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Governor's Commission on Influenza.

The second meeting of the Governor's Commission on Epidemic Influenza was held at the Academy of Medicine, New York City, on November 22 at 5 p.m. All the members of the commission were present with the exception of Dr. McCoy and Dr. Rosenau. The following formal actions were taken.

It was voted to ask the International Health Board to assign Dr. Victor G. Haisler to the study of hospital and home nursing care in various cities with regard to the methods pursued and results obtained, as outlined in the report of the subcommittee on epidemiology.

It was voted to ask the chairman of the commission to communicate with Surgeon General Braisted and ask that Dr. Rossiter be assigned to service at the Coast Island Naval Base in California to continue the very fruitful studies which he has been pursuing there.

It was voted that the secretary should communicate with Surgeon General Trask and urge the importance of an early meeting of the registrars and statisticians to outline ways and means of getting the basic statistics of the influenza epidemic and developing studies in the pathometry of influenza.

It was voted to ask Dr. Martha Wollstein to undertake the study of the current literature of the epidemic.