Finding Aid To
THE PETER DINEEN, MD (1925-1989) PAPERS

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1968-1989

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Provenance

The Peter Dineen Papers were donated to the Medical Archives of the NYH-CMC by his wife, Anne Dineen and the Department of Surgery. Dr. Dineen had previously visited the Archives and had agreed that it would be the appropriate repository for his papers. These papers cover the years 1968-1989. The papers include his office files, studies, manuscripts, numerous files regarding the professional and Medical Center committees he served on, consultations, and personal and biographical material. Dr. Dineen's strong interest in the Surgeon's Assistant program and in operating room environment is reflected in these papers.

Biographical Note

Paul Albinus Peter Dineen was born January 13, 1925. His affiliation with New York Hospital is familial as his father was on the surgical staff at the hospital and was director of the animal lab. Dineen's mother was a surgical nurse. As a young man, Peter Dineen lived on the Upper-East Side and belonged to the Knickerbocker Greys. This was a boy's club for the sons of high society and Dr. Dineen continued to be interested in the club and to attend functions until his death. He attended Taft School in Connecticut with Lowell Thomas, Jr. Dr. Dineen attended Yale from 1944-1947 and then, without a degree, entered Cornell University Medical College. Except for the two years (1950-1952) that he served in the Navy, he never left the NYH-CM Center.

Dr. Dineen joined the faculty of CUMC in 1954 and became a professor in 1972. He served that hospital and the medical school as a practitioner, teacher and administrator. He was chairman of the Operating Room Committee, the hospital's Infection Committee (transferred to the Archives during his lifetime), and the General Faculty Council. He was chairman of ambulatory surgery, director of affiliations, vice-chairman of the Department of Surgery, chief of one of the four surgical services, and developer and director of the first Surgeon's Assistant Program in the United States.

He was the author or co-author of 233 research papers and journal articles dealing primarily with surgical infection and infection control. Dr. Dineen was a founding member of the Surgical Infection Society and editor-in-chief of their journal, Infections in Surgery.

He served on many professional association committees including the Joint (AMA-ACS) Review Committee on Educational Programs for Physician Assistants. This was in keeping with his strong interest in developing a program that would educate a group of men and women to be Surgeon's Assistants. Dr. Dineen felt that the reduction in the number of surgical residents accepted by hospitals each year required replacement with trained individuals who could perform the tasks that the numerous Junior residents had previously performed.
Dr. Dineen was also very active in the American College of Surgeons and the American Surgical Society.

On a personal level, Dr. Dineen was married to Anne and was the father of one son, Michael. He lived in Bridgewater, Connecticut. Correspondence files reveal his strong interest in Dalmatians and the Boondocks Medical Society. He had a sense of humor, and a personality that was warm, friendly, and quite approachable. Many letters were from young people seeking advice or letters of recommendation. This correspondence would continue long after the initial request and Dr. Dineen answered with notes of encouragement and praise. He wrote numerous letters of recommendation and congratulations to his colleagues.

It is not surprising that Dr. Dineen worked eighty hours per week. He was an administrator, surgeon, teacher and mentor and he gave full time to each. Although he traveled extensively with his wife Anne, it was usually work related. He was highly respected throughout the world as an expert in operating room environment, surgical infections, and allied health personnel. He was often asked to consult or testify as an expert witness in lawsuits.

Dr. Dineen died of cancer on October 17, 1989. He was 64 years old, and he had served the NYH-CMC community for over 35 years.

Scope and Content

The Dineen Papers contain 11 distinct series. A list of these series can be found on page 4. It should be noted that the papers begin in 1968, 25 years after Dr. Dineen arrived at Cornell Medical School, and they end with his death in 1989. There are great gaps in the papers, especially after 1980.

Dr. Dineen's interest in surgical wound infection and operating room environment is reflected throughout the collection. The office files contain letters requesting his opinion and expertise, and he often served as a consultant or expert witness in lawsuits. In this regard, Dr. Dineen worked extensively with pharmaceutical and medical equipment companies. He tested their products, and they supported his research into operating room environment and surgical wound infections. Most of the manuscripts, publications and symposiums that Dr. Dineen authored or organized were related to his interest in the above mentioned fields. There are several articles on antibiotic utilization and sterilization equipment or techniques.

Many of the files pertain to the numerous committees and associations - internal, national and international- that Dr. Dineen served. These committee memberships attest to the respect his colleagues had for his opinion and expertise. He participated actively in the American College of Surgeons and The American Surgical Society. These committees related to his interests in surgical
infection and surgeon's assistants. They included being a founding member of the Surgical Infection Society and the editor-in-chief of their journal, Infections in Surgery. Another committee that Dr. Dineen served on, as a representative of the ACS, was the Joint (AMA and ACS) Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician's Assistants.

The Surgeon's Assistant program began at NYH-CMC in 1974. It was the first program in the United States aimed specifically at training physician's assistants in the field of surgery. Dr. Dineen claimed it was in response to the reduction in the number of junior residents. He authored articles such as, "Surgeon's Assistants Can Ease the Manpower Crunch in Teaching Hospitals," The Hospital Medical Staff, November 1975. (BOX 11, FILE 10) In correspondence with other directors or with people seeking advice, he stated that the 2 year program has been most successful with applicants that had at least two years of college and had experience in the health related fields. He said, "It is interesting that these individuals are not frustrated medical students but are indeed interested in this as a separate patient care career. They have different career goals and different motivation." (BOX 26, FILE 5)

The papers include agendas and minutes of the numerous committees. Dr. Dineen served on (many as chairman) at the Medical Center. These include the Operating Room Committee, the Committee on Infections (transferred to the Archives during his lifetime), the General Faculty Council and the Quality Assurance Committee. He served on numerous other committees including the Formulary and Therapeutics Committee, the Appointment and Promotions Committee, the Antibiotic Utilization Committee, renovation and space utilization committees and various search committees, including those for affiliate hospitals. He was director of Affiliations, director of the Surgeon's Assistant Program, and vice-chairman of the Department of Surgery.

The papers have few personal annotations and there appear to be great gaps. An example would be the accreditation site visits for the SA program. There are files for 1974, 1978, and 1988, but virtually nothing for 1983. Unfortunately, records regarding the establishment of the Surgeon's Assistant program are not found in these files. On the other hand, the papers reflect Peter Dineen's character as a devoted practitioner, administrator, researcher, mentor, teacher, and friend.

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f.21  "The Efficacy of Various Germicides on Planted Pathogens in the Hands," 1978

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f.3 "Gentamicin in Gram-Negative Surgical Wound Sepsis," 1973 Journal of Infectious Diseases
f.4 "Granulomata in Crohn's Disease" Letter to the editor of Lancet, 1978
f.5 "Hair - A Source of Environmental Contamination"
f.7 "Improved Operating Room Barrier Materials"
f.8 "Infection Following Burn"
f.9 "Intestinal Tuberculosis - A Review of 31 Cases from NYC," 1977 (and Wm. Homan, MD and Wm. Grafe, MD)
f.10 "The Laboratory Diagnosis of Surgical Infections - Methods, Limitations and Interpretations," 1972 The Surgical Bulletin of the NY Academy of Medicine
f.11 "Management of Post-Trauma Intra-Abdominal Abscesses," 1978 Bulletin of the NY Academy of Medicine

f.13 "Meckels Diverticulum: A 50 Year Experience," 1982 Surgery, Gynecology and Obstetrics (and Wm. Mackey, MD)

f.14 "Methods of Controlling the Environment of the Operating Room," 1972 Contemporary Surgery
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f.2 "The Role of Surgery in Primary Syphilis of the Anus," 1975 Annals of Surgery (and Lewis Drusin, MD and Wm. Homan, MD)

f.3 "Skin and Soft Tissue Infections," 1979 Chapter in Infectious Diseases

f.4 "Soft Tissue, Burn and Abdominal Infections," (and John Davis, MD and Charles Steinberg, MD)


f.7 "Surgical Infections in Trauma Patients: Management and Prevention" 1978 Chapter in book, Care of Trauma Patient by G. Thomas Shire, II, MD


f.10 "Surgeon’s Assistants Can Ease the Manpower Crunch in Teaching Hospitals," 1975 The Hospital Medical Staff (and Wm. Gay, MD)

f.11 "The Surgeon's Assistant in A University Medical Center," 1975 JAMA (and Wm. Gay, MD)


f.13 "Tetracycline in Abdominal Trauma and Abdominal Infection," 1978 Symposium and The NY Academy of Medicine Bulletin

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f.6 Pan American Medical Association, 1971
f.7 Pan Pacific Surgical Association, 1976-1988
f.8 Societe Internationale De Chirurgie, 1972-1985
f.9 Societies, Miscellaneous - Harvey, Royale Society of Medicine include
    invitation to opening of new headquarters of RSM, Queen
    attended, PD did not
f.10 Society of Clinical Surgery, 1988 PD moderator
f.11 Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract, 1971-1989
f.12 Society of University Surgeons, 1977-1989
f.13 Southern Surgical Association, 1976-1989
f.14 Surgical Infection Society, 1980-1989 PD founding member, editor-in-
    chief of Infections in Surgery
f.15 Western Surgical Association, 1981 includes PD's CV

Box 15 Non-NYH-CMC Associations, Societies and Committees

f.1 American Medical Association Liaison Committee on Graduate
    Medical Education Residency Review Committee, 1978-May
    1979
f.2 AMA Liaison Committee on Graduate Medical Education Residency
    Review Committee, Sept 1979-Feb 1981
f.3 Residency Review Committee Meeting, 1978
f.4 Residency Review Committee Meeting, 1979
f.5 Continuing Medical Education by Senior Medical Consultants (NY
    Academy of Medicine) Invitation to PD to be on faculty,
    1980-1981
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f.6 Graduate Medical Education at NYH-CMC, 1988
f.7 Grand Rounds as Graduate Medical Education

Box 15 New York Hospital, Committees and Miscellaneous

f.8 Affiliations and Referrals, New York Hospital Committee, PD Chairman 1982-April 1984

Box 16 New York Hospital Committees and Miscellaneous

f.1 Affiliations and Referrals, New York Hospital Committee, PD Chairman, May 1984-1989
f.2 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center, 1982-1986 Reimbursements, Accreditation, Miscellaneous
f.3 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center - Orthopedic Residency Appeal, Sept 1985 Introduction-Appendix A
f.4 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center - Orthopedic Residency Appeal, Sept 1985, Appendix B
f.5 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center - Orthopedic Residency Appeal, Sept 1985, Appendix C-Appendix G
f.6 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center General Surgery Residency Review, 1988 Surgical Operative Log Reports-Appendix A-E
f.7 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center-General Surgery Residency Review, 1988 Surgical Operative Log Reports Appendix F-K
f.8 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center - St. Mary's Surgical Program 1981-1982

Box 17 New York Hospital, Committees and Miscellaneous, CONTAINS SOME CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

f.1 New York Hospital Affiliation - Catholic Medical Center- St. Mary's Cancer Grant, 1984
f.2 Pathology, Search Committee for Department Chairman Memorial, 1978 includes CVs CONFIDENTIAL
f.3 Rectal-Colon Service, Search Committee for Chief Memorial, 1978 CONFIDENTIAL
f.4 Anesthesiology, Search Committee for Chairman North Shore Hospital, 1978 includes CVs CONFIDENTIAL
f.5 New York Hospital Affiliation - Mary Manning Walsh Home Utilization Review Committee, 1978
f.6 New York Hospital Advisory Management Committee, 1977
f.7 New York Hospital Aids Task Force, 1988 notice of meeting, only
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f.8 New York Hospital Antibiotic Utilization, Subcommittee, June 1982-June 1983
f.9 New York Hospital Antibiotic Utilization, Subcommittee, July 1983-July 1984
f.10 New York Hospital Antibiotic Utilization, Subcommittee, Sept 1984-March 1985

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f.1 New York Hospital Antibiotic Utilization, Subcommittee, April 1985-Feb 1986
f.3 New York Hospital Board of Overseers, - Meet first time March 21, 1980 reception following
f.4 New York Hospital Burn Center Grant Proposal 1982
f.5 New York Hospital Burn Center miscellaneous correspondence 1976-1985
f.6 New York Hospital Continuing Education Subcommittee, 1978-1988
f.7 New York Hospital Cushing Fellowship Committee, 1979-1983
f.8 New York Hospital Dental Accreditation, 1983
f.9 New York Hospital Dentistry Division miscellaneous, 1980-1984
f.10 New York Hospital Discharge Task Force, 1984
f.11 New York Hospital Effective Utilization of Clinical Lab Resources Committee 1983
f.12 New York Hospital Environmental Hazards Committee, 1982
f.13 New York Hospital Expense Reduction Program 1988
f.15 New York Hospital Formulary and Therapeutics Committee, 1977-1980
f.16 Human Rights in Research, New York Hospital Committee 1980-1983
f.17 New York Hospital Infections Control Manual including rough drafts, also, 1 Committee on Infection Meeting minutes Sept 1979

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f.1 New York Hospital Laboratories Testing Agreement (John T. Ellis, MD), 1984
f.2 New York Hospital Long Range Planning, 1980-Jane Henry also, 1985
f.3 New York Hospital Medical Records correspondence re: narrative discharges, 1979
f.4 New York Hospital Nurse Epidemiologist Job Description, 1982
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f.5 New York Hospital OB-GYN Clinical Department Subcommittee re: accreditation 1978
f.6 New York Hospital OB-GYN Meeting re: OR environment, 1979
f.7 New York Hospital Oncology Standing Committee, 1979- 1980
f.8 New York Hospital Operating Room Inspection, Sept 1979
f.9 New York Hospital Operating Room Task Force, 1988-1989
f.10 New York Hospital Otolaryngology Residency Review Committee, 1984
f.11 New York Hospital Personnel Health Service re: use of Hepatitis B Immune Globulin, 1980
f.12 New York Hospital President's Staff Meetings agenda and minutes, April 1988-Oct 1989
f.13 Nursing Administrator, NYH Search Committee, 1981 includes CVs
f.14 Society of the New York Hospital, 1971-1980 correspondence and memos
f.15 New York Hospital Standards and Procedures Committee, 1971-1975
f.16 New York Hospital Surgical Operative Notes, 1977

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f.17-18 Jane Doe, 1988 CONFIDENTIAL

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f.1 Harley 1976 CONFIDENTIAL
f.2 Weber 1981-1984

Box 20 NYH-CMC. Committees and Miscellaneous

f.3 Surgery Department Appointments and Promotion Committee includes CVs Confidential, 1974-1978
f.4 Surgery Department Appointments and Promotion Committee includes CVs Confidential, 1979-1980
f.5 Surgery Department Appointments and Promotion Committee includes CVs Confidential, 1981-1985
f.6 Surgery Department Appointments and Promotion Committee includes CVs Confidential, 1986-1988
f.7 Cardiovascular Surgery Proposal, 1987 Wayne Isom, MD
f.8 Deaths and Complications Committee, 1976-1981
f.9 Delineation of Privileges, 1978-1979
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f.2 Surgery Department Staff meeting minutes, 1975-1987 (great gaps)
f.3 Departmental Representatives Committee, Oct.1981
f.4 Surgery Department Residents Evaluations, 1970-1989 (great gaps)
f.5 Faculty Practice Plan - F-19 Surgery Clinic, 1981
f.6 Quality Assurance Committee, Jan 1980-May 1983
f.7 Quality Assurance Committee, June 1983-Dec 1987
f.8 Quality Assurance Senior Review Committee, 1980-1988
f.9 Quality Assurance Surgery Department, 1983-1987

Box 22  NYH-CMC, Committees and Miscellaneous

f.1 Surgery Department - Resumes of Professional Activities,
1987-1988
f.2 Transfusion Committee, 1977-1978, 1979-1985
f.4 Transfusion Committee, 1986-1989
f.5 Utilization Review Committee, 1982-1985
f.6 Value Analysis Committee, 1988-1989

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f.7 Alternative Delivery System Task Force, 1985
f.8 Emergency Room Planning Task Force, March 1985-April 1985
f.9 Emergency Room Planning Task Force, May 1985

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CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

f.1 Emergency Room Planning Task Force, Sept 1985-Dec 1985
   includes final report
f.2 Renovations Miscellaneous, 1983-1984
f.3 F-11 Special Care Unit, 1981-1982
f.4 F-19, 1982
f.5 F-23 Burn Unit, 1982
f.6 Operating Rooms C and D, 1976
f.7 Space Inventory, 1977
f.8 Space and Facility Task Force, July 1980-March 1981
f.9 Space and Facility Task Force, April 1981- May 1981 includes
   creation of new department of Emergency Paramedic Services
f.10 CV Starr Pavilion Ground Breaking Invitation, Oct 7, 1981
f.11 Surgical Library Construction (K-7) Architect's review of design Sept
   1983
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f.12  Academic Programs Committee PD Chairman minutes, Oct 1978-Oct 1983
f.13  Alumni Editorial Board Committee, 1974-1976 includes "Diary of a Missionary" 1976 by Eric Miller
f.14  Animal Care and Animal Laboratory 1980-1983
f.15  Appointment, Promotion and Tenure Procedures at Cornell University Medical College, 1988-1989

Box 24  Cornell University Medical College Committees, Miscellaneous and General Faculty Council, CONTAINS SOME CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL

f.1  Behavior Science Program Committee, Subcommittee to Review Report ,1978
f.2  Cancer Education, Subcommittee to Review the Preliminary Report, 1978
f.3  Curriculum Committee, 1988
f.4  Ethics and Values in Medicine, 1980-1989
f.5  Faculty Affairs Committee - Committee on Evaluation, Grievance and Tenure, 1970-1976
f.6  Faculty Practice Plan, 1981
f.7  Fourth Year Electives, 1979-1980
f.8  Future of genetics at Cornell University Medical College, Subcommittee to Review Report, 1978
f.9  Geriatrics Program Group, Subcommittee to Review Report, 1978
f.10  Promotion and Graduation Guidelines
f.11  Plan Administration Committee, 1982-1986
f.12  Research and Sponsored Programs – Cornell University Medical College - Institutional Fellowship Awards, 1983
f.13  Medicine, Review Committee - Department Chairman, 1975
f.15  Staff Attitude Survey no survey included 1982-1983
f.16  Student Evaluation Committee, 1983-1984 minutes
f.17  Third year Advisory Committee on Instruction, 1981 Purpose sheet only
f.18  Third year Final Examinations 1975, 1977 Questions by PD
f.19  Third Year Teaching - Surgery 1975-1978
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f.1  General Faculty Council (GFC) By-laws
f.2  GFC correspondence Aug 1974-Dec 1974 PD Chairman
     CONFIDENTIAL
f.3  GFC correspondence, 1975
f.4  GFC correspondence, 1976-1977 PD retires as chairman - note letter Jan 1977
f.5  GFC 1979 miscellaneous includes agendas, CVs
f.6  GFC 1980, miscellaneous includes agendas CVs
f.7  GFC 1981 miscellaneous includes agendas CVs
f.8  GFC 1982 miscellaneous includes agendas, CVs

Box 26  Surgeon's Assistants Program and related non—NYH Committees
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f.1  Surgeon's Assistants Program (SAP) Accreditation and NY Registration 1974-1975
f.2  SAP Site Visit for Accreditation 1978
f.3  SAP Site Visit for Accreditation, 1983 little information
f.4  SAP Site Visit for Accreditation, 1988
f.5  SAP non-NYH correspondence, 1974-1987
f.6  SAP NYH correspondence, 1977-1986
f.7  SA Student Memos and Recommendations, 1976-1988
     CONFIDENTIAL
f.9  Description of SA Occupation and Job Description
f.10 North Shore University Hospital SA to work in emergency room
    1st time - 1974
f.11 American Association of Surgeons Assistants - Advisory Committee 1975
f.12 Council of Program Directors of NY State Physician Associate Programs 1975-1978

Box 27  Surgeon's Assistants Program and related non-NYH committees

f.1  Surgeon's Assistants Essentials PD Chairman, revision, 1979-1983
f.2  SA Examination national, 1978-1982
f.3  Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician's Assistants, 1974-1979 includes SA Essentials
f.4  Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician's Assistants 1980-1981
f.5  Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician's Assistants minutes of meeting 1976 A-G
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f.1 Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician’s Assistants minutes and agenda of meeting 1980 A-J, 5-7
f.2 Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician’s Assistants minutes and agenda of meeting 1980 J8-18, K-Q
f.3 Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician’s Assistants minutes and agenda of meeting 1981 A-H5
f.4 Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician’s Assistants minutes and agenda of meeting 1981 H6-H12
f.5 Joint Review Committee on Education Programs for Physician’s Assistants minutes and agenda of meeting 1981 H13-R
f.6 JRC on Education Programs for Physician’s Assistants Reviewer notebook 1981

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f.1 Appointment as Professor of Surgery Cornell University Medical College, June 1978
f.2 Appointment and Reappointment Forms New York Hospital, 1979-1989
f.3 Career Statement, 1978
f.4 Faculty Activity Report, 1973
f.5 Employee Grievance Panel and Procedures, 1980
f.6 "OR Technique" Tape-Slide Show, 1972-1975 funded by Commonwealth Fund
f.7 Yale University correspondence requesting information about obtaining BS degree
f.9 NY State Registration
f.10 License, Colorado, 1980-1985 Boondocks Medical Society, Iowa 1983
f.11 Trustee of Alumni Council, 1980
f.12 Invitation to confer hoods Cornell University Medical College commencement, May, 1989
f.13 Rome University, 1982 spoke on control of bacterial contamination in the OR
f.14 Ownership of Dalmatians 1977-1983 correspondence with breeders
f.15 Directions to home in Bridgewater, Connecticut
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f.16 Taft Reunion, 1982 Class of 1942
f.17 Deseret Pharmaceutical Stock 1977