

# Balancing Of Needs *10/8/1965* Panel Chosen For Study Of Medical School Site

## University Of Rochester Dean, 2 Others To Weigh TU, State Hospital Proposals

The board of trustees of the Toledo State College of Medicine yesterday unanimously approved a panel of three distinguished medical educators to investigate and report on a site for the institution.

Paul Block, Jr., chairman of the board, said the

panel will be asked to weigh the advantages of the greater area of the proposed site at the Toledo State Hospital against the disadvantage of this area's relative remoteness from the University of Toledo, where another, smaller site is available. Mr. Block noted that the panel will face many very difficult questions in balancing the need to provide for future growth and expansion against the need for cooperation and shared facilities with TU.

The panel will be headed by Dr. Donald G. Anderson, dean of the school of medicine and dentistry at the University of Rochester. Mr. Block, who together with John A. Skipton, vice chairman, obtained the services of Dr. Anderson for the college, said the dean's name was taken from a list supplied by officials of the Association of American Medical Colleges and the American Medical Association. Mr. Block noted that Dr. Anderson is familiar with the type of problem faced by the medical school, and has expressed enthusiastic interest in getting to work on it.

### Medical School Head

Dr. Anderson, who has headed the Rochester medical school since 1963, also has served as dean of the Boston University school of medicine. He is a member of the board of directors of the American Medical Education Foundation, and was secretary of the council on medical education and hospitals of the AMA. He has served as an adviser to the U.S. Office of Education

and the surgeon general of the army.

The other two panel members, who were chosen by Dr. Anderson, are Dr. George N. Aagaard and Dr. James M. Faulkner.

Dr. Aagaard held several posts at the University of Minnesota medical school and was dean of the southwestern medical school at the University of Texas. He now is dean of the University of Washington medical school in Seattle. He has been president of the AAMC.

### Panel Endorsed

Dr. Faulkner has served on the medical faculties of Harvard, Tufts, and Boston universities, and was dean of the latter school. He was medical director of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and is a member of the board of overseers of Harvard College.

The trustees were unanimous in agreeing that the panel is well qualified to make the survey. At the suggestion of Dr. Byron Shaffer, the trustees authorized Mr. Block and Dr. Anderson to select substitutes in case any member of the panel is unable to come to Toledo. Mr. Block said that the panel would set aside three days to examine local sites.

### \$35,000 Reported

#### Received From State

In other actions, the trustees:

► Heard a report from LeRoy Newmyer, acting treasurer, that the college so far has received \$35,000 from the state, including an emergency grant of \$10,000. Of this, \$25,919 in cash remains in the college treasury.

► Approved payment of \$3,181 in legal fees to William Longthorne, special counsel to the college. Mr. Newmyer said the fee has been approved by the state attorney general.

► Heard a report from Bernard Baker on a recent meeting of a trustees' committee with representatives of TU. Mr. Baker said the meeting prepared the way for the establishment of close relations between the college and the university.

► Received a report on the possibilities of federal financial aid from U.S. Rep. Thomas L. Ashley. Mr. Ashley said "a new medical school today faces excellent prospects of obtaining federal support."

► Heard a report from Mr. Block on his visit to the Markle Foundation in New York. Mr. Block said the foundation grants money to further the postgraduate education of outstanding medical students. He noted that since the foundation keeps track of those it helps, it might serve as a source in recruiting staff for the medical school.