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Class of 1932

Elwyn W. Coon: just celebrated his 80th birthday. He and his wife Leona (ISU '32) have a son Richard, a veterinarian, and a daughter Carol, a registered nurse. Dr. Coon practiced with his son until 1970 and still does some of the bookkeeping for the clinic. In January 1987, Richard will be installed as President of the Oregon Veterinary Medical Association, an organization the elder Dr. Coon helped to establish and for which he served as president 50 years ago. Richard's wife Arlene is serving as President of OVMA Auxiliary this year.

Class of 1956

Keith A. Bates: is active in a small animal practice in Danville, IL. He is a member of AVMA, Illinois AVMA, AAHA, past president of Jaycees, Eastern Ill. VMA, Danville South Rotary Club. He and his wife, Nancy, have two children, Brian (28) and Becky (25).

Paul J. Bohn: is active in clinical research and a solo small animal practice in Columbus, IN. He is a Rotarian and holds membership on the Health Board, high school advisory committee and local, state and national AVMA and AAHA. He and his wife, Jeanne, have a son, Garry (29), who teaches English in S. Korea. Their daughter, Kelly (26), lives in Denver, Co.

Robert W. Carithers: is a professor at the ISU teaching hospital. He practiced in Union, IA for eight years, received an MS in vet. anatomy from U. of MO. in 1968, PhD in BME-VCS at ISU in 1972, ACVIM, specialty, Neurology. Dr. Carithers was awarded the AMACO Teacher of the Year

award in 1981. He and his wife, Jeanine have three sons, Jeffrey (31), Brian (29) and Doug (28).

Dennis J. Carr: is active in a large animal practice in Montfort, WI with associates Dr. Robert Klint (ISU '59) and Dr. John Jenkins (ISU '67). Dr. Carr has served on the WVMA Examining Board ('65 - '70) and as its president ('72). He was a member of the AVMA Executive Board ('74 - '81), serving as Chairman in 1980. He received the Meritorious Service Award from WVMA in 1979, and the ISU Stange Award in 1983. Dr. Carr and his wife, Marilyn Fischer (Home Ec. ISU '55) have five children: Mary (27) (ISU '81), is a TV anchor; Kevin (26) (Wi. '86) is interning in Madison; Connie (25) (ISU '84) lives in Arizona. Kelly (25) (UW-Eau Claire) works at Lands End, and Mark (18) is an ISU freshman.

Eric G. Chalgren: is retired after twenty-four years in a mixed practice. He is owner/operator of Best Western Motel, restaurant and lounge in Macon, MO. He and his wife, Carol, have five children: Vicki, Eric, Cathy, Carla and Kelly.

Richard E. Cooper: is active in a private large animal practice in Centerville, IA. He is a member of IVMA, AVMA, Masonic Lodge and Elks. He and his wife, Sharon (H. Ec. Ed. ISU '58) have a son, Scott (24) (ISU '85) and a daughter, Shari (17).

John H. Crow: is active in a mixed practice with Lucy Frira (MN. '86). Dr. Crow served with the US Army Vet Corps '57 - '59. He was active in a practice in Iowa City until moving to Cloquet, MN in 1974. His wife, Janet, is a community college instructor. They have three children: Scott (24) in Med. school at U of M, Sarah (23) in vet school at U of M and Sue (21) at Bethel College.

Duane F. Diemer: is active in a mixed practice with Drs. Jerry DeWaard (ISU '72) and son Jim (ISU '82) in Britt, IA. Dr. Diemer is a member of the school board, city council and Rotary. He and his wife, Beverly, have three children: Marsha (32), Jim (30) and Curt (24).

Delmar Diercks: is active in a solo mixed practice in Rockwell, IA. He is active in Christian work, in healing ministry and is a certified lay speaker. He is a member of the Lions, AAU basketball hall of fame '86. He and his wife, Marylin, (ISU '54) have five children: David (30), Kathi (28), Dan (26), Doug (22), and Kristin (18).

Joseph E. Donovan: is retired from small animal practice. He is currently serving as executive officer of Veterinary Shi Association, is active in Society of Aquatic Veterinary Medicine, and veterinary outdoor sports and seminar organizations. Dr. Donovan operates Professional Quest, Inc., a company that conducts seminars for Professionals in various outdoor environments. During the past year, he served as Trail Veterinarian for the Iditarod Dog Sled race across Alaska. Dr. Donovan states that "Sled dog medicine at -50° is truly an adventure!" He and his wife, Janet, have five children and three grandchildren.

Earle M. Douglas: is active in a large animal practice with associates, Dr. Wallace Vermeer (ISU '56) and Dr. Mark Nichols (ISU '86) in Orange City. He has served on the IVMA board, school board, Lions club and church board. He and his wife, Alice, have five children: Sara, a dental hygienist, Dan, a dentist, Amy, a teacher, and Mark and John, both college students. Dr. and Mrs. Douglas have one grandchild.

Robert L. Everson: plans to retire from his mixed practice in Morrison, IL next year. He is a member of the Northern Il. Vet. Assoc. Il. Vet. Assoc., AVMA. He and his wife, Ann, have one daughter, Cheryl.

Thomas E. Florine: retired from the US Army in 1978 after twenty-one years of service. He and his wife, Maryann, have four children: Keith (25), Roberta (24), Hans (22), and Neal (20).

Ronald L. Goldsmith: is active in a large animal practice in Oskaloosa with associates Dr. D. L. Cochran (ISU '56), M. D. Roepke (ISU '65) and T. J. Donohue (ISU '81). Dr. Goldsmith has been a member of the IVMA, a director of Iowa Trust and Savings Bank, and a member of various local boards. He has four children: Terry (31), Scott (29), Douglas (27), and Michael (25).

Paul D. Hohman: is active in a mixed practice in Canton, S. D. with his associate, Dr. Ron Ellis (MN '58). He and his wife have five children: Eric is a banker, Amy and Ellen are teachers; Curt and Anne are both college students.

Edward A. Jones: is active in a small animal practice in Florida. He has participated in numerous civic and professional organizations and is active in Masonic orders. He received the Vetec Hospital of

the Year award in 1969 and was a faculty member at the ISU College of Vet. Med. in 1969-70. He and his wife, Carol, are the parents of nine children: Stephen (deceased), Cynthia (31), Melinda (30), Jeffrey (28), Jeffrie Richardson (28), Jennie Richardson (23), Stephanie (14), Jennifer (12), and Edward (10).

Rex H. Jones: practiced veterinary medicine in Western Iowa for twenty years and spent eight years doing research and development for Syntex in Des Moines, and is currently technical director of R & D for Intervet America. He and his wife, Marilyn have three children: Rex L., a graduate student, Lyn, a teacher and mother of two, and Kris, a CPA.

Alan N. Knudsen: is active in a mixed practice with five Minnesota grads. He and his wife, Marcia, have three children: Lori Myers (30), Scott, (28), and Johanna Berge (26).

Donald E. Lyon: was active in a rural Lime Springs, IA practice for twenty-five years. He now works for the USDA, Meat & Poultry Inspection. His outside interests are centered on music and stage activities. He and his wife, Jeannie, have three children, all in college, David (24), Bruce (23), and Carolyn (19).

James C. McCaulley: is active in a mixed practice with associate Dr. Bill Thomsen (ISU '62). He has been a volunteer fireman for thirty years. He and his wife, June, have three sons and a daughter.

William V. McElroy: is active in a large animal practice with Drs. C. C. Clark (CO '42), James Slauter (ISU '71), and Tom Pease (ISU '77). He has been a member of Lions Club, school board, AEA Board, C. of C. Development Comm., IVMA, Exec. Brd. Bovine Practice Committee, Bovine Pract. Award 1983, AVMA Council on Vet. Services 1986-92. He and his wife, Doris, have three children: Jeff (29), a graduate of Graceland College and father of their two grandchildren, Dennis (27) (ISU '82) and Steve (25) (ISU '85).

John D. McEnaney: is active in a solo small animal practice in Mountain View, CA. He states that he was an "obligate volunteer, US Army Vet Corps '56 - '58" and that a "cold winter and the Hawkeyes' trip to the Rose Bowl Jan. 1, 1959 led me to California." He worked for the state and in a six-man practice until he opened his own corporate practice in 1965. He is active in the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary and various professional associations.

Truman K. Mostrum: has been in a mixed practice in Manly, IA since graduation. He is a member of IVMA, AVMA, and American Assoc. of Equine Practitioners. He and his wife, Miriam, have

two daughters. Ann (33) is a graduate of ISU and the mother of their two granddaughters. Michelle (31) received a DVM from ISU and is a PhD candidate in Vet. Toxicology.

John B. Mulder: is Director, University Animal Resources for the four-campus system of the U. of Kansas and a Professor of Pharmacology and Toxicology. He has an M.S., Lab Animal Medicine and M. Ed., Higher and Adult Education and is a diplomate, American College of Lab Animal Medicine.

Richard L. Nelson: is active in a mostly-small-animal practice in Council Bluffs, IA. He and his wife, Dorothy, are the parents of four children: Eric (28), Grant (27), Janis (25), and Steven (21).

Phillip T. Pearson: is Dean, College of Veterinary Medicine, ISU. Dean Pearson served an internship at Angell Memorial Hospital, Boston, received a PhD from ISU in 1962, and is a Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Surgeons. He taught Vet. surgery at U. of MO. and ISU, served as President, Council of Deans of the Assoc. of American V. M. Colleges, President of the American College of Vet. Surgeons and Chairman of the Board of Regents of the American College of Vet. Surgeons. Awards received include: Norden Distinguished Teacher Award, Gaines Award and Medal, Outstanding Teacher Award (ISU), Faculty Citation. Outside interests include serving as President, Bethesda Lutheran Church, President, Ames Kiwanis Club, and Scoutmaster of Troop 140. He also enjoys competitive running, sailing, cross country skiing and camping. Dean Pearson and his wife, Mary Jane (ISU '54) have four children: Jane (28) (ISU '80), a teacher and mother of their two grandsons, Brian (25), a senior in U of IA Medical School, and Todd (21) and Julie (18), both students at U of IA.

Robert L. Perry: is the owner of Loveland Animal Hospital, Omaha. He is a Past District Governor, Rotary International, and served on the Board of Directors, Meyer Children's Rehabilitation Institute of the U of NE Med. Center. He and his wife, Ione (ISU '55) have four sons: Dave (29), Brett (27), Scott (25), and Troy (24).

Thomas G. Schalk: is Vice President and General Manager, Worldwide Animal Health, The Upjohn Company, Kalamazoo, MI. He and his wife, Frederica have three children: Sally (28), Chris (26), and Brad (22).

Leonard F. Seda: is active in a predominately food animal practice in Victor, IA with Drs. L. C. Wilgenbusch (ISU '72) and David A. Schlapkohl (ISU '86). He has served as Eastern Iowa Clinic Chair, 1964, Pres., Eastern Ia. Vet. Med. Assn. 1973, Pres, Iowa Vet. Med. Assn. 1981, Alt.

Delegate AVMA (Iowa Rep), and was named Iowa Veterinarian of the Year in 1985. He also finds time to serve as chair, Victor Development Corp. and as a church choir director. He and his wife, Collette are the parents of three ISU grads: Cal (27), Lene (24) and Chris (22).

Charles M. Sheldon: is active in a feedlot practice with associates, Drs. J. J. Shelton (ISU '61), Bob Slack (ISU '61) and Jerry Biwers (KSU '84) in Tempe, Arizona. He and his wife, Lynn (ISU '56) have two sons, Douglas and Todd and two daughters, Pam and Sue.

Russell P. Simonsen: is active in large animal practice with associates Drs. John Johnson (ISU '78) and Jim Blecker (ISU '81). He is involved with the city council, church council, and IVMA Executive Board. Dr. Simonsen and his wife, Eleanor, have four children: Susan (25), Linda (24), Debra (20) and Richard (17).

Lester G. Slayton, Jr.: is retired from clinical practice and is now in USDA meat inspection. He is a member of AVMA, MVMA, the Masonic Lodge, Colorado Eagles, American Legion and Faith Methodist Church. He gives talks and demonstrations to consumer groups. Dr. Slayton's hobbies include fishing, woodworking, silver smithing, bowling and watching the Bronco's football games. He and his wife, Mary, are the parents of three daughters: Karla (42), Kay (39), and Karma (32) and have two grandchildren.

Leo N. Slife: spent two years in the Army Vet. Corps, three years in a mixed practice in MO, two years earning a Masters in Pathology at ISU, six years as a Pathologist for the II. Dept. of Ag. and is now a Pathologist for the II. Dept. of Ag. Diagnostic Lab. He and his wife, Fay, have six children: Brent (33) a professor at Baylor, Curtis (31) an architect, David (29) an Army doctor, Julie (27) a salesperson, Russell (25) a senior at ISU, and Amy (19) a freshman at Baylor.

Ralph W. Smith: has practiced veterinary medicine in a small animal practice in Geneva, WI since shortly after graduation. He and his wife, Jenny, have four children: Kathy (29), Mark (27), Pam (24), and Mike (18).

Willard L. Vanderlinden: retired to farming in South Central, IA in 1972. He and his wife, Marilyn, have five children: Scott, Steven, Kirk, Karen, and Stacy.

Martin Van Der Maaten: received a PhD in Veterinary Microbiology (ISU '64) and has been conducting research on viral diseases of cattle at the National Animal Disease Center since 1967. He and his wife, Muriel have two daughters, Mary (29) and Patricia (26).

Wallace L. Vermeer: is active in a mixed practice in Orange City, IA with associates, Drs. E. Douglas (ISU '56) and M. Nichols (ISU '86). He is involved in church board activities, is a Sunday school teacher and a Lions Club officer. Dr. Vermeer and his wife, JoAnne, have five children: Gregory (32), Brent (28), Barry (27), Dan (20) and Julie (12).

Donald D. Wert: died of a cardiac arrest on Jan. 5, 1986. He is survived by his wife, Donna, and children: Beth, Thomas, and Jody and one grandchild.

Thomas F. Wetzell: is active in a mixed, eight-doctor practice in Wells, MN. He has been active in MVMA, AVMA, AASP, AABP, ISU VMA, a member of MN. Academy of Vet. Med. Practice and has served as President, Wells Lions Club, Chairman, Wells Hospital. He and his wife, Jean, have three children: Thomas (34) (DVM MN '77), Stephan (30) and Tricia (16). They have three grandchildren.

Gene M. Zinn: was in private practice in MO ('56 - '65), received a PhD (U MO '70) and is presently engaged in extension and research for U of IL at the Dixon Springs Agricultural Center, Simpson, IL. He and his wife, Muriel, have four children: Karl (28), Kurt (27), Sandra (26) and Eric (20).

Class of 1966

Donell Ahrens: is employed by the State Department of Agriculture. He is a District Veterinarian in Iowa. He and his wife, Patricia, have two children: Pamela (23 - ISU '85), and Mark (20 - ISU student). Dr. Ahrens is a member of several organizations, including Upper Iowa VMA, IVMA, AVMA, Kiwanis, YMCA, and his church. He has served on the boards of the latter three organizations.

John Amdor: joined the USDA in 1984 after eighteen years of large animal practice. His work is in the field of Food Safety and Inspection. He and his wife, Joyce (IWCC '86), have three children: John (20 - IWCC '86), Julie (19 - married - one child), and Jason (13). Dr. Amdor is currently president of Southwest Iowa VMA. His hobby is amateur radios, and he is a volunteer license examiner in amateur radio. He is active in emergen-

cy communications with Cass County Civil Defense. He is also a volunteer fireman/EMT and past president of Massena Lions Club.

Loren Appel: is the director and a clinician at the Oregon State University Teaching Hospital. He and his wife, Dr. Susann Klessers, have four children: Nelson (17), Jaime (15), Eric (13), and Ryan (16 mo). Dr. Appell was in private practice in Bellevue and Lynden, Washington. In '74 he earned an MS at the U of MN. From '77-'81 he worked at ISU's teaching hospital. He has spent the last five years at Oregon State University.

R.A. Beecher: is currently resident veterinarian and manager of Cooley Farms — a 2,000-sow farrow-to-finish operation. He and his wife, Etta Marie, have two children: Lara (19 - ISU Freshman) and Russell (17 - high school junior). Dr. Beecher has been a member of his city council for 18 years. He was the chairman of the Dubuque Co. Board of Health for ten years. He has also been the chairman of the International Arabian Horse Association Endurance Ride Committee for 8 years. In August, '86, Dr. Beecher judged the world championship endurance ride.

Henry Bonnes: practices large animal medicine and is a member of his city council and school board. He and his wife, Linda, have five children: Todd (21), Tami (19), Tara (16), Tasha (11), and Tiane (5). They also have a grandson, Todd Jr. (4 mo.).

Mervyn H. Dachler: practices small animal medicine at Beech Park Animal Hospital with associates Dr. J. Kraczynski (Minn '67) and Dr. Jonita Woodbridge (ISU '80). He and his wife, Rebecca, have three children: Jennifer (17), Christina (15), and Deborah (13). Dr. Dachler was the secretary of the Chicago VMA from '82-'85, and he was the president of that organization in '85. From '83-'86 he was on the Board of Directors of the Illinois Prairie Girl Scout Council. From '80-'82 Dr. Daehler was the vice president of St. Pauls Lutheran Church.

Donald D. Draper: is a professor of Anatomy at ISU and assistant director of the Veterinary Medicine Endowment Fund. He and his wife, Dianne (Associate Professor and acting chair of the Department of Child Development — ISU) have a daughter, Kirsten (16). Dr. Draper earned an MS and Ph.D. from the University of Missouri. He has been on the faculty at ISU since 1971, where he teaches gross anatomy, neuroanatomy, animal behavior, and ethics. Dr. Draper has been involved in research in the porcine stress syndrome and leg weakness in swine. His honors include Norden Distinguished Teacher '80 and Amoco Outstanding Teacher '81. Some of the associations of which he is a member

are IVMA, AVMA, and AVA. Dr. Draper is the past Chairman of the Story County Extension Council and has participated in 4-H activities. He is a member of the Iowa and National Duroc Breeders Associations.

Edward W. Dykstra: is active in small animal medicine with his wife, Dr. Gail Blaser Dykstra (ISU '70) and with Dr. Susan Davis (U of CA '85). He has two sons: Christopher (9) and Andres (6). He is a member of AVMA, AAHA, SCVMA (Ethics Committee), and CVMA. Dr. Dykstra is active in the YMCA, AYSO (youth soccer), and his church.

Norb Epping: practices small animal medicine with associate Dr. Nancy Hansen (U of MN '85). He and his wife, Anitka, have a son, Jay (11). Dr. Epping is active in his local and state veterinary associations and is a football coach in the Coon Rapids Jr. Athletic Association. He is also regional director for Nature's Choice Pet Foods.

Robert E. Froehlich: is active in a small animal practice. He and his wife, Virginia, have three children: Karen (17), Andrew (14), and William (9). Dr. Froehlich has held offices in several levels of VMA's. He is currently a candidate for a Masters of Business Administration degree at The Keller Graduate School in Chicago. He is also an officer of the American Cancer Society and has been the fund raising Chairman for three years.

Bernard J. Gavin: practices large animal medicine in Wellsburg, IA. He and his wife, Pamela, have three children: Tamara (21), Scott (18), and Todd (16). Dr. Gavin has been active in the Eastern Iowa VMA as president, Spring Clinic Chairman, and executive board member. He has also worked on the Sports and Field Day Committee for IVMA.

William L. Hilleman: presently works at the Shireman Clinic, a mixed animal practice, with associates Dr. F.J. Bradford, (CSU '48), Dr. J. J. Bradford (ISU '74), and Dr. P. A. Bradford (MO '82). He and his wife, Judy, have seven children: Patrick (17), Jill (17), Susie (16), Steven (13), Marianne (11), Theresa (9), and Deanna (4). Dr. Hilleman spent two years with the U.S. Army Veterinary Corps. He is currently a member of AVMA, AABP, Wisconsin VMA (president elect), and Southwest Wisconsin VMA.

Myron Hinrichs: practices equine medicine at a clinic 30 miles north of San Francisco. He also teaches Junior College and is a 4-H leader. He has a daughter named Anna (8).

William D. Hoefle: is a professor of small animal surgery at ISU. He and his wife, Judith, have two children: Bill (16) and Paige (14). Dr. Hoefle is a member of several organizations, including AVMA, AAHA, IVMA, and VOS (past president). He is

a diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Surgeons. Dr. Hoefle earned an MS in 1974 in Veterinary Clinical Sciences. He is presently the president of the ISU Veterinary Medical Alumni Association.

Norman E. Hutton: is an Associate Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Oregon State University. He served as an Assistant Dean at ISU until '77, when he left for Oregon State to help develop a new veterinary educational program. Dr. Hutton and his wife, Shirley, have two sons: Dennis (Anesthetist) and Gordon (Construction).

Donald R. Jacobi: is active in a mixed animal practice with associates Dr. Bruce R. Havick (ISU '65) and Dr. Ray E. Pleak (ISU '70). He and his wife, Mayme (R.N.) have four children: David (28 - Computers - 2 children), Susan (26 - M.D.), Kathy (24 - Teacher), and Dan (19 - student). Dr. Jacobi has held offices in several organizations, including SWIVMA (former board member, past president) and IVMA (present Executive Board Member). He is a past president of St. Michael's School Board, a member of the Harlan Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, president of the Shelby Co. Area Economic Development Council, and is a permanent deacon of the Des Moines Diocese Catholic Church.

George Jorgensen: practices small (85%) and large (15%) animal medicine with associates Dr. Wayne Endres (ISU '66) and Dr. Todd Ostrander (MN '81) in Cedar Falls, IA. Dr. Jorgensen and his wife, Judith, have four children: Beth Ann (19), John (17), Carrie (15), and Jens (13). He is a member of IVMA, Cedar Valley VA, Blackhawk County Health Board, Lions, Cedar Falls Chamber Board, and Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Larry D. Mahr: is active in a mixed practice in Oregon, WI, with associates Dr. James B. Orvick (ISU '72) and Dr. Paul W. Snyder (ISU '85). He and his wife, Donna, have four children: Natalie (19), Nathan (19), Laura (18) and Matthew (14). Dr. Mahr is the president-elect of the WVMA, and he is a past president of the Dane County and Rock Valley VMA's. He is on the executive board of the WVMA, and is a member of AVMA, AABP, AAEP, and Wisconsin Academy of Veterinary Practice. He is a past president of the Oregon Chamber of Commerce and Oregon Rotary Club. Dr. Mahr serves on several other boards, including Village Planning Board, Board of Genesis Retirement Housing, and the Board of Directors of Valley Bank of Oregon.

Dennis M. McCurnin: is a professor of Surgery, Assistant Dean, and Hospital Director at Colorado State University. He and his wife, Jeri Ann, have

a son, Bradley (18). Dr. McCurnin earned an MS in Surgery from ISU in '70. He owned and operated a small animal practice from '70-'76 in Phoenix, AZ. In 1973 he became a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Surgeons. In 1979 he was named Professor and Director of the Veterinary Teaching Hospital at CSU. In '85 Dr. McCurnin was appointed Assistant Dean for Professional and Public Affairs of the College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences at CSU. He has received a Norden Distinguished Teacher Award, ISU Outstanding Young Alumnus Recognition, Arizona Veterinarian of the Year, and Intermountain VMA Distinguished Science Award. Dr. McCurnin has given numerous papers and presentations at professional meetings and has published many scientific articles. Currently he is the chairman of the AVMA Continuing Education Advisory Committee and is the editor of *Clinical Textbook for Veterinary Technicians*.

Ray Nachreiner: is employed by the Animal Health Diagnostic Lab in Lansing, MI, where he is an Endocrine Section Leader. He and his wife, Mary Lou, have three children: Sara (17), Rachel (15), and John (14). Dr. Nachreiner earned an M.S. at the U of Wis. in '70, and a Ph.D. there in '72. From '72-'77 he was at Auburn University and from '77 to the present he has been at Michigan State University. From '85-'86, Dr. Nachreiner was on sabbatical at the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, Austria.

Gary Osweiler: is presently employed by the Diagnostic Laboratory at ISU. He and his wife, Sue, have four children: Julie (19), John (18), Jeff (14), and Jill (14). Dr. Osweiler is a member of many local and state organizations, including Kiwanis, Isaac Walton, St. Thomas Aquinas Church, IVMA, president of the American Academy of Veterinary and Comparative Toxicology, and a Diplomate of the American Board of Veterinary Toxicology.

Jim Pearson: is employed by the Diagnostic Laboratory at the National Veterinary Services Lab in Ames, IA. He worked in a mixed animal practice from '66-'68. From '68-'70 he was employed by the National Animal Disease Center. From '70 to the present, Dr. Pearson has worked for the NVSL. He earned an MS from ISU in '76 in Diagnostic Virology, and his research has been in avian, equine, and ovine viruses since 1970. Dr. Pearson and his wife, Pat, have three children: Sharon Litchfield (29), Mark (27), and Beth (20).

John L. Peterson: is the senior partner of an eleven veterinarian equine practice in Ocala, FL. His partners include Dr. J. M. Smith (Auburn '76), Dr. P. M. Matthews (Colo. '81), Dr. D. E. Slone (MO

'76), and Dr. J. K. Hahn (Colo. '81). Dr. Peterson and his wife, Gwen, have two sons: Cody (3) and Jesse (1). He is active in breeding and racing thoroughbred horses at Spring Hollow Farm. He is on the boards of directors at Ocala Breeders Sales Co. and the Independent Bank of Ocala.

James Ross Schilling: presently owns and operates a mobile small animal clinic in Kewaunee and Door Counties, WI. He was employed by the Animal Medical Center in New York City from '66-'68. Then he worked in a private practice in Nutley, NJ, from '68-'70. From '70-'71 Dr. Schilling was in private practice in Green Bay, Wisconsin. He has been self-employed since then. Dr. Schilling and his first wife, Barbara, have two children: Jenifer (16) and Paul (13). He and his second wife, Kate, have one daughter named Julia (1).

J. Pete Schroeder: is a research veterinarian at the Naval Ocean Systems Center in Kailua, Hawaii, where he is the program manager in marine mammal health. He and his wife, Carolyn, have two children: Matthew (21) and Erik (18). Dr. Schroeder is an affiliate member of the graduate faculty in microbiology at the University of Hawaii. He has been an assistant clinical professor in the Department of Medicine at the U of CA, San Diego. From '66-'76 he practiced mixed animal medicine (including marine mammals). Then for five years he was a lab animal veterinarian at the VA Medical Center in San Diego. For the last six years he has been at NOSC. Dr. Schroeder is a member of numerous associations, including AVMA, American Association of Lab Animal Practitioners, American Association of Zoo Veterinarians, International Association for Aquatic Animal Medicine (Executive Board, '86) and the Society for Marine Mammology (Charter Member). Dr. Schroeder was the president of San Elijo Alliance from '71-'75, during which they preserved a 1200 acre lagoon for waterfowl. He has also been the president of the School Board in Solana Beach, CA. Dr. Schroeder has published numerous papers for various journals with subjects including blood chemistry of northern elephant seals; effects of deep dives on penguins and blue-eyed shags; reproduction in whales, dolphins, and porpoises; AI of Bottlenose dolphin; and dentistry and ophthalmology of the Bottlenose and Risso's dolphin.

Richard J. Schwabe: is active in large animal medicine with associate Dr. Dan McDermott (ISU '82). He and his wife, Margaret, have four children: Steve (31), Jan (30), Jeri (28), and Ann (19). Jeri is an alumnus of ISU, and Ann is a freshman at ISU. Dr. Schwabe is a member of AVMA, IVMA, AASP, and AABP. He is a past member of his lo-

cal school board, and has been a city councilman for 18 years in Breda, IA. He is also a past president of the Businessmen's Club.

Ronald H. Seitsinger: is active in a large animal practice in Sumner, IA. He and his wife, Nancy, have three children: Dan (25), David (21), and Lori (16).

Robert P. Terry: practices mostly large animal medicine in a mixed practice with associate Dr. Mike Fredericks (ISU '69) in Thornton and Clear Lake, IA. He and his wife, Dora Lee, have four children: Gerilynn Berding (teacher), Lise (senior at ISU), Chris (freshman at ISU), and Troy (high school junior). They have two grandchildren. Dr. Terry is a member of his city council, the high school booster club, and the Lions Club. He is a former member of the golf board and the Upper Iowa Veterinary Association Board.

James W. Van Buren: is employed at the Upjohn Company in Kalamazoo, MI. He is a technical science consultant and feed additives program manager.

Jerry Walker: practices small animal medicine with associate Dr. Dennis Olin (UCD), a Board Certified Ophthalmologist, in Stockton, CA. He and

his wife, Myrna, have two sons: Clint (20 - Senior, Univ. of NV) and Pat (18 - Soph., CA Univ.). He earned an MS at the University of WI in '69. Dr. Walker is Director of an AAHA hospital and enjoys the hobbies of fly fishing and travel.

William C. Wilson: is active in a mixed practice in Diamondville, WY. He and his wife, Patricia Ann, have one daughter, Nicole (14). Dr. Wilson earned an MS at Colo. State U. He spent twelve years in the U.S. Air Force and taught at the Air Force Academy from '67-'79. He also taught at the Uniformed Services University School of Medicine, Department of Surgery. Dr. Wilson is a member of the AVMA and Western States VMA.

Robert E. Wise: practices equine medicine in Illinois. He and his wife, Trudy, have three children: Rick (21), Alan (18), and Kathy (14). Dr. Wise is a past president of the Kane County VA. He is a member of ISVMA, AAEP, and Fox Valley Kiwanis. He is also a board member of the Larkin High School Booster Club.

Robert R. Wright: is active in a small animal practice in Leaburg, OR. He and his wife, Kathie, have three children, Richie (16), Tammy (19), and Robby (20).



Continuing Education

The following Continuing Education offerings have been programmed by staff members of the College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University, and state and national veterinary associations. Other offerings and specific information about location, times, course descriptions, and costs will be announced monthly in the **Veterinary Extension Newsletter**.

Veterinarians with an Iowa license need to have 60 hours of approved Continuing Education credits by July 1, 1987.

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January 7

Feline Medicine; Alumni Room, College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University; CE credits — 6 hours; open registration.

January 15, 22

February 5, 12, 19, 26

Small Animal Seminar Series; Alumni Room, College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University; CE credits — 18 hours; minimum registration 30; registration deadline — January 5, 1987.

January 25-28

IVMA Annual Meeting; Marriott Hotel, Des Moines, Iowa; open registration.

February 7

Pleasure Horse Clinic; Scheman Continuing Education Building, Iowa State University; open registration.

March 8-10

American Association of Swine Practitioners (AASP); Indianapolis, Indiana.

March 12

Ruminant Medicine/Surgery Short Course; Alumni Room, College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University; CE credits — 6 hours; open registration.

March 21-27

American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA) National Annual Meeting; Phoenix, Arizona.

April 1

Southwest Iowa VMA Spring Clinic; open registration.

April 7

Poultry Health and Nutrition Conference; Scheman Continuing Education Building, Iowa State University; open registration.

April 23

Animal Technician Seminar; Alumni Room, College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University; open registration.

May 14

Eastern Iowa VMA Spring Clinic; Hawkeye Downs, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

May 28-30

Euthanasia Technician/Stress Workshop; Alumni Room, College of Veterinary Medicine, Iowa State University.

Future Meetings

April 1987

Netherlands Small Animal Veterinary Association, April 10-11-12, 1987, R.A.I. - Congresscentre. International Congress with simultaneous translation into English, German and Dutch. For details please contact: Registration Office Voorjaarsdagen, c/o The Royal Netherlands Veterinary Association, P.O. Box 14031, 3508 SB, Utrecht, The Netherlands, telephone: 030 - 510111.



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