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years. In 1971, Dr. Taylor moved to Florida and established his present practice. Dr. Fred Nutter (Purdue) joined the practice in May, 1977. Some of Dr. Taylor's current and past activities include; Assistant Scoutmaster, Methodist Church Lay Leader, President of the Pinellas Co. VMA, AVMA, Pinellas Co. V.M.A. and Central Florida Academy.

Word has been received that three hospitals directed by ISU alumni have been accepted as Member Hospitals by the American Animal Hospital Association. Dr. James A. Heminover (ISU '73) heads the Kindness Animal Hospital in Des Moines, Iowa. The hospital was established in 1974. The director of the Dunham Animal Hospital in Seffner, Florida is Dr. Edward E. Dunham (ISU '63). The hospital was established in 1976. Gerald L. Walker, DVM (ISU '66) is a co-director of the Village Veterinary Hospital in Stockton, California. The hospital was established in 1976.

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Symposium 1978—Newer Ways To Do It In Texas

The 1978 Student AVMA National Education Symposium held at Texas A&M University March 10 and 11 was a large success. The Texas A&M Student Chapter should be congratulated on an excellent job.

Over 1100 students attended the two day symposium at College Station, Texas. This large response indicates a strong support of our student chapter programs on the national level. Hopefully this will continue to be the trend and help to increase our awareness of the veterinary medical profession beyond our own schools and local chapters.

The weather was very accommodating during the symposium, with three warm, sunny days. The new conference center located on the beautiful Texas A&M campus was especially well suited for the lecture program.

The speaker program was generally very good, featuring A&M instructors, local practitioners, and several speakers from outside the region. Topics presented were in the various areas of large and small animal medicine, exotics, and related fields of veterinary medicine including practice management and client relations, politics and the veterinarian, and an overview of the King Ranch of Texas by the resident veterinarian. The material was presented on a practical basis generally, and was designed to be entertaining as well as instructive for any student, whether freshman or senior.

Five wet labs were presented on a limited basis. These were fluoroscopy, bovine reproduction, xeroradiology, beef herd reproductive efficiency, and laparoscopy in the canine. Those students attending felt these were excellent learning experiences and well presented. Wet labs have become increasingly popular and are expected to be expanded to accommodate a larger number of students in the succeeding educational symposiums.

The entertainment provided by our Texas hosts was outstanding. The initial mixer held on Thursday evening was very well attended and served to acquaint the visiting students with Texas hospitality and with other students from the various schools represented. The Friday night dance and barbeque held at the Lakeview Club was excellent. The turnout was tremendous and everyone there enjoyed the food and entertainment. It was remarkable how quickly many of the veterinary students learned to kick-up their heels Texas style. The banquet concluded the symposium Saturday evening. Following a delicious meal, Dr. Stephen Seager, D.V.M., at Texas A&M, provided a very unique and entertaining presentation on increasing the reproductive capabilities of endangered and exotic species throughout the world.

The national student delegates met both days discussing many areas of interest to the student. The business of the SAVMA House of Delegates was as follows: The SAVMA Student Employment Committee was
abolished due to an overwhelming negative response from practitioners; national dues are in the process of being raised 50 cents per member per year to support the Native American Project on the Navajo Reservation in Arizona; a new Inter-Vet Chairman was elected, Dave Chubb of Kansas State; and reports by the Licensing Committee, Federal Legislation Committee, Public Relations Committee, and Symposium Guidelines

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James Douglas Wulf, 22 years old, from Arlington, Nebraska, died Monday, January 9, at Mary Greeley Hospital, Ames, following a three week illness.

Jim was born December 24, 1955, in Blair, Nebraska to Daryl and Joyce Wulf. His pre­vet training was completed at Nebraska Wesleyan College. Jim was a member of the sophomore class of 1980 in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University. He was a member of the Student Chapter of the A.V.M.A. and the Theta Chi fraternity. He was also involved with the Christian Veterinary Fellowship and other Christian groups associated with the Ames campus while attending school.

Jim was always a cheerful encouragement to all who knew him, and he will be dearly missed by students, faculty, and friends.

Survivors include his parents; one brother, Jay; one sister, Julie, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wulf, of Arlington, Nebraska, along with numerous other relatives and many friends from Wesleyan and Iowa State.

Funeral services were held Thursday, January 12, at the Arlington Community Church, with the Reverend Bryce Hecht attending. His body was laid to rest at the Arlington cemetery.

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Steve Amsberry is engaged to Kristi Rohlf.
Rick and Babetta Davids are the parents of twin baby boys, Nicholas Brandon and Matthew Carl, born 24 January 1978.
Kenton Kreager is engaged to Anne Cerling.

Junior Pharmaceutical Trip

Once again this year, the Junior Class of the College of Veterinary Medicine spent their quarter break on an educational and very enjoyable tour. The three pharmaceutical companies visited, Eli Lilly & Co., the Upjohn Co., and Parke-Davis & Co., were certainly gracious hosts. All the companies involved showed a great interest in us as future veterinarians.

A chartered bus left Ames at 4:30 a.m. on Sunday, February 25. Our first destination was Indianapolis and Eli Lilly & Co. After a very short 10 hour ride we arrived at the Marriott Inn for our 2 day stay. Mr. Phil Muller of Eli Lilly & Co. was our host for the visit. We enjoyed an excellent meal on Sunday evening and most of us turned in at a reasonable hour, something we were not to experience the rest of the week. Monday found us touring the Greenfield Research Station, east of Indianapolis. We enjoyed the tour that day and especially the informal
The panel's thoughts on the FDA caught everyone's attention as the afternoon came to a close. An enjoyable meal that night pleased everyone. The next morning we toured the manufacturing facilities in downtown Indianapolis. A well-paced tour there ended about noon. After lunch we packed and headed for our next stop. Before we departed we expressed sincere appreciation to Mr. Muller and Sam Fleming, our Iowa Elanco representative, who had been with us to that point.

We had a 5 hour trip to Kalamazoo, Michigan and the Upjohn Co. We were greeted by Mr. Hugh Smith at the Holiday Inn West. We were once again treated to an excellent meal and Mr. Smith passed out movie tickets for the evening entertainment. Almost everyone went to a movie that night and enjoyed their leisure time afterwards. There seemed to be a shortage of aspirin the next day but at least half of us made it to breakfast the next morning! We spent the morning at the Upjohn Research Farm and once again had an informal discussion as the morning ended. It was good to know that several of the panelists were ISU graduates.

The afternoon was spent touring the Upjohn manufacturing facility in Kalamazoo. The tour guides were pleasant and knowledgeable which made the afternoon go fast. While there, a group picture was taken and each student received a gift, courtesy of the Upjohn Co. The stage was set for an exciting evening.

A social hour preceded the fine meal at the Holiday Inn. Dinner remarks were candid and entertaining. Several of the personnel from Upjohn joined us for the poolside meal and conversation following. Although movie tickets were again available most of us chose dancing and beverages for the evening's entertainment. After a night like that no one knew what awaits us in downtown Detroit.

As we approached our destination the dull roar in the bus quickly subsided as our hotel was pointed out to all in our group. There it was, the Detroit Renaissance Center. A magnificent complex is nothing but an understatement. Someone sitting behind me stated it well when he said, "We're not staying here, really. Are we?"

Mr. Dallas Chapin of Parke-Davis & Co. was waiting for us as we unloaded. Everyone was none too quick to get to their rooms as the view inside was just as exciting as the one outside. The Detroit Plaza Hotel is 73 stories tall and is the tallest hotel in the world. All of us spent the remainder of the evening just taking in the $500 million worth of architecture.

Our stay in Detroit included such things as "Stuffed Breast of Chicken" for our first evening meal, tours of the research facility at Ann Arbor, Michigan and their manufacturing facility located in downtown Detroit on the beautiful Detroit River. Even though this was the third facility toured everyone came away with some new understanding of pharmaceutical manufacturing. After a long day of walking and riding we were ready for a big meal. The folks of Parke-Davis did nothing to disappoint us as prime rib was the selected dish for the evening. The "Troubadors" entertained us as we dined in fashion. As if this wasn't enough we were treated to a Detroit Pistons basketball game and eye catching gifts by Parke-Davis & Co.

Morning came suddenly for most of us but we expressed our appreciation to Mr. Chapin and Parke-Davis & Co. and boarded our bus for home at 9:30 a.m. We arrived in Ames at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 4. A very enjoyable trip indeed.

Our special thanks goes out to Dr. Brian Hill and his wife, Carroll, and Dr. Edwin Moss for being our faculty members. We would also like to thank Midwest Transportation Company for an enjoyable and safe bus trip. All of us that took the trip would like to encourage next year's class to take this opportunity to get to know your classmates better and to enjoy a week of long deserved rest and recreation.

Rick Sibbel,
Tour Coordinator

Iowa State University Veterinarian
The Junior Pharmaceutical Trip group at the Upjohn Co., Kalamazoo, Mich.

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