The John R. Graham Headache Collection

John Ruskin Graham was born in Boston on February 13, 1909. He attended Roxbury Latin School, where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa and summa cum laude. After graduation from Harvard Medical School, he trained in internal medicine at Massachusetts General Hospital. At MGH, Dr. Graham worked in a new outpatient headache service, then traveled to New York City to spend a year performing research with Harold Wolff. He returned to MGH but soon was called to active duty as a major in the Army Medical Corps.

In 1950 Dr. Graham became Chief of Medicine at Faulkner Hospital, a post he held until 1974. He continued to see patients. With money from a grateful patient, he established the Headache Research Foundation and organized Headache Associates, a consortium of physicians who were interested in providing clinical care to headache patients. Records of their case conferences were often published in the journal of this Society.

In 1976 the Patient Care Division of the Headache Research Foundation was formed, succeeded in 1987 by a dedicated headache clinic. Named in honor of Dr. Graham, the John R. Graham Headache Centre at Faulkner Hospital has been in continuous operation since. Over the years, Dr. Graham and his colleagues at the Center were involved in many important developments in the developing field of headache medicine. 1

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