

# Meharry Medical College

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Mr. Raymond Paty,  
Julius Rosenwald Fund,  
4901 Ellis Avenue,  
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Mr. Paty:

I am returning to you the blank, and I regret to say that we cannot conscientiously recommend Dr. Von D. Mizell for a fellowship.

His scholarship is fair, but not brilliant. The main trouble with the young man is that he does not seem to have the ability to get along with people.

In less than a year he has had to leave General Hospital No. 2, Kansas City, Missouri, for misconduct, and even when a student at Meharry his behavior was bad, not becoming to a gentleman, in more than one instance.

Briefly, he lacks self-discipline and emotional control.

This information, of course, is given to you confidentially.

Yours very truly,

*John J. Mullaney*  
President.

JJM:SAE

*This boy left KC hospital, according to his account, because he couldn't get food to eat. Candidates at KC General one had enough to warrant anyone leaving. Mizell is a person of spirit & probably caused Mullaney as I wanted a <sup>may</sup> ~~an~~ account for this letter.*

