

Francisco de Salles Gomes, Junior, M.D.

1888-1972

We regret to announce with profound sorrow the passing away of Dr. Francisco de Salles Gomes, Jr., on 4 December 1972, in Sao Paulo, Brasil. Dr. Salles Gomes was the third chief inspector of the Leprosy Service from 1932, who built all the leprosaria and leprosy colonies in the State of Sao Paulo, with responsibility for the segregation of 11,000 patients. He was also the most active

director of the Department of Leprosy. Twice also he held the position of secretary of health of the Government of Sao Paulo, Brasil. He received the honorable title of Servitor Emeritus of the State of Sao Paulo.

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