



MMC NEWS

NEWSLETTER OF MIRAJ MEDICAL CENTRE

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FEBRUARY - JUNE 2010



From Director's Desk

Those things, which ye have both learned, and received and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you.

Philippians 4:7

NEW ARRIVALS

1. Mrs. Aparna, Staff Nurse & Mr. David Sarode, EKG Tech. were blessed with a baby Girl on 3.3.2010.
2. Mr. Abhijit Komble, Physiotherapist & Mrs. Supriya were blessed with a baby Boy on 13.3.2010.

DAYS TO REMEMBER

- 1st April 2010-Monday Thursday.
- 2nd April 2010-Good Friday.
- 4th April 2010-Easter
- 1st May 2010-Labour Day & Maharashtra Day.

Dear Friends,

Greetings from Wanless Hospital Miraj Medical Centre in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I am happy to present to you MMC News Letter Miraj Medical Centre is in threshold on Renovation & Renewal ISAIAH 43:19 says, "BEHOLD I WILL DO A NEW THING." God by His miraculous ways does every moment a new thing in our life some time we notice it and many time we do not pay any attention towards it. New creation and creativity is only through our almighty. God does each and every new creation only for us and we must understand that behind His each new creativity there is a purpose there is a principle, proposal, prophecy. Let us open our heart, mind and receive His precious gifts in our day to day life.

MMC is very much fortunate enough to have New Miraj Institute of Neuroscience, Radiotherapy and Oncology Section. A Radio diagnosis including 40 Slice Siemens CT Scanner, a Laboratory upgradation equipment and entire new set of instrument in all surgical unit in operation room and we appreciate a acknowledge and generous donations of ASHA, USAID, MBF, BBF, PCUSA.

By grace of God MMC is looking forward for new things & success and God has opened His Heavenly treasure and blessings for MMC.

Yours in His Service
Dr. Deepak M. Kamle,
MS, FRSH, FCAMS
Director



1. DEDICATION OF NEW SIEMENS SOMATOM SENSATION 40 MULTISLICE SCANNER:

MMC has installed new Siemens Somatom Sensation 40 Multislice CT Scanner funded by ASHA USAID on 8th February 2010. It was dedicated by Dr. Rev. Enos Das Pradhan, under the Chairmanship of Rt Rev. B. R. Tiwade. Dr. N. S. Sase, Deputy Director introduced the guest, Dr. Milind Gosavi, Dy. Medical Superintendent read the messages received and was a Master of Ceremony, Dr. S. S. Pargaonkar, Medical Superintendent gave Vote of Thanks and Rt Rev. B. R. Tiwade, Chairman praised and congratulated MMC for its developmental activities. Mr. Suresh Khade, MLA gave greetings. Dr. Rev. Enos Das Pradhan, General Secretary, CNI, Chief Guest dedicated the machine and given key note address. He emphasizes on the sustenance through God's help. Dr. Deepak M Kamle, Director welcome all guests and gave brief information of this project Lot of dignitaries, head of organization, and well wishers attended this programme. A special word of appreciation towards ASHA USAID, MBF, and PCUSA for their kind donation. Special thanks to Dr. Jerold Veldman, Dr. Richard Bedell, Mr. John Haynes, Rev. Bob Ellis and many well wishers, prayerful supporters who helped us in this project This was a long felt need of department.



• COURAGE IS THE FIRST OF HUMAN QUALITIES, BECAUSE IT IS THE QUALITY WHICH GUARANTEES ALL OTHERS.

2. NEW EEG AND HEART LUNG MACHINE DEDICATION :

A dedication programme was arranged on 3rd March 2010. New portable digital EEG machine was dedicated at the hands of Mr. Ashwin Mudgal, CEO Zilla Parishad, Sangli, Surgical Instruments and Heater Cooler dedicated by Dr. Ashok Waghmare, DHO, Sangli Heart Lung Machine was dedicated by Dr. Jerold Veldman USA. Dr. N. S. Sase, introduced all guests, Dr. M.D. Gosavi was Master of Ceremony. Dr. Deepak M. Kamle, felicitated guest, MMC has kept its tradition of adding state-of-art new equipments in various departments for patient care.



Dr. Jerold Veldman



Mr. Ashwin Mudgal

3. OPENING OF RENOVATED M. O. R HOSTEL ROOMS :

Twelve rooms of M.O.R. Hostel were repaired and renovated through kind donation of Dr. and Mrs. Bedell, Mr. Rick and Caroline Bedell. Dedication was done at the hands of Dr. Jerold Veldman and Mrs. Lynn John Veldman on 4th March 2010. All administrators, MMC staff attended this programme.



Lynn Veldman

4. LABORATORY UP-GRADATION PROJECT, GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY :

Laboratory up-gradation ASHA Grant 1045 project launched. A ground breaking ceremony took place on 5th March 2010 at the hands of Dr. Deepak M. Kamle, Director, all administrators and staffs were present, With this project, MMC will upgrade department of Biochemistry, Haematology, Microbiology, Histopathology, Autopsy room, Mortuary and Blood Bank and photology museum.



5. INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION -8th MARCH 2010 :

MMC observed a International Women's Day on 8th March 2010, a special programme was arranged through collaboration of Rotary Club, Innerwheel Sangli & YMCA Miraj branch. Dr. Mrs. Rajput, Head Dept. of Obst. Gyn. gave a detail information on Health R'tress & Medical problems in women President and Secretary Rotary Sangli spoke on women's responsibility. College of Nursing student performed a STREET PLAY. Mrs. Jaya Deepak Kamle was a Chief guest. MMC felicitities distinguished women on this occasion.



Seminar



Street Play



Rt. Rev. Bishop B. R. Tiwade

6. DEDICATION OF NEW EQUIPMENTS :

MMC purchased following most urgently needed equipment for various departments. Dedication ceremony was arranged on Monday, 15th March 2010. Dual Head Injector for new CT scan dedicated by Rt Rev. B. R. Tiwade. Plasma Aphaeresis Machine dedicated by Dr. Jerold Veldman, Gastro scope and Colonoscope dedicated by Mr. S. K. Solomon, Consaale of Injector dedicated by Dr. P.D. Samson. Department of Radiology, Department of Surgery and Department of Pathology gave brief information about these instalments. Dr. Deepak Kamle, Director briefed about this project and highlighted about need of these equipments in various departments.



Dr. Jerold Veldman

7. SEMINAR ON ORGAN TRANSPLANT :

A special seminar on Organ Transplant was organised by MMC on 30/3/2010 Dr. R.A.S. Vladamin Don Kazan Medical University Russia was chief guest. He highlighted on recent trends in Organ Transplant.

8. WHO DAY CELEBRATION :

7th April 2010 was observed as WHO day. The theme was 'Be a part of a global movement to make cities healthier. GNM, PBBS c. Basic

B.Sc., College of Nursing students arranged a special poster presentation on theme and educational nutrition exhibition and various models were displayed. Dr. Deepak M. Kamle, Director inaugurated the poster exhibition. Mrs. Nalni Samudre, Princitpal, College of Nursing welcomed all. All staff, students, patient relatives attended the programme.



9 VBS CLASSES 2010 :

MMC's chaplaincy counseling centre for the first time conducted Trainers Training Programme followed by vacation Bible School classes from April 23-30, 2010. Staff wives a students of College of Nursing took active part in VBS activity. Total 156 students attended VBS every day. Special thanks to all teacher's, volunteers & parents.



V.B.S.2010

10. INFERTILITY DIAGNOSTIC CAMP:

Department of Obst. Gynaecology has arranged a Infertility Diagnostic Camp on May 20, 21, 2010 at MMC. Dr. Varsha Samson Roy, Bangalore well known Infertility Specialist was Chief Obstetrician, who conducted camp. Dr. Mrs. M. R. Rajput, Dr. Mrs. V. V. Choudhary, Dr. Mrs. B. Chitale, Dr. Bepara screened the patients. Response was very good.



11. STARTING OF 'MENOPAUSAL CLINIC' AT MMC :

Department of Obst. Gynaecology has taken initiative, identified, post menopausal problems of women in society. A NEW MENOPAUSAL CLINIC started in Dept. of Ob. Gyn. which was inaugurated by Dr. Deepak Kamle, Director on Thursday, 27/5/2010. This clinic will run every Thursday. This will be first of it kind of clinic in this area & district.

12. INAUGURATION, UPGRADTION LABORATORY AND EQUIPMENTS :

ASHA USAID funded upgradation laboratory and equipments Inauguration Ceremony took place on 2nd June 2010. The most Rev. Dr. Purely Lyngdoh, The moderator of Church of North India inaugurated the upgraded laboratory wings. In his key note address, he said hard work with full dedication is required. We are to serve the community and be prepare for the compassionate comprehensive health care.



- * Besides this there were other dignitaries who inaugurated.
- * Rt. Rev. Mursandi Dy. moderator CNI inaugurated - Clinical pathology section
- * Rt. Rev. Bishop Tiwade Bishop KDC inaugurated - Reception Counter
- * Rt. Rev. Bishop Sathe Bishop of Pune DIOCESA - inaugurated Biochemistry section
- * Mr. Prem Masih, managing trustee COEMAR inaugurated microbiology section.
- * Miss Anne Dayadhan, COEMAR trustee inaugurated - PCR Lab.
- * Mrs. Prem Masih wife of Mr. Prem Masih inaugurated - Haematology section.

Dr. N. Sase, Dy. Director introduced all guest, Dr. Shirish Pargaonkar, Medical Supdt. gave vote of thanks. Dr. M. D. Gosavi, Read Received Greetings, Dr. Deepak Kamle, Director gave details about ASHA USAID GRANT 1045, in which total renovation of laboratoty wing was done, with air conditioning & on line computer facilities. For this project in the Dept. of Pathology 18, Biochemistry 11, Microbiology 3, Blood Bank 12, Mortury 3. New Equipments added. Special thanks to ASHA USAID, MBF, PCUSA & all prayerful supporters.

13. NEW EQUIPMENTS ADDED :

MMC has added: Olympus Video Endoscope and Colonoscope in department of General Surgery. Dual Head Injector for Department of Radiology. Twelve new sets split Air Conditioning system to CCU, CTS ICU and CTS OR. Surgical new set of instrument for all surgical speciality added by courtesy of Brothers Brother Foundation MBF USA.

14. SELECTION OF DNB STUDENTS FOR FEBRUARY 2010 SESSION :

Following students were selected for N.B.E. Courses for February 2010 session.

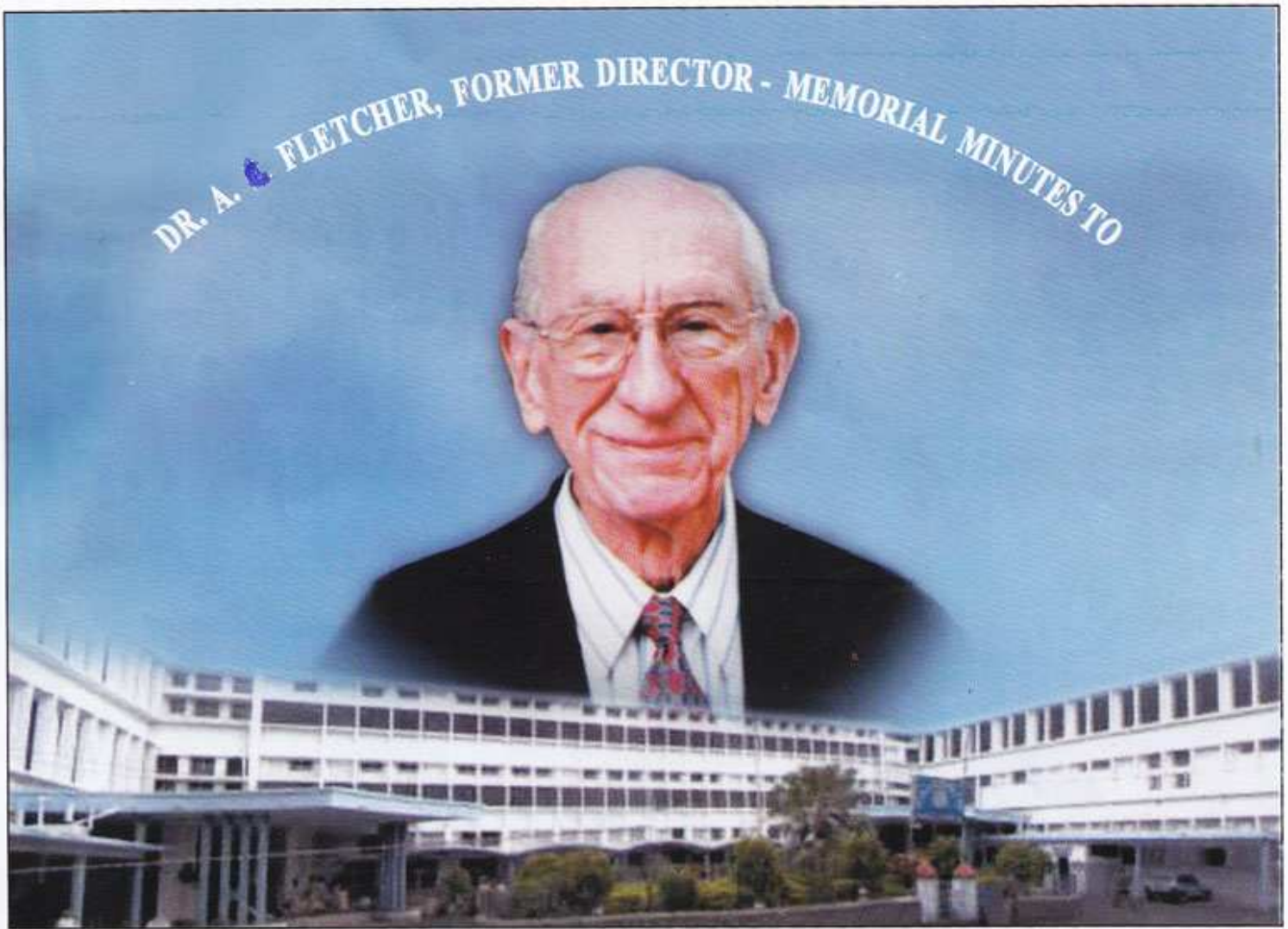
Paediatric - Primary - Dr. Ms. Florence Daniel Birru.	Post Diploma - Dr. Mrs. Jennifer Arthur Dillon
Ob.Gyn. - Primary - Dr. Ms. Pallavi Ashok Gurav	Post Diploma - Dr. Atish Avinash Dixit
Ophthalmology - Primary - Dr. Vrushali Dhande	Post Diploma - Dr. Vidhyasagar Chougule
Orthopaedics - Primary - Vacant	Post Diploma - Vacant

Welcome to MMC family.

15. EX-SERVICEMEN CONTRIBUTORY HEALTH SCHEME (ECHS) :

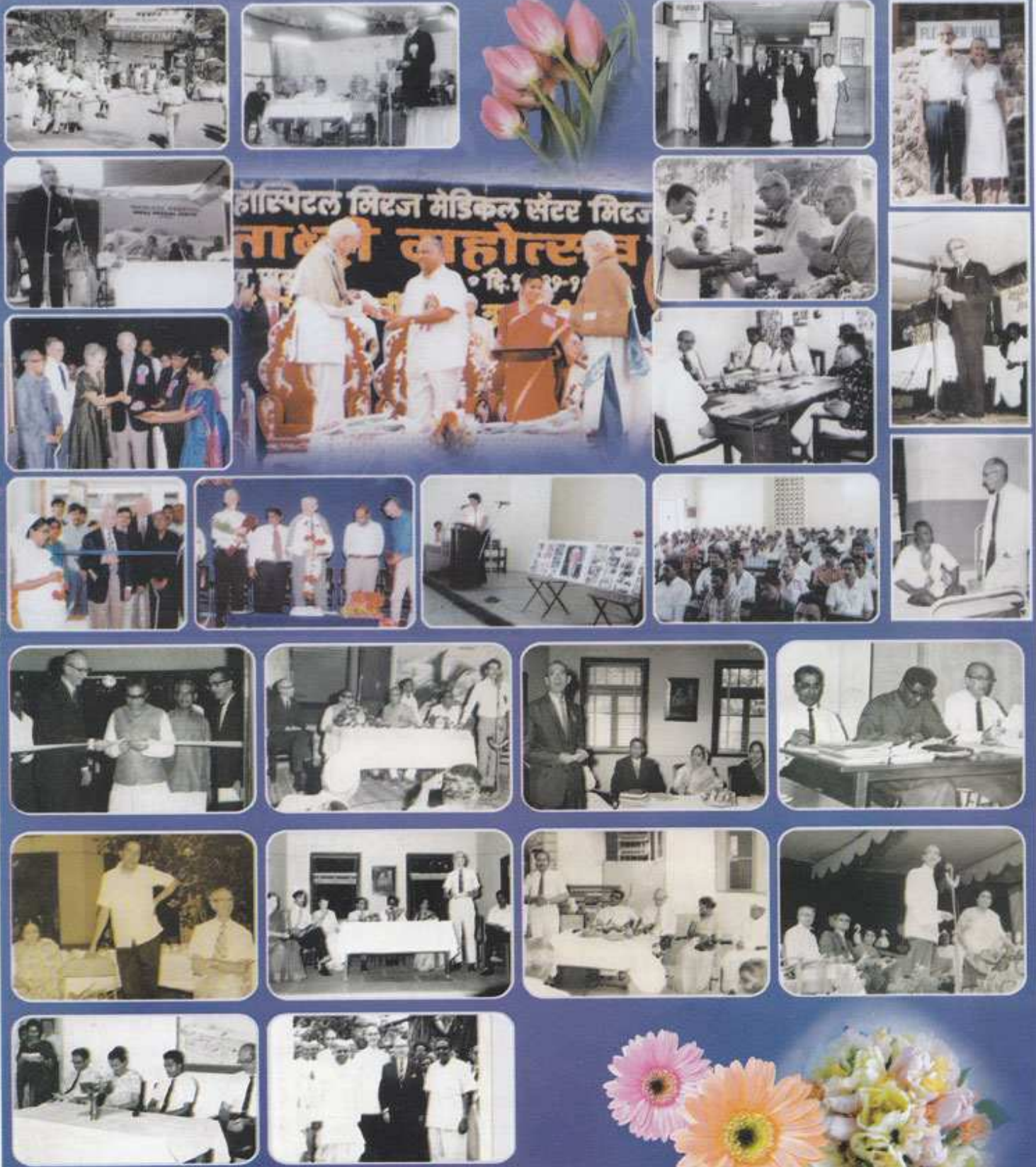
ECHS impanelment has been extended for another period of two years w.e.f. 1st April 2010. As if now MMC has following impanelment.

ECHS : Ex-Servicemen's Contributory Health Scheme, BSNL : Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, ESIC : Employees State Insurance Corporation, ICICI Lombard, PKPY :



Dr. Archie Bald Fletcher, Former Director of MMC passed to His Heavenly abode on 7th May, 2010. Dr. A. G. Fletcher came to India in 1944 as a Surgeon and started work at Wanless Chest Hospital, Wanlesswadi, where he developed a unit of 'Thoracic Surgery' and then he came to Miraj. The only person who is responsible for modernization of infrastructure development was Dr. Fletcher. He took initiative to raise the funds and construction work of - Existing Hospital building, Chapel Building, O.P.D. Block, Administrative Block, Student Nurses Hostel, ORTHO workshop, Staff quarters in East campus, I.H.R. Hostel, Meuttmana Hostel, Fletcher Guest Hall, Baisinger Conference Hall. He started Thoracic Surgery especially, Oesophageal Resections, Partial Hypertension, Oral Cancer commandos operation. He developed all basic specialities of P. G. Guide and excellent human being. He developed religious works department and instrumental in developing, establishing churches. He was a best orator and evangelist. He has a social concern and use to take part almost in all the social activities. He was the President of Miraj I.M.A., Lions Club, Staff Research Society of Miraj Medical College. He was Elder and Trustee of Miraj Christian, Church, Miraj. His one of the Major outstanding contribution is starting of Miraj Medical College, Miraj in 1962 starting UG & PG at MMC, starting of ASHA US GRANTS such as Miraj Heart Institute and other Grants also. His contribution to MMC is tremendous, enormous and cannot be narrated. He left behind Mrs. Wayne Fletcher and 4 sons, 4 daughter in law and 6 grandsons. MMC upholds the bereaved family and pray to God to rest his soul in Peace. MMC administrators, staff, student pay their respect to the only one Dr. Archiebald Fletcher, the 1st Director of MMC. MMC has special memorial service on 12/5/2010 all staff present a refred, student attended memorial service at miraj every institutions had memorial service. Late. Dr. Archie Bald Fletcher has a dream of having MMC'S own Christian Medical Collage, Miraj and we MMC family trying our best to fulfill desire and dream of Dr. A. G. Fletcher. May his soul rest in peace and MMC upholds bereaved family into their prayer.

Memories Of Late. Dr. A. G. FLETCHER Former Director



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