R. R.H. Frelick

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This article (see Figure 1 and 2) about Robert H. Frelick, MD is from the Wilmington Morning News on Saturday, October 14, 1950. The headline banner on this date was "Yanks within 65 Miles of Red Capital." President Truman had just announced Wake Island as the location for the final parley with General MacArthur to discuss the final phase of the Korean campaign. Dr. Frelick's medical career spanned decades, and his dedication to cancer diagnosis and treatment was honored with the Lewis B. Flinn President's Award, presented by the Delaware Academy of Medicine in 2009. Dr. Frelick remained engaged in medicine, attending medical grand rounds and other education event until a year before his passing in 2016.

Figure 1. Dr. R.H. Frelick, Page 1

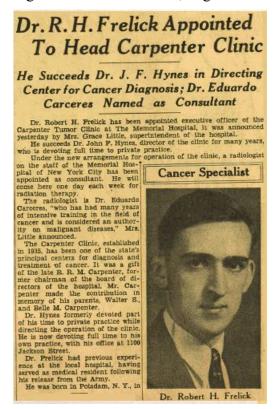


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1920. He was raised in Schenectady and attended Union College, from which he was graduated in 1941 with an A.B. degree. He was graduated from Yale medical school in September, 1944 and interned at New Haven Hospital in surgery.

Dr. Frelick entered the Army in July, 1945 and served for two years, most of the time in Munich, Germany. After leaving the Army, he came to the Memorial Hospital here.

This was followed by a year in the Medical Residency at Memorial Cancer Center, New York City. He completed this work in June, 1950.

Dr. Frelick returned to Wilmington following this and started a practice in international medicine while assuming the directorship of the Carter Clinic on a part-time basis.

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