pathologist for U of Michigan, Department of Psychiatry
- 3. Guggenheim Fellow
- 4. Modified w/Uranyl Nitrate
 - Technique for Legionnaires Disease

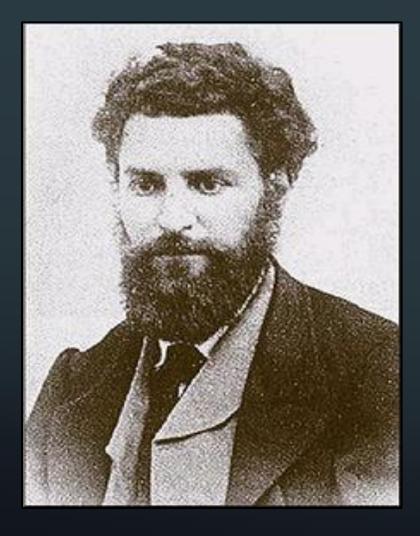
GABRIEL STEINER: 1883-1965 GRETE STEINER: 1887-196?



- 1. German/American Neurologist: Known for Multiple Sclerosis Research
- 2. Studied Syphilis & Spirochetes
- 3. 1919: Discovered Spirochetes in Brains of MS Patients
- 4. 1936: Immigrated to U.S. from Germany
- 5. 1937-54: Professor of Neurology/Neuropathology, Wayne State in Detroit
- 6. 1954-58: Director of Michigan Multiple Sclerosis Center
- 7. 1981: Relationship of Spirochetes \rightarrow Lyme Disease \rightarrow MS

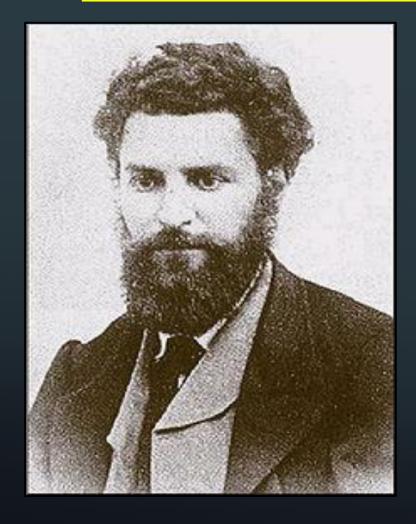


HUGO SCHIFF: 1834-1915

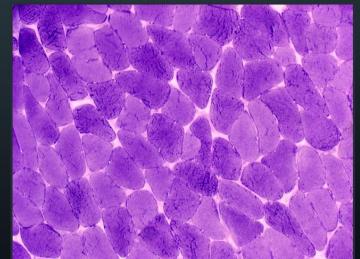


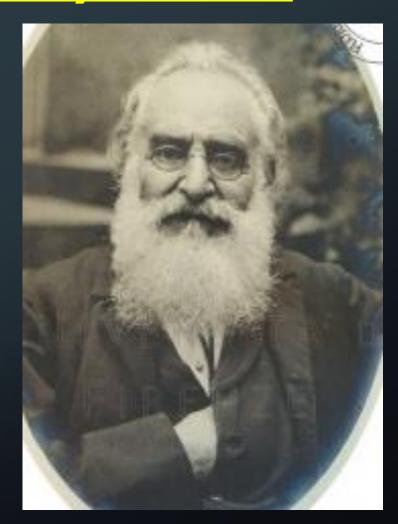
- 1. Born In Frankfurt Germany
- 2. Supporter of Socialism (Karl Marx)
 - 1857: Bern, Switzerland
 - 1863: Italy Pisa & Florence
- 3. Professor of General Chemistry
 - Founder of Chemical Institute of Florence
 - Hugo Schiff International Store House
- 4. Schiff Bases & Other Imines
- 5. Prolific Investigator: 300+ Publications

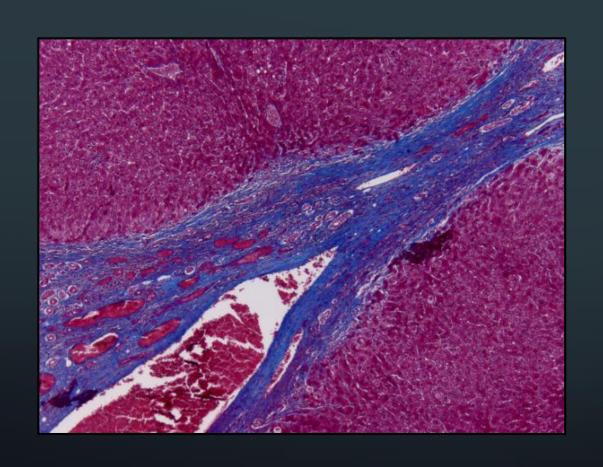
PERIODIC ACID SCHIFF (PAS) STAIN

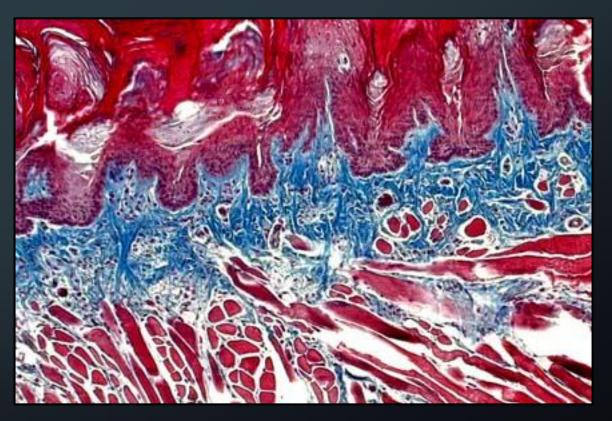




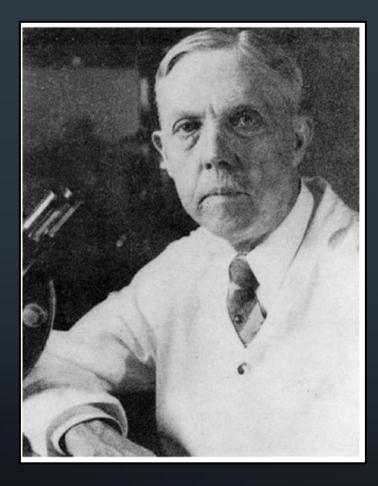






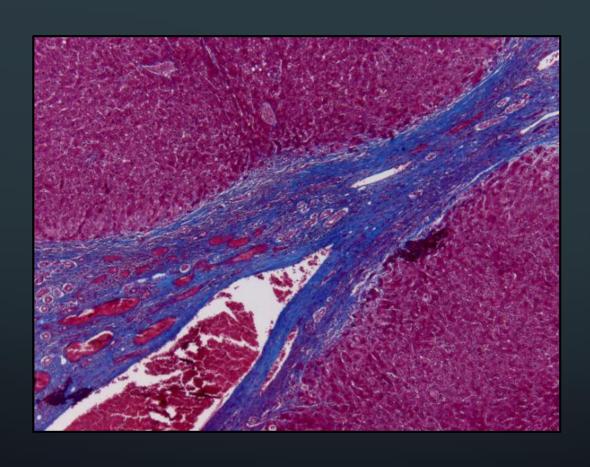


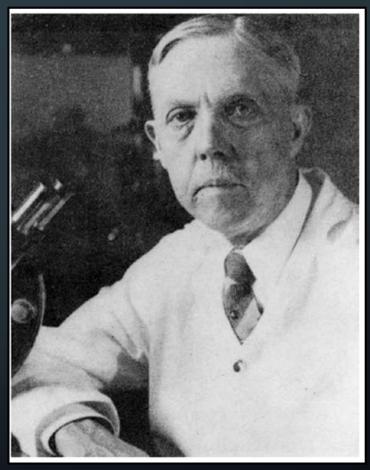
CLAUDE PIERRE MASSON: 1880-1959

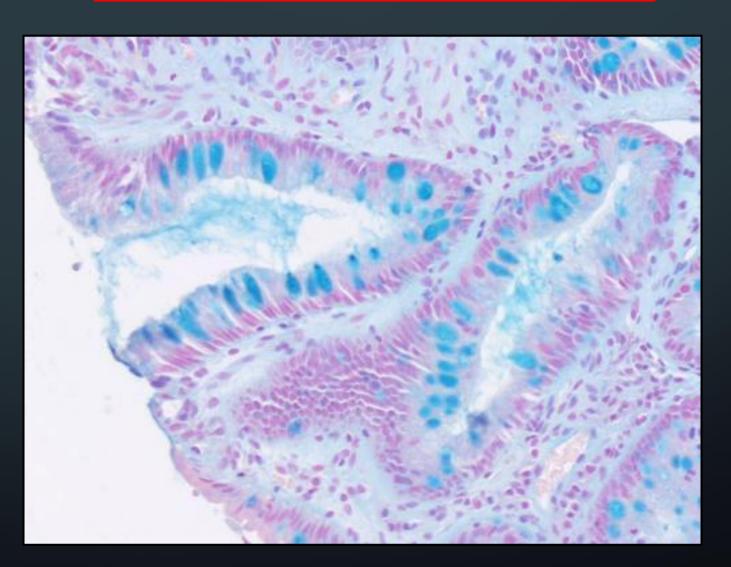


- 1. Born in Dijon
- 2. 1909-14: Univ Paris & Pasteur Institute
- 3. Chair of Pathology: U of Strasbourg
- 4. 1927-54: U of Montreal
 - One of the Best 20th Century Path Schools
- 5. 1929: "Some Histological Methods, Trichrome Staining & Their Preliminary Technique"
 - 1900: Mallory Introduced Trichrome
- 6. 1st to Describe Neurocrine Secretion
- 7. Brain Tumor & Neurological Research

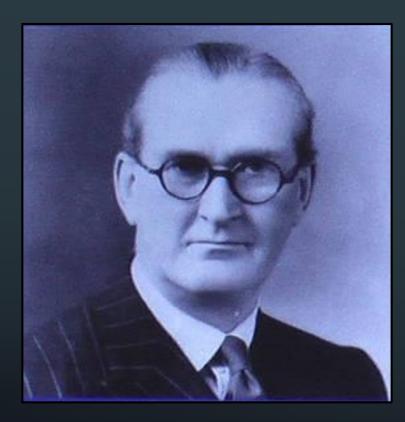
MASSON TRICHROME STAIN





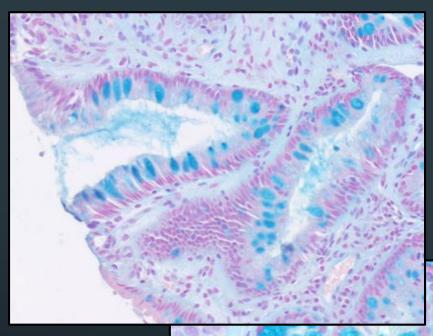


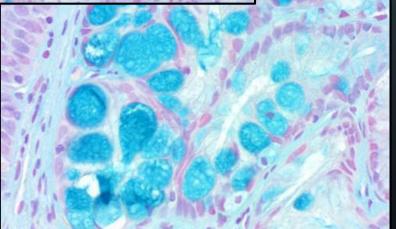
NORMAN BARRETT: 1903-1979

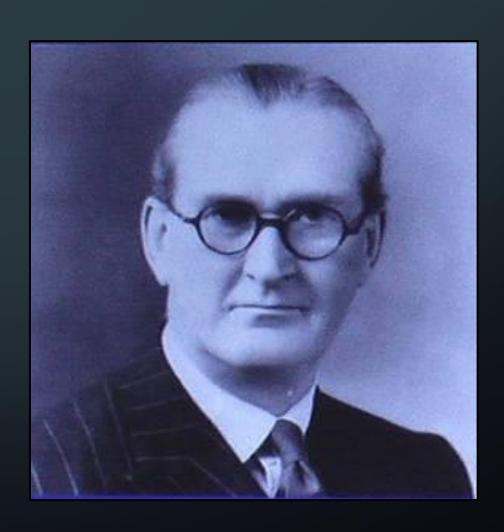


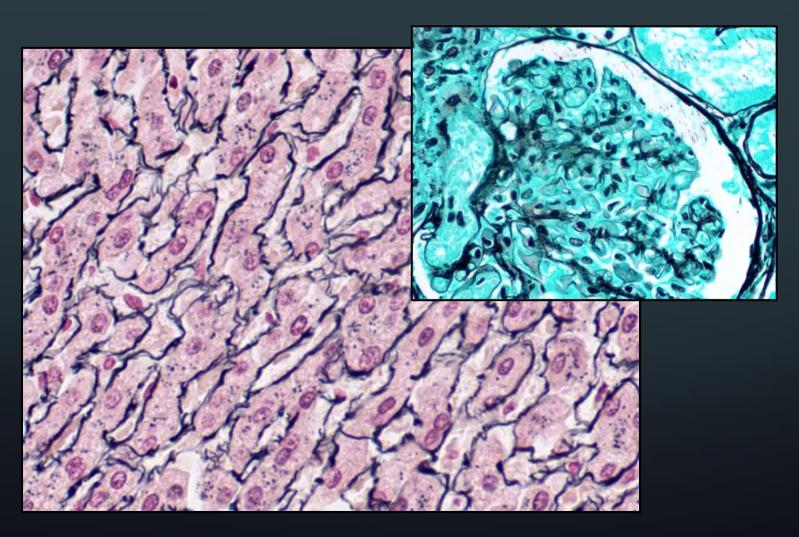
- 1. Australian Born British Thoracic Surgeon
- 2. Educated at Cambridge
- 3. 1935-36: Mayo Clinic on Rockefeller Fellowship
 - Decision to Focus on Thoracic Surgery
- 4. 1947: Performed 1st Successful Ruptured Esophagus Repair
- 5. 1950: Paper on Columnar vs Squamous Epithelium in the Esophagus
 - Introduced "Reflux Esophagious"
 - Columnar Epithelium Ascending Esophagus = Barrett's Esophagus

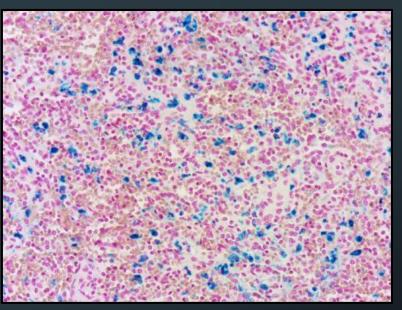
ALCIAN BLUE STAIN FOR BARRETT'S ESOPHAGUS

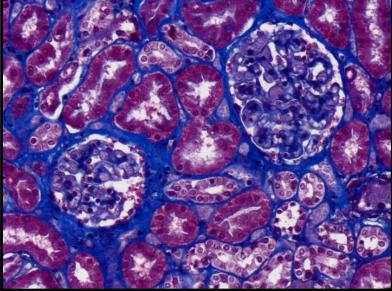




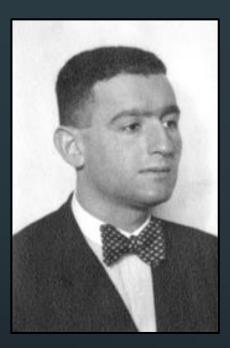








<u>GEORGE GOMORI: 1904-1957</u>



- 1. Hungarian-American Pathologist (Greek heritage)
- 2. University of Budapest: Pathology & Surgery
- 3. 1938: Immigrated to USA
- 4. 1938-56: U of Chicago, Pathologist & Professor
- 5. 1950: Founding Member of Histochemical Society
- 6. 1952: "Microscopic Histochemistry: Principles & Practice"

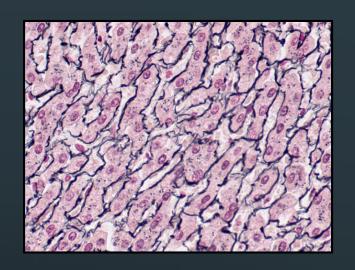


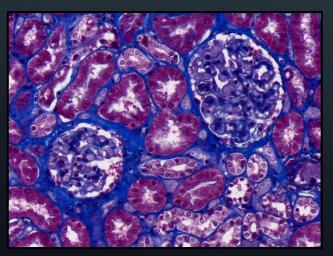
- 7. Phenomenal Intellect & Integrity
- 8. Died from Cardiac Arrest

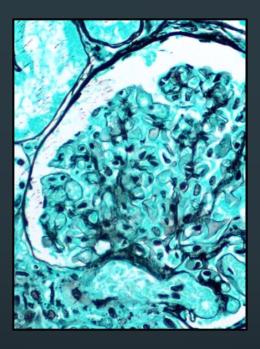
STAINS DEVELOPED BY DR. GOMORI

- Gomori Silver Impregnation of Reticulin/Reticular Fibers
- Gomori One-Step Trichrome
- Gomori Prussian Blue Stain for Iron
- Gomori Methenamine Silver Stain
- Gomori Non-Specific Alkaline Phosphatase Stain
- Gomori-Wheatley Trichrome Stain: for Intestinal Protozoa

GOMORI STAINS







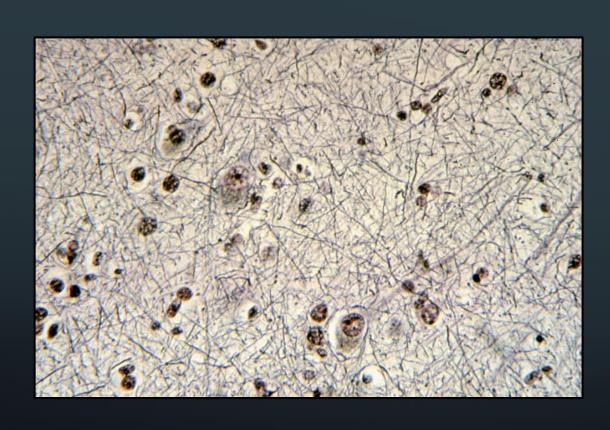


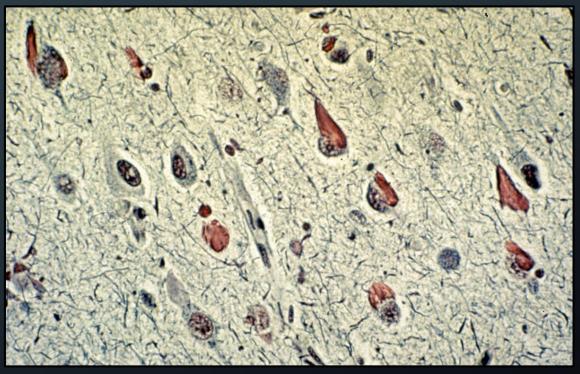
ROBERT G. GROCOTT: 1913-2001

- 1. American Med Tech and Histologist (born in Beaver Falls, PA)
 - Trained & Certified Histotechnologist
- 2. 1941-1979: Chief of Histopathology
 - Gorgas Hospital for Tropical Diseases
 - U.S. Army Hospital in Panama Canal Zone

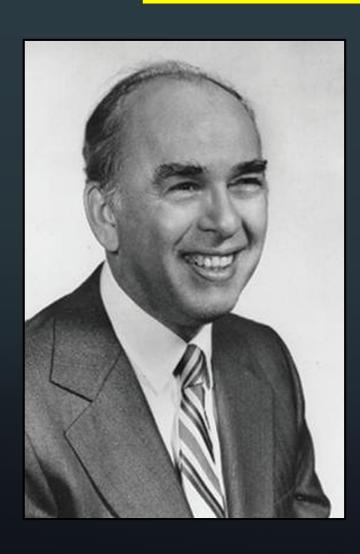


- 3. 1955: "A Stain for Fungi in Tissue Sections and Smears"
 - Modification of Gomori's Stain (GMS Stain)
- 4. Book on Poisonous Snakes of Panama



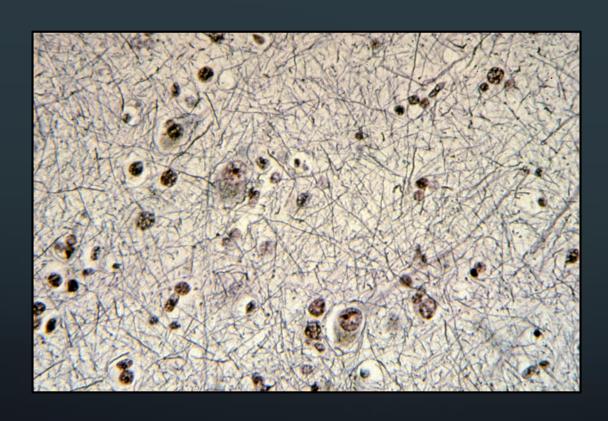


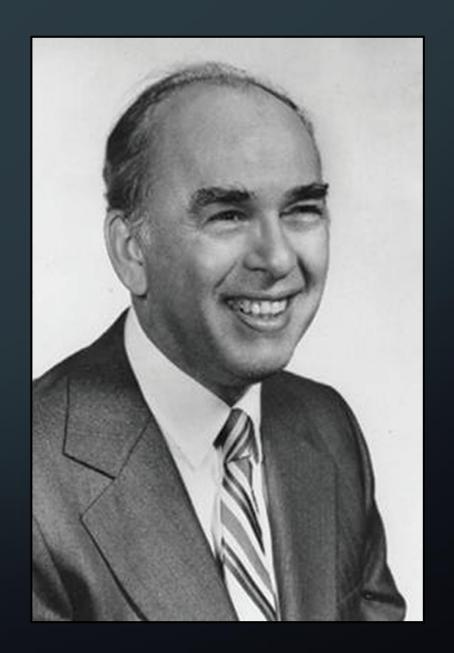
DAVID BODIAN: 1910-1992



- 1. American Medical Scientist (born in St. Louis)
- 2. 1939-77: Johns Hopkins University
 - Worked in Polio & Neurological Research
 - Structure & Action of Nerve Cells
 - Ran an EM Lab
- 3. 1940s: Led the Groundwork for Polio Vaccine Development (Salk & Sabin)
 - Polio Caused by 3 Distinct Viruses
- 4. Died from Parkinson's Disease

BODIAN STAIN FOR NERVE TISSUE





WHAT'S MY PROCEDURAL NAME?





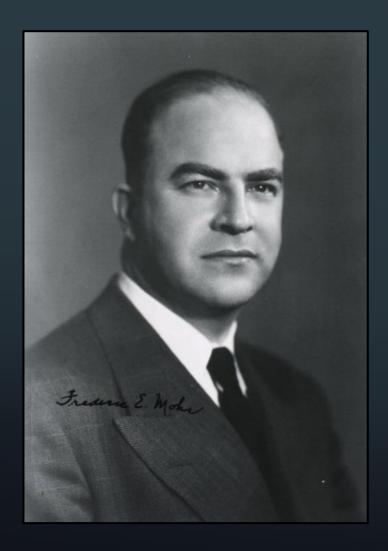
FREDERIC MOHS: 1910-2002



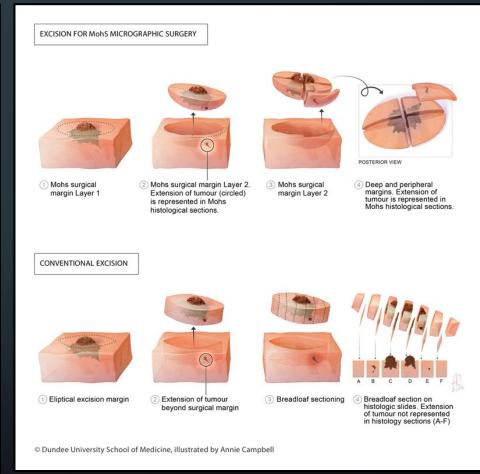


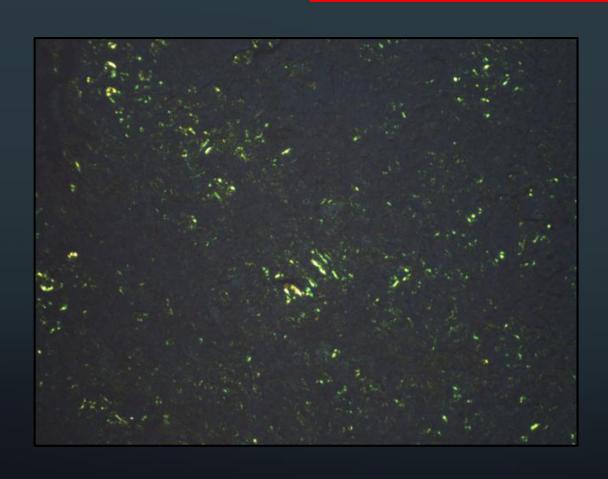
- 1. Born in Wisconsin
- 2. 1930's: U of Wisconsin/Madison Med School
- 3. 1933: Research w/Cancerous Rat Tissue
- 4. 1936: "Chemosurgery" on Human Skin
 - Chemo Referred to Zinc Chloride Paste
 - Paste "Fixed" the Skin (hours/day)
 - Excise Tissue w/out Bleeding
 - Mapped & Painted Edges → Frozen Sections
- 5. 1960's: Procedure Skeptically Caught On
- 6. 1970's: Modified w/Fresh Skin Tissue

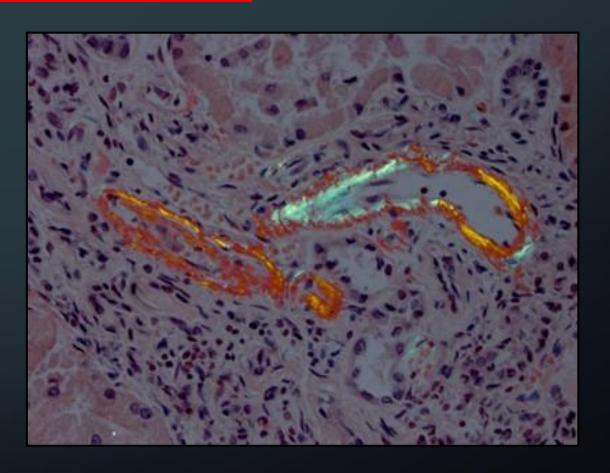
MOHS PROCEDURE FOR SKIN CANCER



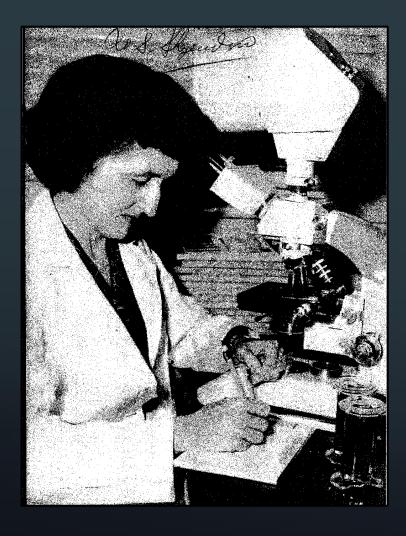








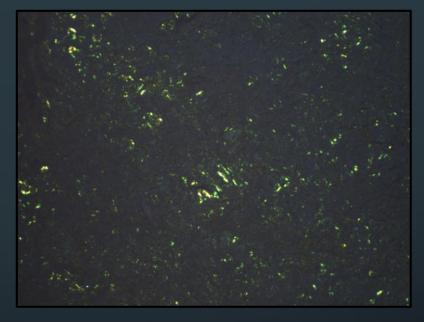
HOLDE PUCHTLER: 1920-2006

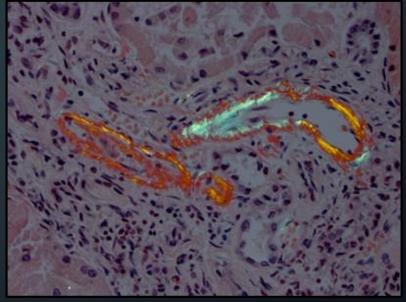


- 1. Born in Germany
- 2. 1951: MD University of Koln
 - 1955: Research Fellow Montreal
- 3. 1959-80: U of Georgia Med School
- 4. 1960: 1st International Congress of Histo/Cytochemistry Paris
 - Histochemistry of Connective Tissue Fibers
- 5. 1962: On the Binding of CR by Amyloid
- 6. Bilingually Deaf: Lip Reading & Writing
 - Assisted by Susan Meloan & Faye Sweat-Waldrop



PUCHTLER CONGO RED STAIN





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