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Mount Sinai Hospital,
LEXINGTON AVE. & 68th ST.

New York, March 16th 1879

A. Jacobi M.D.

Chairman Supervisory Comm. Out Door Dept.

Dear Sir

I am instructed by resolution of the Board of Directors to forward you the following copy of the report adopted at a meeting held this day & also beg to notify you of the confirmation of Dr. Isaac Oppenheimer as a member of the Medical Staff of the Out Door Department as Dr. Spitzka resigned.

Very respectfully yours
H. H. Hawkins

Secretary.

Copy of Report.

New York March 14th 79

To the President & Board of Directors
of Mt Sinai Hospital

The undersigned a Committee to confer with the Medical Staff about closing the Dispensary on certain days respectfully Report—

That at a meeting held between this Committee and Drs. Jacobi Herzog & Munnell on the evening of the 13th inst. the question was thoroughly discussed and it was

made apparent to the undersigned -

1st That any difference in arranging the days other than six per week will work injury to the patients, diminish the chances of proper attendance, crowding the work into fewer days and thus hurrying it, and that there would not be any appreciable saving of money.

2nd That it is the earnest desire and purpose of the Staff to enable us to reduce the expenses of the Dispensary by adopting such rules for the prescribing of Medicines as to save at least 25 or 30 % of the present expense. The Staff is willing to be subject to a trial of say three months to prove to us that the expense of Drugs & Medicines used in the Dispensary will be so diminished -

In view of the above the Committee would respectfully report, that in their opinion the wisest course for the present is, to keep the Dispensary open on every day, excepting Sundays and Holidays

Signed

A Hallgarten Chairman

W. Winstacker

Isaac Wallack Committee.

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