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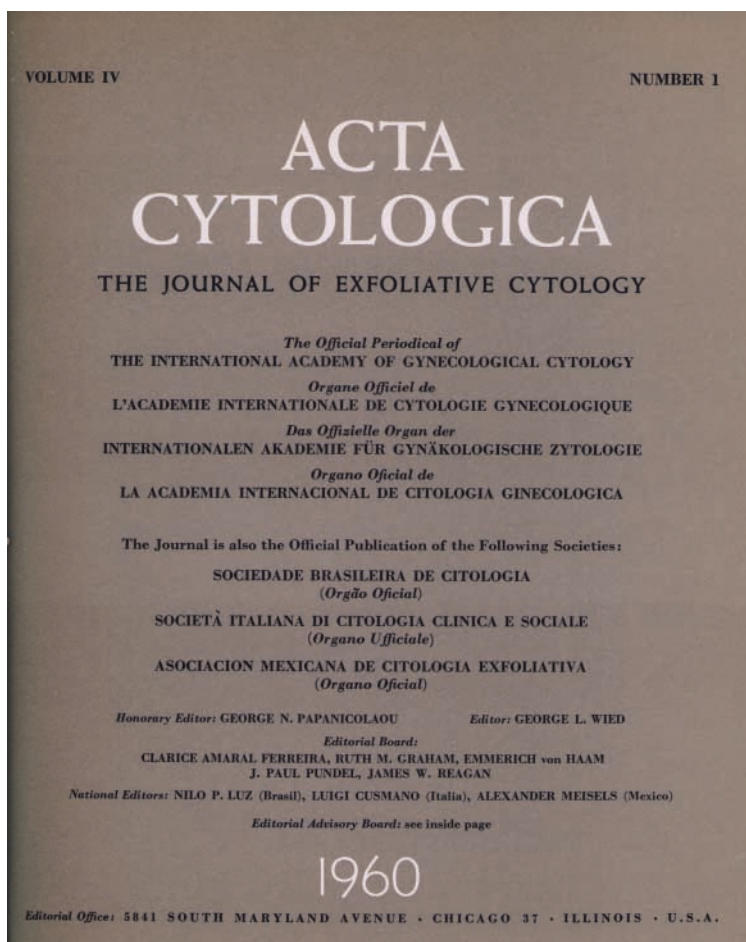
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With volume IV, 1960, *Acta Cytologica* underwent major changes: it became an international medical periodical. One of the new features was publishing original papers. The call for manuscripts indicated that:

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The above editorial communication was followed by an editorial, penned by the editor, George L. Wied. He wrote:

Recently, three additional national societies of cytology have joined *Acta Cytologica*. It is a privilege to welcome the INTER-SOCIETY CYTOLOGY

COUNCIL [future name: THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CYTOLOGY], the Italian Cytology Society: SOCIETA ITALIANA DI CITOLOGIA CLINICA E SOCIALE, and the German Cytology Society: DIE DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FÜR ANGEWANDTE ZYTOLOGIE.

In addition to THE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF GYNECOLOGICAL CYTOLOGY, the Brazilian Society of Cytology: SOCIEDADE BRASILEIRA DE CITOLOGIA, and the Mexican Cytology Society: ASOCIACION MEXICANA DE CITOLOGIA EXFOLIATIVA, will continue to use *Acta Cytologica* as their official periodical.

The Journal is now being used by almost all existing national societies of exfoliative or clinical cytology, and it is hoped that it will serve as a central organ, providing readers with an international journal which will publish the newest advances in the field of cytology.

With this final issue of Volume IV, 1960, the Journal will undergo a major change in its form and publication schedule: *Acta Cytologica* will appear six times (not three times) per annum (January, March, May, July, September, November) as of 1961. The print of the Journal will be regular letter-press type instead of the previously used IBM-offset-type. The size of the Journal will be slightly reduced. *Acta Cytologica* will be published by the J. B. Lippincott Company, Publishers, Philadelphia 5, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. The editorial policy and the types of papers published in the Journal will remain essentially

unchanged. The new publisher has kindly consented to publish original articles in their original languages in addition to a complete English translation, if the manuscripts are submitted through their respective national cytology societies.

Acknowledgment seems due to our editorial office staff which has carried an extensive workload in starting the Journal. In providing the proof reading and translations of the manuscripts: Miss Catherine M. Keebler and Miss Margaret J. Keranen, and recently Mrs. Roberta G. Rautio, all of the Laboratory of Exfoliative Cytology of the University of Chicago, have voluntarily contributed their time and efforts in the accomplishment of editorial tasks.

The Journal was started with generous grants from The Cancer Research Foundation, and it could not have been maintained without this support. It is, therefore, a pleasure and a privilege to thank Mr. Maurice Goldblatt, Chairman of the Board, Dean Lowell T. Coggeshall, President, and the other officers of the Foundation for their generous support of the Journal.

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