

## 4 doctors on list dead

# Only 18 of 50 'staff' practice at hospital

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ALTHO FIFTY doctors are listed on the staff directory at the von Solbrig Memorial Hospital, only 18 of the 47 located by The Tribune said they practice there.

At least four of the doctors on the list are dead. One has been dead for four years.

Nothing could be learned about three doctors. They are not listed in the American Medical Association's national directory or in any Chicago-area telephone directory.

Some of those contacted were mystified how their names got on the staff list of the hospital, owned by Dr. Charles R. von Solbrig. "I never applied for the staff and as far as I know, I'm not on it," said Dr. Frank J. Padour, whose name appears on the list as "Dr. F. Padour." He's the only physician named Padour in the Chicago area.

"I HAVE MY boat moored near his [Dr. von Solbrig], and I wave to him when I see him," Padour said, explaining his only possible connection with the hospital. "He may have my name up there for decorative purposes. He probably just thought he wouldn't mind having all those doctors on the staff."

Other doctors' reactions to the news that they were among von Sol-

brig's "Staff Doctors" included:

● Dr. Theodore Drugas, 3759 W. 95th St., Evergreen Park, a surgeon at Holy Cross Hospital: "That's unusual, because I haven't been there for 15 years."

● Dr. Constance O'Britis, 2408 W. 63d St., retired as a surgeon, still in general practice: "I don't think I had a single patient there . . . I don't think I even ever set foot in there."

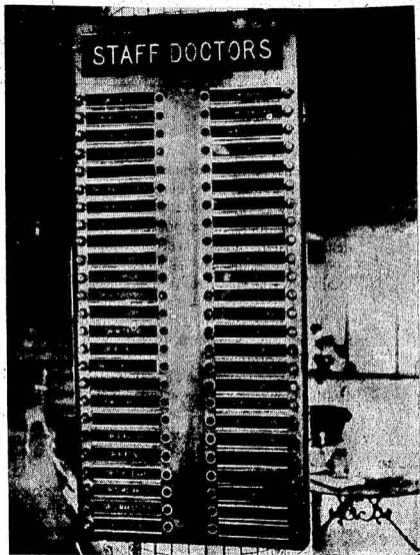
● Dr. Arnold Kaplan, 104 S. Michigan Av.: "I haven't been there for seven or eight or nine years. Gee, it's been a long time."

● Dr. Kostas Koinis, 3840 W. 95th St., Evergreen Park, a pediatrician: "I sent several letters telling them I resigned from the staff and haven't paid any staff dues for 10 years."

● Dr. A. F. Montezon, 9630 S. Longwood Dr.: "I can't help it if my name is still on that directory. I have not been going there for 10 to 12 years."

● Dr. John A. Sanfilippo, 10522 S. Cicero Av., Oak Lawn: "It's not true. It's ancient . . . once, many years ago, I took an emergency patient there. I think a patient of mine told me my name was up there."

● Dr. Algrid Pautienis, Santa Monica, Cal.: "I am not associated with that hospital anymore . . . not since I left Chicago in 1966. My name shouldn't be up there. Remove my name."



Staff directory in the lobby of von Solbrig Hospital.

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