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NAME: James Greenwood, Jr., M. D.

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Residence: 1839 Kirby, Houston, Texas 77019

DATE OF BIRTH: July 19, 1907, Seguin (Guadalupe County), Texas.

MARITAL STATUS: Married. Father of six children.

EDUCATION: Rice University, Houston, Texas, B. A., 1927.
University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas,
M. D., 1931.

Internship and residency: Philadelphia General Hospital,
1931-35.

(Two-year general internship, including seven months in
neuropsychiatry, neurosurgery, and neuro-ophthalmology;

Two-year residency in neurology and psychiatry, including
charge of neurosurgical service.)

Two and a half months in Philadelphia, 1939, neurosurgery
and neuropathology with Dr. F. C. Grant and Dr. F. H. Lewey.

Alpha Omega Alpha (honorary, medical school).

LICENSED TO PRACTICE: Texas *June 1931*

SPECIALTY: Began practice September 1935 (Houston), neurology and neuro-
surgery; limited to neurosurgery exclusively since 1942.

BOARD AFFILIATIONS: American Board of Neurological Surgery, 1941.
American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, 1940.

MEMBERSHIPS: American College of Surgeons (Fellow); American Medical
Association; The American Association of Neurological
Surgeons (formerly The Harvey Cushing Society); American
Academy of Neurological Surgeons; Southern Neurosurgical
Society (V. President 1951, President 1960-1); Texas
Surgical Society (2nd V. President 1946, Member of Council
1960-64, President 1964); Texas State Medical Association;
Texas Neuropsychiatric Society (President 1941);
Southwestern Surgical Society (Founder Member); Houston
Surgical Society (President 1962); Houston Neurological

Society (President 1954-55); Harris County Medical Society (former Executive Committee member and Health Committee member (Vice Chairman Health Executive Committee 2 years); Association of American Physicians and Surgeons; Pan American Medical Association (PAMA); Texas Society of Athletic Team Physicians; Texas Association of Neurological Surgeons (member Board of Directors 1973-1975, Chairman Section on Neurosurgery, TMA, 1975); Honorary Member of the Society of British Neurological Surgeons; and former member of Congress of Neurological Surgeons and Southern Medical Society.

TEACHING: Clinical Professor of Surgery (neuro), Baylor College of Medicine; Acting Chairman 1943-53 and Rotating Chairman 1953-58.

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS: Methodist Hospital (president-elect of Staff 1941 and President 1942; president-elect of Staff 1955-56 and President 1957-58; Chairman, Division of Neurosurgery 1936 to present). Consulting neurosurgeon Hermann Hospital (Chairman Emeritus Division of Neurosurgery); St. Luke's Hospital, Texas Children's Hospital, St. Joseph Hospital, Ben Taub Hospital City-County; Veterans' Administration Hospital, M. D. Anderson Hospital for Cancer Research. Formerly consultant Southern Pacific Hospital and Hospital Association Missouri Pacific Lines. Courtesy Staff: Memorial Baptist Hospital and St. Anthony Center.

FRATERNITY: Phi Rho Sigma (medical).

OTHER ACTIVITIES: Vestryman, St. John the Divine 1958-61, Chairman of Steward Committee (Fund Raising) 1971. Member, Board of Trustees St. John's School 1957-60. Member Board of Directors, River Oaks Country Club and Chairman of Greens Committee 1953-55. Director of "R" Association (Rice University Athletics) 1957-60; first Captain, Golf Team, Rice University 1925, 1926, and 1927. Amateur Radio Operator, W5PB. One of three Awards Judges (John B. Connally, former Governor of Texas; Winston C. Baber, Vice President, Southern National Bank of Houston; and James Greenwood, Jr., M. D.) for the Great Southern Life Insurance Company scholarship awards for 1969, Great Southern publication August 1969. Member, St. John the Divine Church.

Inventor of a coagulation (bi-polar) forceps which made possible total removal of intramedullary spinal cord tumors and also microneurosurgery. First paper published in 1940.

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OTHER ACTIVITIES - CONTINUED:

Establishment of a Neurosurgical Lectureship in 1944 by Mrs. Greenwood and me honoring my father, James Greenwood, M. D. (who passed away in April 1949) at the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston.

Establishment of a Neurosurgical Lectureship by Mrs. Greenwood and me in memory of our parents, December 1970, at the Methodist Hospital and Baylor College of Medicine.

To be honored as a distinguished alumnus of the Texas University Medical Branch in Galveston, May 31, 1975.

Chosen as distinguished Houston Surgeon lecturer for the Houston Surgical Society, April 18, 1975.

Guest lecturer at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, May 27 and 28, 1969, giving four lectures.

Gave the third annual R. Eustace Semmes Lecture, meeting of Southern Neurosurgical Society, March 7, 1970, in Durham, North Carolina.

Keynote speaker at the second annual American Association of Neurosurgical Nurses (subsidiary of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons, April 1973, Los Angeles, California.

By invitation, member of the faculty for a Symposium on Microneurosurgery, Department of Neurosurgery, Good Samaritan and Christ Hospitals, Cincinnati, Ohio, June 8-10, 1972.

Invited to be a member of the faculty of the annual post-graduate seminars in neurosurgical technique at Colby College, Waterville, Maine, July 27-31, 1975.

Presented a paper at the International Symposium to honor Dr. A. Earl Walker, Baltimore, Maryland, April 6-8, 1967.

Presented a paper at a special Scientific Symposium, March 13, 1964, held in honor of Dr. James W. Watts' 60th birthday at George Washington University Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Wrote and gave history of Houston Surgical Society (1947-1967), Twentieth Anniversary meeting, Houston.

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Who's Who of America (1953) — 1980 →

Recipient of First Athletic Letter awarded by Rice University in golf, 1926.

Amateur Radio: One of a group of 17 heard in New Zealand in 1927 on 200 meters.

One of two guest speakers at first Professor Hugh Krayenbuhl Lectureship in Zurich, Switzerland, December 1973, giving three papers and doing two surgical procedures.

President of Texas University Alumni, Philadelphia, 1933.

Vice President, Texas University Alumni of Houston, 1936.

Ashbel Smith Distinguished Alumnus at 85th Commencement, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas, May 31, 1975.

Distinguished "R" Man Award, Rice University, Houston, November 11, 1975.

Member, President's Club, Rice University.