Student News
STUDENT NEWS

Divisional Fall Banquet

Ralph Schwarte

“A word of congratulations is due all Faculty and Jr. AVMA members for their loyal support of the eighth annual fall banquet,” were the comments of Earle Douglas, VM 4, master of ceremonies of American Veterinary Medical Association, welcomed the guests and members to the banquet. He also emphasized the importance of good student and faculty relations while attending Veterinary School, as well as after graduation.

Dean I. A. Merchant welcomed and congratulated the freshmen class and introduced the Veterinary Medical staff.

“Keeping a daily clinical observation and therapeutic diary which is written up at the end of each day when facts are still fresh in your mind,” were the words of Dr. W. A. Aitken, editor of the American Veterinary Medical Association.

Robert Sharp, VM 4, president of the Iowa State College Student Chapter of the banqet held in Great Hall, Memorial Union, Iowa State College, on October 6, 1955. This was more than true this year as 48 faculty members and 257 divisional students partook of the larger serving of food on the specially decorated tables.

Dr. C. H. Covault and Dr. H. D. Bergman chatting with Dr. W. A. Aitken.
Veterinary Medical Journal. He recalled that when he noticed a response in therapy from penicillin in conjunction with antierysipelas serum, in an erysipelas outbreak, that brief comments on temperature and general observation were valuable aids in later treatment of similar cases. "Our memories sometimes fail us on some basic facts which may be the solution in a difficult diagnosis."

Doctor Aitken spoke briefly of his experiences as a staff member, field practitioner and from editorial contacts. Mr. McCain, Secretary of The Borden Foundation presented a $300 Borden Scholarship award for an outstanding scholastic record to Martin Van Der Maaten, senior. Martin is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Martin Van Der Maaten now practicing at Orange City, Iowa. This award is given to the student with the highest scholastic record at the end of three years in Veterinary Medicine.

Marriages

Miss Marilyn Leonard and Rex Jones were married August 21, in the Methodist Church at Mapletown, Iowa.

Ted Bek and Joan Morgan were married on Sept. 4, 1955, in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Bek is a second year student.

Miss Barbara Lumbard and William McCulloch were married in St. John's Lutheran Church, Des Moines, Iowa on October 20.

Miss Ione Luken and Robert Perry were married August 14, in the Lutheran Church at Le Mars, Iowa.

Miss June Dial and Jim McCaulley were married June 11, in the parsonage of the Methodist minister in Lohrville, Iowa.

Miss Dorothy Graves and Richard Nelson were married June 19, at Calvary Baptist Church in Omaha, Nebraska.

Garret Zoet and Vivian Gritsch were married June 12, 1955 at Brooklyn, Iowa.

Miss Marylen Greene and Delmar Dierks were married September 10, in St. John's Methodist Church in Davenport, Iowa.
Joe Krichel and Isabelle Pezly were married Sept. 3, 1951 at Keokuk, Iowa.

Charles Glotfelty and Bonnie Ohart were married Aug. 2, 1955 at Denison, Iowa.

Russell VanMarel and Mary Jane Schalekamp were married Aug. 20, 1955 at Orange City, Iowa.

Richard Harker and Sharon Trummel were married Aug. 7, 1955 at Yorkville, Ill.

Robert Huspen and Janet Blanchard were married June 25, 1955 at New Orleans, La.

Bernard Maney and Alice Hardy were married Sept. 17, 1955 at Milwaukee, Wis.

Dale Longtin married Mary Agnes Kopf on June 20, in Leroy, North Dakota. Mr. Longtin is a second year student.

Mark Young was married to Claudia Layton on September 8, 1955, in Salt Lake City, Utah. Mr. Young is a second year student.

Births

A boy, Curtis Leo, was born June 5, 1955 to Mr. and Mrs. Leo N. Slife in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Slife is a fourth year student.

A boy, Terry Alan, was born Oct. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Goldsmith in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Goldsmith is a fourth year student.

A girl, Norma Lee, was born June 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Leland Heidorn in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Heidorn is a fourth year student.

A boy, James Duane, was born October 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Duane Diemer in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Diemer is a fourth year student.

A daughter, Debra Joy, was born June 12, 1955 to Joyce and Jim Holter, 997 Pammel Court.

A daughter, Cheryl Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy McGraw Oct. 21, 1955. Their address is 392 Pammel Court.

A boy, Nathan L., was born May 1, 1955 to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan L. Phipps in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Phipps is a fourth year student.

A girl, Leslie, was born September 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donavan in Ames, Iowa. Mr. Donavan is a fourth year student.

TWO AWARDED STUDY GRANTS

Gilbert Samuelson, V. M. 3, and Stanley Held, V. M. 3, are recipients of the 1955 Lederle Veterinary Medical Students Research Scholarships, Dr. March Welsh, Animal Industry Consultant for Lederle Laboratories Division, American Cyanamid Company, announced recently.

The scholarships, amounting to $1,000 for each accredited veterinary school in the United States and Canada, are designed to combat a shortage of well-trained research workers in the field of veterinary medicine. Selection of Samuelson and Held for the award was made by Dean I. A. Merchant, Division of Veterinary Medicine.

Both students will use the funds to continue research studies in veterinary medicine. Samuelson will study laboratory tests for the diagnosis of leptospirosis and Held will study the hemolytic streptococci of the dog.

“IT is hoped that the fund will be a means of encouraging senior veterinary students in the field of research, and stimulate more students to act as assistants to trained research workers,” Doctor Welsh emphasized. “This would greatly relieve the shortage of trained workers and more rapidly advance the science of veterinary medicine.”

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