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# ALUMNI NEWS

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## Class of '59

**Dr. Raymond T. Abel** is serving with the U.S. Veterinary Corps. His address is 5120 Hyde Park Blvd., Chicago 15, Illinois.

**Dr. John R. Anderson** lives at 1258 Hawthorn Court, Ames, Iowa. He is employed by the Iowa Diagnostic Laboratory in Ames. He plans to enter the U.S. Army Veterinary Corps in January, 1960.

**Dr. Russell E. Beaumont** is living at 1008 North Cunningham Ave., Urbana, Illinois. He has just completed remodeling his small animal hospital. Dr. Beaumont is active in the JayCeers. The Beaumonts have a daughter, Karen Ruth, 2 years.

**Dr. Ronald C. Beckman** is associated in a general practice with Dr. C. M. Towers, ISU '50 at Wyoming, Iowa.

**Dr. Roger Bender** has a general practice at Spring Grove, Minnesota. Dr. and Mrs. Bender have a son, Curtis, 14 months.

**Dr. Paul E. Bessire, Jr.** is in a large animal practice at Anita, Iowa. Prior to this he was located at Minneapolis, Minnesota. The Bessires have three children, Micheal, 7; Sheryl, 2½; and Todd, 1.

**Dr. Charles J. Blank** is in a large animal practice at Emerson, Iowa. He was married June 6, 1959 to Sandra Breeding of Malvern, Iowa.

**Dr. Donald J. Casey** is in partnership with Dr. R. W. Collison in a general practice at Carroll, Iowa. Dr. and Mrs. Casey have five children, Kent, 11; Robert, 9; Janice, 5; Diane, 1½; and Donna, 4 months.

**Dr. Norman F. Cheville** is in the V-R Division, Fort Detrich, Frederick, Maryland working in the pathology department of the Biological Warfare Laboratory. He

was previously located at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas and Gunter Air Base, Montgomery, Alabama.

**Dr. Donald Cihak** is associated in a mixed practice with Dr. W. C. Neumeister at Dubuque, Iowa. Dr. and Mrs. Cihak have a daughter, Dawn, 4 months.

**Dr. Durwood D. Davis** is in general practice with Dr. L. F. Boll, ISU '44. They recently moved into a new office and pet hospital at Toledo, Iowa. Dr. Davis lives at Tama, Iowa.

**Dr. Dale L. Drum** is in a general practice at Remsen, Iowa.

**Dr. D. M. Drum** has a mixed practice at Wellsburg, Iowa. He has recently completed a new office. The Drums have three children, Debra, 4; Pamala, 1½; and Douglas, 1 month.

**Dr. William H. Dubbert** is associated with Dr. R. E. Shirbroun in a general practice. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge. The Dubberts live at 312 Park, Coon Rapids, Iowa and have a son, Brent, 1½.

**Dr. James W. Dunn** is assisting Dr. B. W. Kramer in his practice at Fullerton, Nebraska. Dr. Dunn was married to Miss Lucille Graham on Aug. 8, 1959 at Lancaster, Wisconsin.

**Dr. Albert L. Eliason** is a research assistant and is attending graduate school at the University of Wisconsin. His address is Dept. of Veterinary Science, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin. On Aug. 23, 1959 he was married to Miss Ruth Ann Enenson.

**Dr. Norman T. Ereckson** is in general practice with Dr. R. S. Boyer at Keosauqua, Iowa. The Erecksons have four children, Rocky, 6; Kent, 5; Paula, 2; and LeAnne, 10 months.

**Dr. Terry E. Fitzpatrick** is in a general practice at New Sharon, Iowa.

**Dr. Dean C. Frey** is working in a small animal practice. He is located at the Hollywood Cat and Dog Hospital, 1151 N. Highland Avenue, Hollywood, California. The Freys have a daughter, Deanna Lynn, 12 weeks.

**Dr. Paul J. Guether** is associated in a general practice with his father-in-law, Dr. E. Sundquist at Primghar, Iowa. Dr. and Mrs. Guether have a son, Gregory Paul 1.

**Dr. E. Gordon Donovan** is a 1st Lt. in the Army Veterinary Corps. After December, 1959, he will be permanently stationed at Omaha, Nebraska. At present he is attending Army Medical Service School at Brook Army Medical Center in Fort Sam Houston, Texas. For two and one half months after graduation, he ran a mixed practice for Dr. R. E. Strous at Juneau, Wisconsin.

**Dr. Carl H. Graham** is in a mixed practice at Sterling, Illinois. He has leased an office and equipment from Dr. E. E. Calhoun.

**Dr. Charles W. Howe, Jr.** is in a general practice at Waukee, Iowa.

**Dr. Richard A. Hubbard** is in a general practice at Conrad, Iowa. He was married June 28, 1959 to Miss Jean Burkett.

**Dr. Irwin H. Huff** is associated in a general practice at Brooklyn, Iowa.

**Dr. Duane G. Jacobson** is associated in a general practice with Dr. L. V. Johnson ISU '43 at Thompson, Iowa.

**Dr. Kenneth G. Jennett** is employed in a mixed practice by Dr. H. C. Baker at Wilton Junction, Iowa. Dr. and Mrs. Jennett have a son, David Duane, 4 months.

**Dr. Richard W. Jones** is stationed at San Francisco, California with the U.S. Army Veterinary Corps.

**Dr. Orville M. Juhler** is in a mixed practice at Harlan, Iowa. The Juhlers are the parents of a son, Gregory Peter, born September 3, 1959.

**Dr. Robert H. Keith** is associated in a mixed practice with Dr. Hennager and Dr. Norton at Monroe, Wisc. They plan on building a new hospital this fall. Dr. and Mrs. Keith have two children, Aileen Ann, 4 and David Robert, 2 months.

**Dr. C. O. Kenagy** lives at Eldora, Iowa. He is associated in a general practice with Dr. W. G. Tietz, ISU '44.

**Dr. Paul W. Kopf** is in the U.S. Army Veterinary Corps. He is presently located in Chicago. After January 1, 1960 he will be stationed at Presidio Army Base in San Francisco, California.

**Dr. Lowell E. Krebs** lives at 4556 Blackstone Drive, Indianapolis, Ind. He is associated with Dr. O. W. Cottongim in a small animal hospital in Indianapolis. Dr. Krebs is participating in a rabies clinic with members of the Central Indiana V. M. A. Dr. and Mrs. Krebs have three children, Carol, 8; Alan, 5; and Phil, 2.

**Dr. Donald F. Lamb** is associated in a general practice with Dr. K. McKenzie at Baxter, Iowa. He was married to Miss Patricia Eno, Aug. 30, 1959.

**Dr. Larry K. Lemley** is in a mixed practice in Glasgow, Montana.

**Dr. Merle P. Lockwood** lives at Winfield, Iowa where he is in a mixed practice. The Lockwoods have two children, Jan, 5 and Jill, 1.

**Dr. John O. McNellis** is an assistant station veterinarian in the U. S. Army Reserves. His address is Office of the Station Veterinarian, P. O. Box C, Fort Benning, Georgia.

**Dr. Robert L. Maahs** is in a small animal practice at Pasedena, California. He lives at 797 South Arroya Parkway in Pasedena. The Maahs have one son, David, 2½.

**Dr. M. J. Maxted** is associated with Dr. M. N. Nicholle ISU '40 in a small animal practice. They plan to expand their small animal facilities. The Maxteds live at 205 Solar Park, Oskaloosa, Iowa and have a son, Mark Justin born August 29, 1959.

**Dr. Clark Mortenson** is located at Tremonton, Utah in a general practice. Land has been purchased and plans are underway for a building.

**Dr. C. E. Oelberg** is in a general practice at Winthrop, Iowa. He is active in the Lion's Club.

**Dr. Calvin H. Pals** is presently located at Chicago, Illinois with the U. S. Army. He was previously located at Omaha, Nebraska and Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

**Dr. William C. Pewsey** is working in a

three man partnership in a large animal practice at Breda, Iowa.

**Dr. James D. Prewitt** is working at the Belkin Small Animal Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri. He lives at 6339 Lucille Avenue in Jennings, Missouri. The Prewitts have two daughters, Sylvia Lubelle, 3; and Cynthia Ann, 18 months.

**Dr. Richard F. Ross** is doing graduate work at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa. He lives at 2514 Chamberlin Street in Ames.

**Dr. Robert H. Schepers** is associated in a general practice at Knoxville, Iowa.

**Dr. James J. Shannon** is employed by the federal government at Manchester, Iowa. The Shannons have a daughter, Michelle Ann, 1.

**Dr. Donald Sime** is teaching at the University of Minnesota at St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Dr. James D. Smith** lives at Elkader, Iowa where he is in a general practice.

**Dr. William D. Speer, Jr.** is in a mixed practice at De Witt, Iowa. He is active in the Lion's Club.

**Dr. Jack D. Stokes** is in a partnership with Dr. F. H. Kelly in a general practice at Goldfield, Iowa. Dr. Stokes is a member of the Goldfield Business Men's Club.

**Dr. Bert L. Strahn** has a 95% large animal and 5% small animal practice at Forreton, Illinois. His office will soon be moved from his home to a building in the downtown Forreton area.

**Dr. Richard M. Swasand** is a veterinary food inspector for the U. S. Army. Before entering the service he worked for Dr. T. S. Staughter in Rogersville, Tennessee for three months.

**Dr. B. E. Vagts** is in practice at Ossian, Iowa. His present facilities are being remodeled. He is also setting up a local meat inspection service in the Ossian community. The Vagts have a daughter, Beth Ann, 6 weeks old.

**Dr. Vernon J. Walsh** is working with Dr. Dale S. Adams at Webb, Iowa. The Walshs have two children, Cindy, 3, and David, 8 months.

**Dr. Andris Zervins** is an assistant at Dr. Glenn's Dog & Cat Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Dr. and Mrs. Zervins announce the birth of a daughter, Karen Jeanne, born July 7, 1959.

## GENERAL NEWS

**Dr. J. P. Slavens '58** has purchased Dr. J. M. Arken's interest in the partnership of Arken and Tracy at South City, Nebraska. **Dr. R. R. Billiar, '58** is also associated with Drs. D. H. Tracy and J. P. Slavens.

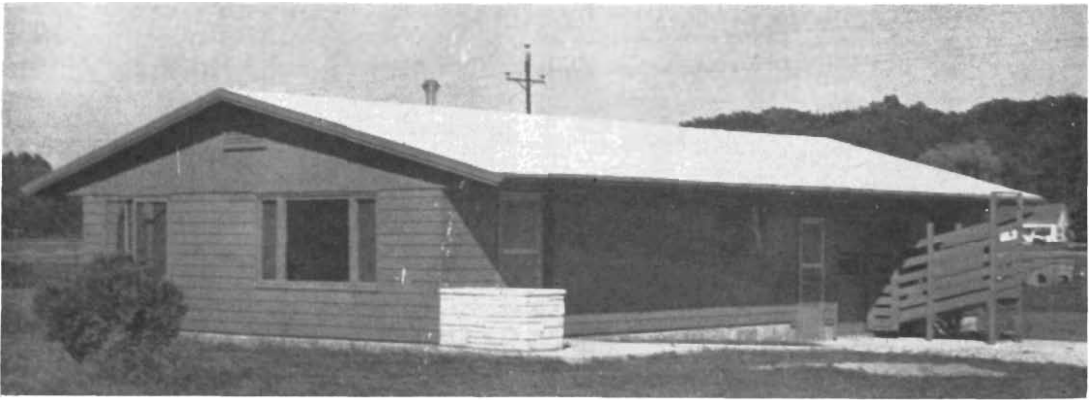
**T**HE ALUMNI committee is willing and anxious to provide as many services to you, the alumni, as it possibly can. We feel the Alumni Organization of Iowa State College is one to be proud of, and we also feel its members deserve special attention and service. The committee would like to hear from the alumni whenever they have news for their publication and when they desire help in matters that pertain to the organization. The committee will try to handle matters that range from reserving rooms for a possible Veishea or Homecoming visit to such items as forwarding the addresses of alumni that may be desired. We are waiting to hear from you.

**S**EX CONTROL — ACID-ALKALI METHOD. The determination of the sex of the offspring of animals can be controlled to a degree according to certain investigators and breeders. Acid or alkaline douches before fertilization has been reported to cause marked results. In a series of experiments, chronic female bearers and chronic male bearers were subjected to acid and alkaline rinsings and the sex ratios of the offspring were reversed in each case. Acid douched females produced predominantly females and alkaline douched females produced predominantly males. In humans, the conclusion was that vaginal pH above 7 was favorable to boy conception and a pH below 6 to girl conceptions. Three percent lactic acid and five percent soda solutions were used. Animals which were tested included rats, rabbits, and dogs. Old reports from Germany suggested the same results in humans.

Dolittle, W. P. Sex Control-Acid-Alkali Method. Rocky Mt. Vet. Vol. 7-9, 14-18. Sept. 1959.

# Featured VETERINARY HOSPITAL

Avoca, Iowa



This modern veterinary hospital, owned by Dr. R. D. Wunder, '51, is located at the north-east edge of Avoca, Iowa. The hospital has a waiting room, pharmaceutical room, small ani-

mal surgery room, laboratory, kennel room and private office. The large animal portion has three pens and an operating area. The building is of frame construction.

