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# STUDENT NEWS

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A new member of the senior class is Jackson Ndeti from Machakos, Kenya. He is 32 years old and a graduate of Agra University in Agra, Uttar Pradesh, India, where he received a B.V.Sc. degree. He came to Iowa State a year ago, during which time he studied pathology, bacteriology, neuroanatomy, and poisonous plants.

Like most veterinary students, Jackson grew up on a farm. Sheep, cattle, and goats were raised by his family. While Jackson's nine brothers and sisters chose such careers as aviation, teaching, and teleprinting, he chose veterinary medicine. In high school, Jackson took enough pre-vet courses to make it possible for him to enter a veterinary college after just one year of formal pre-vet training which was directed by Bengal University in India.

After graduation in 1957, Jackson returned to Kenya where he worked on such projects as control of disease epidemics, expansion of artificial insemination schemes and veterinary extension work. Jackson married in 1958. The family now includes two girls, one four years old, the other three.

When asked by the Veterinarian about future plans, Jackson said that he will return to Kenya where he is still affiliated with the Kenya Department of Veterinary Services. He has three areas of work open to him: instructing, research, and general field disease control.

Jackson believes that the further training he will receive here will greatly increase his ability to practice veterinary medicine. "I'm looking forward to learning a lot here at Iowa State" he said, "and the clinical techniques I learn here will be especially helpful."

Roger Kuffel, 1963 recipient of the American Breeder's Service Award at Iowa State, was one of eight veterinary students in the U.S. to receive 12 days training at the American Breeder's Service technicians school at Belvedere, Illinois, from June 16 to June 28. Jack Watts, school director, served as advisor to the veterinary students. Daily schedules consisted of lectures each morning by specialists in obstetrics, sales promotion, genetics, herd management, and evaluation of breeding animals. Afternoons were spent in palpation of demonstrator cows. Each evening the veterinary students and Drs. David Bartlett and Lester Larson, veterinarians employed by ABS, gathered in an informal discussion group. During these discussions the current trends of thought in fertility problems, herd management, and upgrading of herd quality were discussed. Readers will recall that Dr. Larson developed the Minnesota Method of the pudendal nerve block.

The group traveled to Madison, Wis., to visit the ABS bull stud and to examine the methods of semen collection. The veterinary students also visited the Curtiss bull stud and a nearby Charloais herd. The Northern Illinois Breeders Company was also visited.

Mr. Kuffel thought the scholarship was very beneficial, and that the many side benefits such as exchanging ideas with the other veterinary students made it well worth his time. Iowa State veterinary students should consider this scholarship as an opportunity to gain a better understanding of this aspect of the livestock industry.



## Veterinary Medicine Chorus

At the beginning of fall quarter, Dr. Richard Bristol of the clinic staff organized a mens choral group within the veterinary college. Forty students and two faculty members indicated an interest and attended the first session in McKay Hall. Wayne Fawver will act as director, Bernard Hecht will be the accompanist, and Ron Hullinger will be the group librarian. The group began meeting bi-weekly with the sessions lasting 45 minutes. When interviewed, Dr. Bristol said the group is presently practicing selections such as *Cool Water* and *Moon River*, and numbers from such productions as *Sound of Music* and *South Pacific*. Dr. Bristol further stated that the group will continue along the light vein, at least until near Christmas, when music of that season will be practiced. The group plans to perform at AVMA functions and the IVMA annual meeting in Des Moines in January.

The purpose of the group is to give all members of the veterinary college an opportunity to relax together in a non-academic atmosphere. Dr. Bristol also feels that a group such as this will develop even more esprit de corps within the veterinary college.

## Seniors Honored at Upjohn Banquet

The Upjohn Awards were presented to two members of the senior class at the Fourth Annual Lecture Symposium and Senior-Faculty Dinner sponsored by the Veterinary Division of the Upjohn Company on October 30, 1963. James Grover received the Large Animal Award and Richard Jensen received the Small Animal Award. These awards were based on proficiency in the respective large and small animal clinics.

The lecture was held at 4:10 p.m. at the Veterinary Medical Auditorium. Dr. Jack Dale spoke about the "The Requirements for an Effective Veterinary Pharmaceutical." The Senior-Faculty Dinner was held at the Student Union at 6:30 p.m. and the awards were made at the short program that followed.

## Class of '64

Charles Aafedt married Shirley Bartholomew on August 17, at Fordville, North Dakota.

Jon Campbell exchanged marriage vows with Shirley Curtis on August 24, at Washington, Iowa.

Robert Christensen married Linda Thorp at Iowa Falls, Iowa on June 1.

Andy Straley and Ailsie Rogan were married on July 20, 1963, at Rogersville, Tennessee.

Leland Velicer and Janet Schafbuch exchanged marriage vows at Van Horne, Iowa on August 17, 1963.

A baby boy, Kurt Allan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson on October 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Means are the parents of a baby girl, Deanna Kay, who was born July 16.

A girl, Leslie Linn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLain on June 15, 1963.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeptha Randolph are the parents of a daughter, Madonna Rene'e, born on May 17, 1963.

A daughter, Catherine Terese, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Larsen on July 16, 1963.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Zierke are the parents of a baby boy, Eric Carl, born on August 16, 1963.

## Class of '65

Jerry Thompson married Julie Anderson on May 25, at Sutherland, Nebraska.

Don Westercamp married Linda Harris at Lynnville, Ia. on May 28.

Donn Simonson married Julia Menough on August 24 at Glangier, Ia. At Manilla, Ia. on June 2, Marlin Frank married Judith Carstens.

Jim Henderson married Marge Hirman at Rochester, Minnesota on June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Havick became parents of a girl, Kaylee Sue, on July 10.

At Forest City on August 25, Carroll Gustafson married Karen Bartleson.

## Class of '66

A daughter, Kristi Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernarl Kreitag on September 12.

William Wilson married Patricia Ann Wedemeir on August 31 at Kansas City.

A son, David Kent, was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Wynia on October 2.

## Fall Banquet

The annual Fall Banquet of the Student Chapter of the AVMA was held on September 25, 1963, in the Sun Room of the Memorial Union. The invocation was given by Dr. T. C. Clark. Master of ceremonies, James P. Grover, introduced the guest speaker, Dr. G. C. Christensen, Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine, ISU. About 300 guests heard Dr. Christensen give a very inspirational talk on "*Measures of Excellence.*" After Dr. Christensen's speech, Dr. M. A. Emmerson made the presentation of the \$300 Barclen Scholarship Award. This year's recipient was Leland F. Velicer. The award is given annually to the student who attains the highest scholastic standing at the end of his junior year in the College of Veterinary Medicine.

Vocal and musical entertainment was provided by Ruth Buttermore and the Inn Keepers.

Co-chairmen James Grover and Keith Ralston wish to thank everyone for their co-operation and assistance in helping to make the banquet so successful.

# Freshman Class Has 72 Members

## From Ten States

The 1964 freshman class of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University is composed of seventy-two members. There are forty-nine Iowa residents and twenty-three non-residents. Seven are from Illinois, five from Wisconsin, four from South Dakota, two from Nebraska and one each from Alabama, Arkansas, Minnesota, Ohio and Pennsylvania. Eight members of the class are married; the remainder are single. Eight are service veterans. The amount of preparation by the class for Veterinary College is as follows: forty-five with two years of college work, twenty-two with three years, three with four years, and two have had five years of college work. Three of the class have B. S. degrees. The average age of the class is twenty-one years.

Baker, George G., Anniston, Alabama  
Bell, Gary L., Muscatine, Iowa  
Bishop, Robert L., Manchester, Iowa  
Blessing, Ronald M., Dallas, South Dakota  
Bloomquist, Kristiana L., Ames, Iowa  
Bolton, Gary R., Racine, Wisconsin  
Bowden, Donald R., Winthrop, Iowa  
Boysen, Byron G., Harlan, Iowa  
Burrichter, David P., Lost Nation, Iowa  
Cadman, Berwyn J., Madison, Wisconsin  
Callahan, William V., Carlisle, Iowa  
Christenson, David O., Kingsley, Iowa  
Creber, Walter H. III, Glen Ellyn, Illinois  
Cross, William G., Mondamin, Iowa  
DeBaecke, Peter J., Philadelphia, Penn.  
DeMeyer, Thomas A., Grayslake, Illinois  
Denhart, Joseph W., Mt. Ayr, Iowa  
Ducommun, Louis D., Cleghorn, Iowa  
Devall, Dwayne E., O'Neil, Nebraska  
Fessler, Ronald L., Des Moines, Iowa  
Flander, Geraldine B., Hartland, Wisconsin  
Gienapp, Gary R., Chester, South Dakota  
Griebel, Darry D., Moscow, Iowa  
Harms, Dean M., Alden, Iowa  
Harris, Delbert L., Boone, Iowa  
Harris, Kenneth S., South English, Iowa

Harrison, Gregory J., Eldora, Iowa  
Hoefling, Douglas C., Odebolt, Iowa  
Hormann, Daryl C., Gilman, Iowa  
Howe, Charles G., Belvidere, Illinois  
Hunziker, Jon A., Sac City, Iowa  
Jackson, Jerome A., Burlington, Iowa  
Jenkins, John W., Livingston, Wisconsin  
Jobe, Jerry D., Tingley, Iowa  
Kislingbury, Terry B., Paulina, Iowa  
Kutish, Gerald F., Ames, Iowa  
Lage, Arthur L., Montgomery, Illinois  
Larson, Roger A., Armstrong, Iowa  
Lord, Frederick G., Bondurant, Iowa  
McCabe, Gary B., Cresco, Iowa  
McCormick, Larry F., Mt. Pleasant, Iowa  
McKee, John B., Sheffield, Illinois  
Maas, Loren C., South Amana, Iowa  
Maiers, Jerome D., Dubuque, Iowa  
Meade, David L., Oxford, Iowa  
Mertens, Randall H., Des Moines, Iowa  
Metz, Allen G., Columbus, Ohio  
Myrtue, Donald R., Smithland, Iowa  
Newton, Robert D., Winterset, Iowa  
Ohlman, William O., Keaney, Nebraska  
Pankratz, Duane C., Freman, S. D.  
Parrott, John C. III, Audubon, Iowa  
Patton, Kenneth A., Charles City, Iowa  
Petkus, Gregory A., Aurora, Illinois  
Piepgras, Richard P., Minneapolis, Minn.  
Risius, Gary P., Buffalo Center, Iowa  
Roningen, Bruce J., Sioux Falls, S. D.  
Ruehle, Charles J., Vinton, Iowa  
Runyon, Gary D., Lehigh, Iowa  
Salsbury, Douglas E., Charles City, Iowa  
Schrock, John E., Lockport, Illinois  
Sharp, James L., Newton, Iowa  
Smith, Walter B., Berryville, Arkansas  
Thompson, Richard A., Ottosen, Iowa  
Thomson, John U., Clearfield, Iowa  
Thoreson, Joseph D., Postville, Iowa  
Vogel, Leonard R., Coin, Iowa  
Warden, Lyle L., Yorkstown, Iowa  
Weber, Keith E., Cumberland, Iowa  
Welande, Robert E., Pomeroy, Iowa  
Wessels, Gerald R., Onslow, Iowa  
Wilson, James F. III, Waupun, Wisconsin  
Woody, Raymond P., Reasnor, Iowa