

## EARLY PHOTOS SIMULATING VISION CONDITIONS

A faculty member in the Indiana University Department of History and Philosophy of Science is searching for the earliest photographs that simulate the subjective experience of various vision conditions. Gregg and Heath's *The Eye and Sight* (1964) contains images credited to the Western Institute of Light and Vision and to Gregg himself, but we suspect that there may be earlier attempts to illustrate these phenomena. If you have information about the existence of other photos, please contact the editor, Dr. David Goss at [dgoss@indiana.edu](mailto:dgoss@indiana.edu).

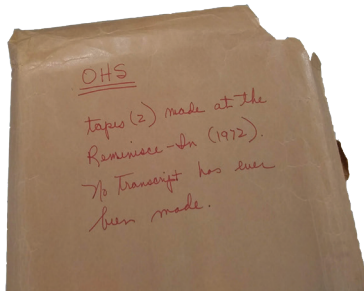


Edna Fugate, Archivist and Reference Librarian, is working diligently with us to make images of and information about the objects accessible in the UPIKE Digital Archives, and to ensure that the materials are well curated. We are



delighted by this opportunity to make our hidden collection more accessible, and welcome a chance to collaborate with our partners in academia to promote public awareness of optometry, encourage research, and support educational programming using museum objects. We look forward to sharing more news about the upcoming UPIKE exhibits with our members. More information about our partnership with UPIKE will appear in the future issues of *Hindsight*.

## FIRST REMINISCE-IN AUDIO



We have found one of two original sound recordings made of the first "Reminisce-In"! The two, 1/4" magnetic reel tapes made during the 75th AOA Congress in St. Louis, MO were deposited at

the Archives & Museum of Optometry (AMO) in 1972. Kirsten Hébert, archivist at the AMO, is working with Dina Kellams, Director of the Indiana University Archives, to transfer the tapes to IU so that they can be digitized and preserved. Stay tuned for information about how to listen to this historic event as it happened!

## AMO LOAN TO UPIKE

The Archives & Museum of Optometry is excited to announce that we have entered a long-term loan agreement with the University of Pikeville, home of the Kentucky College of Optometry and the Frank M. Allara Library Special Collections and Archives. On December 14, crates containing a selection of our large antique diagnostic and therapeutic instruments and equipment arrived at UPIKE, destined for display in the new Health Professions Education Building.

## BLAST FROM THE PAST 2019



Meet us in St. Louis on Friday, June 21, 2019 from 11:00AM-12:00PM for our annual "Blast from the Past" event. This year, Dr. Ed Bennett from the University of Missouri - St. Louis College of Optometry will present his COPE-approved course "Contact Lenses: From the Past to the Future" (59040-GO).

Join your colleagues for Dr. Bennett's illuminating discussion of the past, present and future of one of the most revolutionary innovations in eye care in modern history.

## AOSA BOARD VISITS THE AMO

The American Optometric Student Association (AOSA) Trustees visited the AOA headquarters in St. Louis, MO on Friday, January 4, 2019. During their visit, the Trustees were treated to a pop-up exhibit presented by the AMO featuring items from the 23rd AOA Congress held in St. Louis in 1920. Pictured here is one of several groups that had a chance to spend some time learning more about the history of the profession.

