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Object: book: Coal Miners' Doctor by Rita A. Mariotti, M.D.; autobiographical

account of the author's work at a United Mine Workers of America hospital

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Additional Comments: There are references to Woman's Med throughout this book, including one beginning on page 159. Dr. Mariotti has told June Klinghoffer that this reminiscence refers to an event that took place in Klinghoffer's home. Dr. Klinghoffer states that she never had a "tea" in her home, most definitely never had a maid or a fireplace, but these memories of Dr. Mariotti's amplify the sense of awe a student must have felt in being invited to a professor's home.