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Happy New Year and Merry Christmas last December! After spending a month trying to assemble the latest news of 70 of you outside and 40 of us inside these walls, I have decided to resort to a directory-type news letter with a foreword and a few vital statistics.

1951 was a very busy year; there were 29 talks to various audiences and 17 departmental or interdepartmental papers. About 18,000 anesthetics were administered. January 1, 1952 marked the birth of a Department of Anesthesiology at Columbia University after a gestation period of 13 years! The labor pains and delivery discomfort were chiefly those of the research people, who have made gigantic strides in many directions. The physical plant has expanded further to include another and larger laboratory on the new 17th floor extension in P. and S.; Joe Kreiselman, who joined our staff in October, and I have a smaller one on the 16th floor; the library and recording tape are filed in the east end of the 19th floor and I have a new office on 19 room 104 come in any time. The research work is slanted in many directions: Renal and hepatic functions, ganglionic transmission, epidural and subdural procaine levels, blood volume and electrolyte studies by our own department, placental transmission, infant resuscitation, intraarterial pH readings, mechanical respiration, etc.

My wanderings this year took me to Chicago in March where Larry Wu and Al Sorenson appeared, to Peterborough, Ontario for a meeting which Ming Yao attended, to Madison in June for Dr. Water's party to which several of you contributed, thank you, to London, for an excellent week. There also were Phyllis Frost, Ted Mayrhofer, Kjell Stenberg and Tone Dahl. After two weeks of driving around France in a wee British Ford with 3 females and 7 bags, I spent a brief time in Paris where we met Lysiane George-Carette, Jean Henley, and Steve Fournel. A final week of hospital visiting in London, Liverpool, Manchester, Edinburgh and Glasgow was most enlightening. The best meeting of the year was the New York Postgraduate Assembly in December with over 1200 attending. Manny was the overall chairman; Jack Frumin and I were on the committee; Herman Schwartz and Al Wollack gave papers on the resident's program. Bob Gladstone, Lila Gairns, Cordt Rose, Dottie Darling were there besides the New York and vicinity group of Grace Frank, Helene Mayer, Helena Bertel, Steve Mazur, Irving Weinberg, Harvey Hatchfield, Dex Blake, Al Safian, Dita Sporer. Tom McDermott edits the N.Y. State Section bulletin, and Bill Howland is Sec'y. of District #2 in N. Y. At other meetings, Duncan Holaday, Shih-Hsun Ngai, Ed. Hanks and Bill Howland gave papers. Have lost count of the many Manny has given, so has he. Many thanks for your numerous and welcome Christmas cards and notes: Lysiane's and Margaret Waldbauer's get gold medals.

Be sure to circle the June 9-13 A.M.A. meetings in Chicago, the A.S.A. meeting in Philadelphia Nov. 11-14 and of course, last but not least, The New York Postgraduate Assembly Meeting December 7-10th, See you there!



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NEW BABIES(Undoubtedly incomplete)

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Colett!)

NEW WIVES:

Sorenson, Moonie, Simmer

NEW HOUSES: also incomplete

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