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In this issue of the ISU Veterinarian we are reporting on the class of (‘69). If anyone was inadvertently left out please let us know and we will correct the error. If anyone has any information about special recognition to alumni please forward it to us.

Dr. Montgomery S. Strathe has been engaged in a mixed, primarily large animal practice, in Hudson, Iowa. He and his wife, Marlene, have a two year old son, Tyler. Dr. Strathe is a member of and has attended some of the recent meetings of the: AABP, IVMA, EIVMA. He participated in the University of Minn. Swine Conference and has served as an officer in many of the local organizations. His associates are Dr. James P. Grover (ISU ’64) and Dr. Phil Edler (ISU ’72).

Dr. Francis R. Pisarik was in a primarily dairy practice in Watertown, Wis. for two years, after graduation, and is now in a small animal practice with Dr. James Watts (MSU ’50) and Dr. James Noldstrom (UM ’63) in the Kenosha Animal Hosp. Kenosha, Wis. He and his wife, Teri, have one son, Jason, and are expecting another child in February. Dr. Pisarik is a member of the AVMA, Southeast Tri County VMA (also organized and is currently president) and Big Brothers of Kenosha.

Dr. John L. Peters is currently in a mixed practice in Mt. Ayr, Iowa with Dr. Max Mekus (ISU ’69) and Dr. Ken Hunt (ISU ’72). His wife, Dianna, and he have two children: Amy Ann, 5, and Richard John, 2. After graduation Dr. Peters served a three month large animal internship at ISU before going into Army Veterinary Corps for two years at Madison, Wis. and Cedar Rapids, la. After leaving the army he went to work for Dr. Mekus in Mt. Ayr. In ’72 he formed a partnership with Dr. Mekus and they built a new clinic in ’73. Dr. Peters is a member of the: AVMA, AABP, IVMA, SCIVMA, and the AASP. He is also Commander of American Legion Post 172 in Mt. Ayr and in the Kaaba Shrine Temple, an Associate member of Za-Ga-Zig, and a 32° Mason.

Dr. Wm. M. Swensen has been in mixed practice in Aberdeen, S.D., since graduation, and entered a partnership with Dr. Roger Cooper (ISU ’70) in ’71. He and his wife, Elizabeth, have two sons: Martin, age 17 and Matthew, age 13.

Dr. Ronald G. King has been in a mixed practice, primarily dairy, since graduation in Clinton, Wis. with Dr. James L. Welch (ISU ’41) and Dr. Glen Clefisch (OSU ’52). He is a member of the: AVMA, WVMA, AABP, Rock Valley VMA, Clinton First Baptist Church, and Kiwanis International. He has served on several committees in these organizations. Dr. King and his wife, Lila, a nurse, have two children: Jana age 7 and Reggie age 4.

Dr. James J. Tapper has a small animal practice in Newport Beach, Ca., where he has been since ’72. He was formerly associated with small animal practices in Omaha and North Bend, Oregon. He and his wife, Theresa have two daughters: Jamesina, 5, and Jessica, 3.

Dr. Thomas V. Johnson, Jr. has been in a small animal practice at the Animal Medical Center, Dr. Thomas V. Johnson, Jr. has been in a small animal practice in the northwestern suburbs of Chicago. Currently, he is with a group of six veterinarians, including Dr. Donald Host (ISU ’69), in a central hospital practice. Dr. Johnson’s present address is Olde Towne Animal Hospital, 109 South Roselle Road, Schaumburg, Illinois 60172, which is an outpatient clinic of the group.
practice. Dr. Robert L. Mahr (MSU '60) is the head of the operation which consists of a central hospital and three out-patient clinics. Their group is looking for more veterinarians interested in the central hospital concept of small animal practice. Dr. Johnson, wife Joanne, and daughters Dianna and Katherine, six and three years of age, reside at 1949 Holbrook Lane, Hoffman Estates, Illinois.

Dr. Cornelius M. Bleeker of Sioux Center, Iowa, and associates, Dr. M. H. Wallinga (ISU '42) and Dr. F. L. Sick (ISU '74) are engaged in a mixed, predominately large animal practice-feedlots and a 7500 head co-op confinement operation. Dr. Bleeker holds membership in the AVMA, IVMA, Northwest Iowa VMA, and the local Chamber of Commerce. He and his wife, Ardith, have four children: Gregory, 7; Laura, 5; Bryan, 2; and Lynn, 3 months.

Dr. W. J. Sturtz is involved in a mixed practice with Drs. D. P. Marek (ISU '45) and D. K. Bechtum (ISU '74) at Maquoketa, Iowa. Dr. Sturtz has held all offices of the Jackson County VMA during the past six years and is presently the secretary of District XV. He and his wife, Linda, have a daughter, Darci, 7; and a son, Tyler, 2.

Upon graduation Dr. Dwayne A. Beatty joined an exclusively small animal practice in South Miami, Florida, with Drs. L. T. Doty (Ohio '55) and W. E. Boyd (MSU '61). During the summer of 1975, he opened an independent small animal practice in Miami. Dr. Beatty and wife, Madeline, have three children: Todd, 6; Scott, 4; and Jennifer Lynn, 1. He is a member of the AVMA, Florida VMA, and is currently serving on the executive board of the South Florida VMA.

Dr. P. A. Porter is a small animal practitioner at Ajo Veterinary Clinic in Tuscon, Arizona. He is a member of AVMA, Arizona VMA, and an affiliate member of AAHA.

Dr. Cletus W. Mosbach is in a mixed practice of 75% large animal and 25% small animal work at the Tri-County Veterinary Clinic in Pella, Iowa. His associates are Drs. Kenneth Roberts (KSU '63) and Tim Lucas (ISU '70). He and his wife, Debi, were married in September 1975. Dr. Mosbach is a member of AVMA and IVMA. He is a local 4-H leader and has been actively involved in teaching two classes of 4-H Veterinary Science over the past two years to several groups of youngsters in the community. Dr. Mosbach also coaches a Little League baseball team and participates in city league softball himself.

Dr. Darrell D. Winterowd was involved in a small animal and equine practice in Pekin, Illinois, after graduation. In 1970, he was a small animal practitioner in Des Moines, Iowa. Since 1971, he has been engaged in a small animal practice at the Cedar Rapids Animal Hospital, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. His associate is Dr. Robert Glotfelty (ISU '54). Dr. Winterowd served as vice-president from 1974-1975 and is currently president of Linn County Veterinarians. He was trailmaster for the Cedar Rapids Horsemen's Club during 1974. From 1972-1975, he has been an explorer scout leader for boys and girls interested in veterinary medicine. Dr. Winterowd and his wife, Judy Ann (ISU '66), have a son, Gregory, 6; and a daughter, Jennifer, 3.

Dr. Gene L. Koski and his associate, Dr. M. Bernstein (Middlesex '44), are involved in an all small animal practice at Glencoe Animal Hospital, 600 Skokie Valley Road, Glencoe, Illinois 60022. Their hospital is a member and co-director in AAHA. Dr. Koski holds membership in AVMA and the AV Radiology Society. He is chairman of the First Decade Committee and a member of the Constitution and Bylaws Committee of the Illinois VMA. Further, Dr. Koski serves on the Board of Directors of the Chicago VMA, chairs its Public Relations Committee, and is a member of its Hospitality Committee, and Museum Exhibit Committee. He and wife, Wendy, have three daughters: 4-year-old Kimberli; and 8-month-old twins, Denise and Doreen. The family resides at 1206 Highland Drive, Prospect Heights, Illinois 60070.

Dr. Merril Reinhiller practiced for a short time in Littleton, Colorado. In 1969, he moved to Moorhead, Minnesota, and began working with Dr. M. C. Hawn (ISU '29). In 1972, Dr. Reinhiller purchased the practice and was joined in July 1974 by Dr. Clarence Samuel (Minn '74). The Veterinary Science Department of North Dakota State
University has granted Dr. Reinhiller an adjunct professorship. He is responsible for the supervision and evaluation of pre-veterinary students who work for the 95% small animal, 5% equine practice, and receive class credits. Dr. Reinhiller's interests include the AVMA, No. Dakota Vet. Assoc., Minnesota Veterinary Association, and racquetball. He and his wife, Noell, have two sons, Tom and Greg, ages 11 and 6, respectively.

**Dr. Roger C. Swanson** is practicing small (95%) and large (5%) animal medicine at the Peekskill, New York, Animal Hospital. Dr. and Carol Swanson (ISU '68) have two children, Loren, age 6, and Grant, age 5. The children attend Our Montessori School, where Dr. Swanson acts as the grade school wrestling coach. His other activities include the Van Cortlandt Jaycees (V.P. and Treasurer) and the N.Y. State Fair, '73, '74, and '75, Vet. Exhibit where he has performed ovariohysterectomies. Dr. Daniel Woolfes and Dr. Steven Kross, Cornell graduates, are associated with Dr. Swanson.

**Dr. V. Richard Moeller,** is currently involved with small animal responsibilities in a mixed practice in Waverly, Iowa. Until early 1975, he was associated with a mixed practice in Appleton, Wisconsin, where he was also involved primarily with small animal practice. Dr. and Linda Moeller have two sons, Andrew, age 4, and Paul, 1 year. His associates include Dr. A. L. Eliasen, (ISU '59) and G. E. Hurley, (KSU '58).

**Dr. K. R. Liska** is associated with a 3-man 95% large animal mixed practice in Wayne, Nebraska. He is active in the district veterinary association (Sec. and Pres.), Nebraska VMA, AVMA, and AABP. As a member of the local chamber of commerce, he initiated the annual Farmer's Appreciation Dinner, serves on the Vol. Fire Dept., and is a member of the Kiwanis, Masonic Lodge, and Elks. He also is an Elder in the Presbyterian Church. Dr. Liska and his wife, Jan, have three children, Jason, 6, Eric, 4, and Kimberly, 1. His associates are J. J. Liska (ISU '61) and Dr. D. A. Swerczek (KSU '69).

Following graduation, **Dr. J. T. Seeger** began his own large animal mobile practice in Turtle Lake, No. Dakota. In 1972, he built a large (75%) and small (25%) animal clinic. In June, 1969, Dr. Seeger married Kathleen A. Love; their son, Christopher Jon, is 3½ years old. Dr. Seeger is active in the NDVMA, AVMA, and AABP, and served as president of the Lion Club in 1974-75.

**Dr. Jerrold L. Swan** opened a 100% small animal practice in Charleston, West Virginia, in October, 1975. He had spent the previous six years in Southern California, but prefers his present location and its lifestyle. As a student intern at a practice in South Charleston, West Virginia, Dr. Swan met Penelope and was married in 1971. Penny is currently an elementary school teacher.

**Dr. Lawrence P. Tilley** is currently staff cardiologist at The Animal Medical Center, New York City, New York, where he is responsible for teaching and research in cardiovascular diseases. Since his graduation from Iowa State, Dr. Tilley has had training at the AMC, Cornell Medical Center—New York Hospital, Cardiology Section, N.Y., N.Y., and Dept. of Pharm., College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, N.Y., N.Y. In October, 1975, he was named Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine. He has given numerous presentations as part of seminar programs, professional association meetings, and autotutorial scripts. He has also authored a number of publications relating to the cardiovascular system. In addition, Dr. Tilley is involved with a variety of professional associations, including AVMA, AAHA, American and N.Y. Heart Assoc.’s., and Academy of Veterinary Cardiology.
Salsbury Foundation Establishes
$500,000 Challenge Fund At ISU

Ames, Iowa—A $500,000 challenge fund to encourage private contributions to help furnish and equip Iowa State University’s new veterinary medical facility has been established by the Dr. J. E. Salsbury Foundation of Charles City.

The challenge was announced here today at a meeting of Salsbury Foundation trustees and Iowa State University administrators.

The challenge fund is designed to attract $1 million in contributions to ISU’s Achievement Fund for furnishings and equipment which cannot be provided by state and federal funds. The fund will be used to match any contribution made in support of the new facility. A $500 contribution to the Achievement Fund, for instance, would be worth $1,000 to the University.

Located south of the Iowa State Center, the new facility for the College of Veterinary Medicine is nearing completion and is expected to be in full use next fall.

Iowa State University President W. Robert Parks expressed appreciation for the Salsbury Foundation contribution:

"The state of Iowa and the federal government have shared in constructing the veterinary medical complex at a cost of $25.7 million. Now, to provide more than the barest necessities for the new facility, the University must attract private contributions.

"The generous gift from the Salsbury Foundation greatly enhances the University’s capability to meet this task. Iowa State is grateful to the Foundation for this uncommon measure of support."

Dr. John G. Salsbury, a trustee of the Salsbury Foundation, said the challenge fund is targeted on Iowa State’s veterinary medical alumni and others interested in the College of Veterinary Medicine.

"The new facility of the College of Veterinary Medicine is one of the finest in the nation and deserves appropriate furnishings, art objects and certain items of equipment for which state and federal funds are not used,” he said.

"The $500,000 fund is intended to generate $1 million for that purpose. The trustees of the Foundation hope that Iowa State’s 2,750 veterinary medical alumni and other friends of the University will respond to the challenge."

Other trustees of the Foundation are Mrs. Frances Salsbury Zbornik and Dr. Douglas E. Salsbury, both of Charles City.

Dr. J. G. Salsbury received a bachelor of science degree in industrial science in 1938 and the doctor of veterinary medicine degree in 1940 from Iowa State. After graduation, he joined the Salsbury Laboratories, founded by his father, became president in 1960 and chairman in 1971. Mrs. Zbornik and Douglas Salsbury also attended Iowa State. Douglas Salsbury received the D.V.M. degree in 1967.

The Salsbury Foundation was established in 1950 by British-born Dr. J. E. Salsbury who came to Charles City in the early 1920s as a practicing veterinarian.

The firm which he founded manufactures animal health products and chemicals. Today the firm has three manufacturing plants in the United States and has facilities for production and distribution in several foreign countries.

The Salsbury Foundation and the Salsbury family have funded a variety of scholarships and research activities at Iowa State. The Foundation has supported research projects in several other major universities as well as being a patron of the arts.
Jan and Ron wish to thank the members of the ISU Veterinarian staff for their cooperation in striving to maintain and improve this publication. We wish the new editors Mary and Lynn and the new staff best wishes for the coming year.

Salsbury Laboratories President Elected To AHI Board of Directors

Phoenix, Arizona, May 5, 1975—Douglas E. Salsbury, DVM, President, Salsbury Laboratories, was elected to a one-year term on the Animal Health Institute's Board of Directors at the Institute’s 35th Annual Meeting. Dr. Salsbury received his DVM from ISU in '67 and then engaged in a large animal practice in Sidney, Montana. In '69 he joined the Research Division of Salsbury Labs as a Veterinary Staff member. In '70, he became General Manager of his grandfather's organization and was named President in '71. Dr. Salsbury has been active in Boy Scouts of America and maintains an interest in farming. The AHI is the national trade association representing manufactures of animal health and nutrition products, including pharmaceuticals, biologicals, and feed additives.