

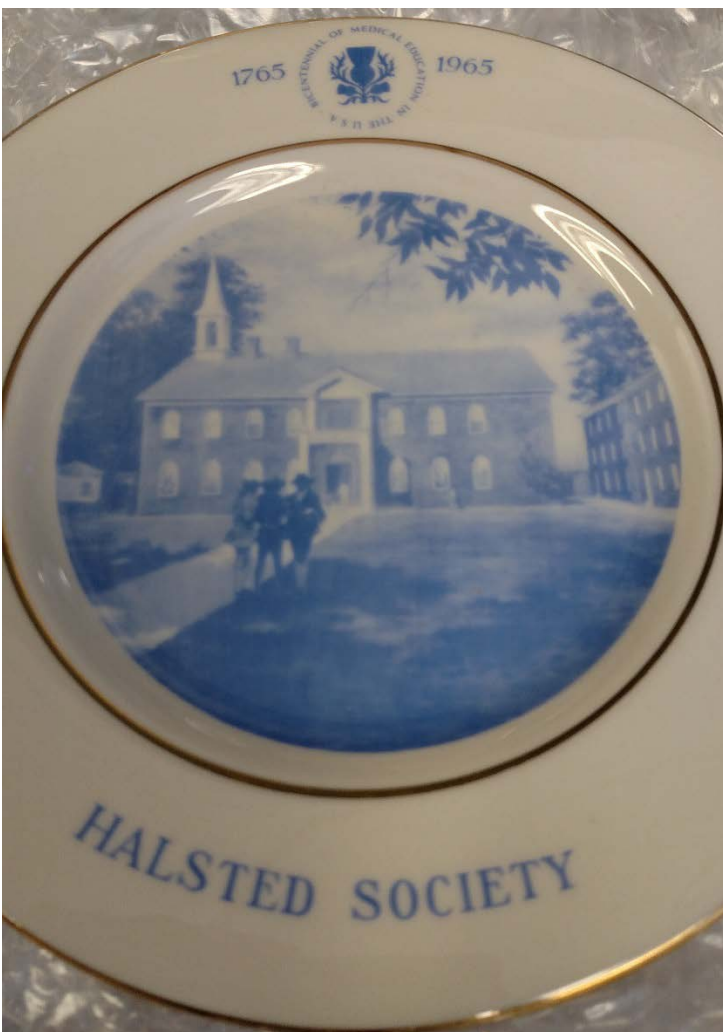


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*"Perhaps this Medical institution, the first of its kind in America; though small in its beginning, may receive a constant increase of strength, and annually exert new vigor. It may collect a number of young persons, of more than ordinary abilities; and so improve their knowledge as to spread its reputation to distant parts. By sending these abroad duly qualified, or by exciting an emulation amongst men of parts and literature, it may give birth to other useful institutions of a similar nature, or occasional rise, by its example, to numerous societies of different kinds, calculated to spread the light of knowledge through the whole American continent, wherever inhabited."*

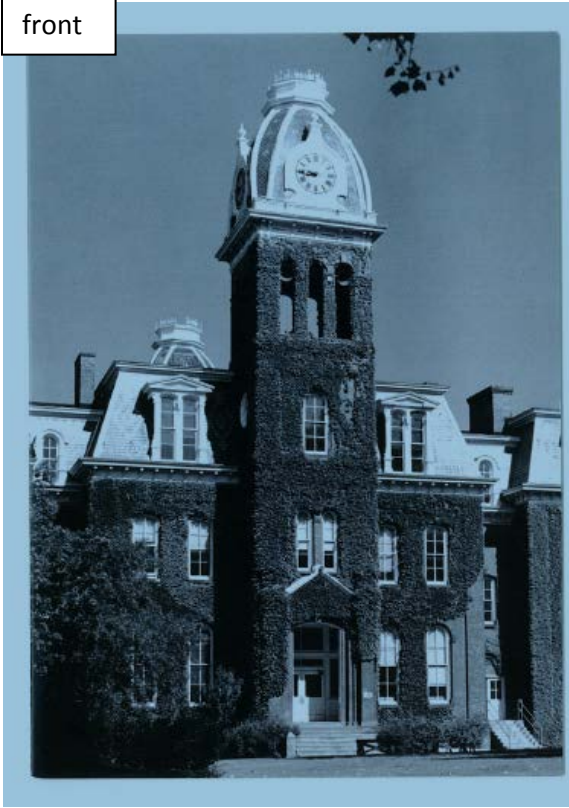
DR. JOHN MORGAN—*Founder*  
University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine  
First medical professor in this country.

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Note received with plates

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These plates were  
given to my husband  
Dr. Herbert Walden (now  
deceased) by Elizabeth Zimmermann -  
wife of Dr. Bernard Zimmermann -  
(now deceased) 4 years after a  
United Society W. Va. here at  
Morgantown, W. Va. Here is  
I am obligated to send  
them on to you.  
Sincerely  
Murray Walden.

Oct. 10 2016

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