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with the object of the
Cultivation and Improvement of the Science and Art of Surgery
shall meet on Monday, February 2, 1998 at the
College of Physicians of Philadelphia
19 South 22nd Street

for a Scientific Discussion from seven-fifteen o'clock p.m. until eight o'clock p.m. on the Topic(s) of

MANAGEMENT OF MASSIVE INCISIONAL HERNIAS: OBSERVATIONS, THOUGHTS, AND PERSONAL PREJUDICES

presented by

DISTINGUISHED SURGICAL SCHOLAR

Charles C. Wolferth, M.D.
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The Scientific Programs of the Society are open to any member of the medical profession and individuals in ancillary fields, including medical students and graduate students in the medical sciences.

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STATED MEETING MINUTES FEBRUARY 2, 1998

- 1. The following new fellow was introduced:
 Dr. Anderson by Dr. Jonathan Rhoades
- 2. Dr. Allen Wein, Professor and Chairman, Division of Urology at the University of Pennsylvania delivered a memoir regarding Dr. John Duckett; a moment of silence was observed.
- 3. Dr. Charles C. Wolferth senior vice-president, medical and academic affairs and Director the Surgical Institute Allegheny University Hospitals, Graduate Hospital delivered the distinguished Surgical Scholar Presentation entitled "Management of Massive Incisional Hernias: Observations, Thoughts, and Personal Prejudices".
- 4. President DelRossi encouraged those present to maximize attendance by their surgical residents and outlined several steps being taken to increase resident participation. Dr. DelRossi commented on the high quality of new candidates being proposed for fellowship under the new bylaws. He encouraged fellows to bring their residents to the annual Conjoint meeting with the New York Surgical Society which will be held this year on Wednesday, March 18, 1998 at the Union League between 2:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. with dinner to follow. Expenses are assessed on all fellows attending or not.
- 5. The following candidates were read for the first time:

Kenneth Brayman, M.D., Ph.D. Mike Quang-Sing Chen, M.D. Leon Clarke, M.D. Edward Doolin, M.D. Matthew Dougherty, M.D. Matthew Finnegan, M.D. Garth Rosenberg, M.D.

Ellen Sigurdson, M.D.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m. There were 57 attendees.

Respectfully submitted,

David H. Levien, M.D.

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