

ALUMNI NEWS



MARRIAGES

Dr. James D. Lane, '43, to Miss Willa Dean Klinnert, of Oklahoma City, Okla., Nov. 22, 1947.

Dr. G. E. Chapman, '44, of Dubuque, Iowa, to Miss Carmen Westermeyer, of Dyersville, Iowa, Oct. 25, 1947.

Dr. V. M. Reinhart, '44, of Norway, Iowa, to Miss Marie Kuncl, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Jan. 20, 1948.

Dr. W. G. Tietz, '44, to Miss Betty Oldenburg, of Eldora, Iowa, Oct. 26, 1947.

To Mrs. W. H. Ahlers, of Dubuque, Iowa, wife of Dr. W. A. Ahlers, '33, a daughter, Mary Beth, Aug. 26, 1947.

To Mrs. R. F. Freeman, of Canton, S.D., wife of Dr. R. F. Freeman, '37, a son Jay Scott, Nov. 20, 1947.

To Mrs. James Fitch, of Fairmont, Minn., wife of Dr. James Fitch, '38, a daughter, Junet Ann, Nov. 3, 1947.

To Mrs. W. H. Smeltzer, of Geneseo, Ill., wife of Dr. W. H. Smeltzer, '39, a daughter, Margaret May, Dec. 31, 1947.

To Mrs. M. K. Anderson, of Morris, Minn., wife of Dr. M. K. Anderson, '40, a daughter, Teresa Lio, Feb. 10, 1948.

BIRTHS

To Mrs. G. G. Jennings, of Dedham, Iowa, wife of Dr. G. G. Jennings, '31, a daughter, Joan Rose, Feb. 17, 1948.

To Mrs. T. A. Dermody, of Breda, Iowa, wife of Dr. T. A. Dermody, '32, twin sons, Terry and Timothy, March 6, 1948.

To Mrs. L. W. Cook, of Montezuma, Iowa, wife of Dr. L. W. Cook, '40, a daughter, Janyce Elaine, Nov. 23, 1947.

To Mrs. D. D. Ball, of DeWitt, Iowa, wife of Dr. D. D. Ball, '41, a daughter, Marilyn Jane, Dec. 13, 1947.

To Mrs. C. J. Mickelson, of Webster City, Iowa, wife of Dr. C. J. Mickelson, '41, a daughter, Susan Beth, Oct. 27, 1947.

To Mr. L. T. Christensen, of Hancock, Minn., wife of Dr. L. T. Christensen, '42, a son, Larry T., Oct. 16, 1947.

To Mrs. J. H. Moret, of Morrison, Ill., wife of Dr. J. H. Moret, '42, a son, Norman James, Nov. 4, 1947.

To Mrs. R. D. Mackereth, of Annadale, Minn., wife of Dr. R. D. Mackereth, '43, a son, George Edward, Feb. 17, 1948.

To Mrs. K. L. Reinertson, of Ocheyedan, Iowa, wife of Dr. K. L. Reinertson, '43, a son, John Edward, April 27, 1948.

To Mrs. R. E. Reppert, of Cambridge, Ill., wife of Dr. R. E. Reppert, '43, a son, Mark Scott, Nov. 30, 1947.

To Mrs. W. H. Thompson, of Earlville, Iowa, wife of Dr. W. H. Thompson, '43, a son, Richard Wayne, Jan. 14, 1948.

To Mrs. G. K. Underbjerg, of Madison, Wisc., wife of Dr. G. K. Underbjerg, '43, a daughter, Dee Voreannee, Jan. 17, 1948.

To Mrs. C. L. Clark, of Orion, Ill., wife of Dr. C. L. Clark, '46, a son, Charles Lawrence, Feb. 11, 1948.

To Mrs. M. L. Kaster, of Cuba City, Wis., wife of Dr. M. L. Kaster, '46, a son, Anthony John, March 3, 1948.

DEATHS

Dr. Barthalomew Buchli, '86, of Alma, Kan., died Oct. 22, 1947.

Dr. C. P. Wilson, '13, of Decorah, Iowa, died Jan. 15, 1948.

GENERAL

Dr. L. E. Smith, '09, of Jefferson, Iowa, has been ill and unable to practice for some time.

Dr. R. R. Dykstra, '05, was elected president of the Association of American Veterinary Deans for the eleventh consecutive term, at the meeting held in Chicago in December.

Dr. T. C. Fultz, '10, of Pella, Iowa, was appointed Honorary Mayor or Burge-meister for life. Dr. Fultz has served as mayor of Pella for more than 12 years.

Dr. C. H. Banks, '12, of Tipton, Iowa, underwent surgery in November, but is feeling fine now. He and Mrs. Banks visited California for 6 weeks in January and February.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Juhl, '13, of Osage, Iowa, spent the winter at McAllen, Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Landstrum, '19, of Barnes City, Iowa, recently returned from a 3-week trip to Phoenix, Arizona.

Dr. R. O. Nye, '31, of Buda, Ill., spent 6 weeks in Florida during December and January.

Mrs. E. L. Koch, of Plainfield, Iowa, wife of Dr. E. L. Koch, '37, was hospitalized for 2 weeks in February.

Dr. Henry Schwerman, '31, of New Uum, Minn., spent a month in Germany, visiting his parents and family, this spring.

Dr. A. M. McDermid, '38, formerly at the Wisconsin State Experimental Fur Farm, is entering private practice at Middleton, Wis.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Chenoweth, Jr., '33, of Bethany, Mo., spent 2 weeks in the south during January. Their trip included a visit to Cuba.

Dr. E. J. Bild, '39, has relocated for practice at Ireton, Iowa.

Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Jones, '34, of Valparaiso, Ind., spent the Christmas holidays in Fond du Lac, Wis.

Dr. A. J. Bauman, '39, of Spencer, Iowa, is planning to build a new, modern, small animal hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Osborn, '34, of Independence, Iowa, made a vacation trip to Texas in January.

Dr. M. E. Boyer, '39, recently completed a new office and hospital in Freeport, Ill.

Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Paul, '34, and son, Norman, of Clarence, Iowa, spent 2 weeks in January traveling through the southern states.

Dr. R. J. Dundas, '40, formerly of Waterloo, Iowa, is now located for general practice at Armstrong, Iowa.

Dr. R. M. Parker, '34, of Alta, Iowa, has joined Dr. W. C. Clark as a partner in Canistota, S.D.

Dr. R. K. Fisher, '40, formerly of Ireton, Iowa, has moved to Orange City, Iowa, to take over the practice of his father, Dr. Edwin Fisher, '21.

Dr. W. C. Glenney, '36, of Elgin, Ill., joined the staff of the Stader Animal Hospital, in Ardmore, Pa., February of this year.

Dr. C. G. Spencer, '40, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was in the hospital last November suffering from undulant fever.

Dr. and Mrs. Leonard A. Bowstead, '37, and son Johnnie, of DeWitt, Iowa, made a 2 week vacation trip to the south this winter.

Dr. H. E. Held, '42, and Dr. A. A. Turner, of Freeport, Ill., recently completed an entirely modern small animal hospital.

Dr. W. L. Munson, '42, of Wyoming, Ill., and Dr. Ben Allen, of Dunlap, Ill., attended the livestock show in Ft. Worth, Texas in February.

Dr. J. B. White, '42, of Davenport, Iowa, completed a new office recently.

Dr. M. R. Flickenger, '43, is assisting Dr. A. C. Peterson, '32, at Washington, Iowa.

Dr. Max Harry, '43, of Pasadena, Calif., and his father, Dr. C. E. Harry, have completed building a new veterinary medical clinic.

Dr. J. K. Hill, '43, has relocated at Adel, Iowa for practice.

Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Kirkpatrick, '43, spent some time traveling through the southern states in February.

Dr. R. M. Young, '43, of Parkersburg, Iowa, has been chosen by the Parkersburg Community Club as the recipient of its 1947 community service award for the most outstanding service to the community during 1947. Dr. Young was especially cited for his efforts in the fly and rat control campaigns.

Dr. W. M. Lawson, '45, formerly of Deming, New Mexico, has purchased the practice of Dr. Bennet Porter, '31, at Albert Lea, Minn.

Dr. D. E. Moore, '45, of Decorah, Iowa, and Dr. R. E. Rasmussen, '42, of Bloomfield, Iowa, have two-way radio sets installed in their practice cars.

Dr. Birk C. Lowther, '46, of Hopkington, Iowa, underwent surgery at St. Lukes Hospital, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, last November.

Dr. Leonard Larson, '47, is assisting Dr. J. C. Carey, '19, and Dr. J. W. Carey, '41, of West Liberty, Iowa.

Dr. R. R. Rognes, '47, formerly of Lakefield, Minn., is locating at Spencer, Iowa.

A Blood Substitute

A safe and effective substitute for blood plasma in the prevention and treatment of surgical shock in farm livestock has been found by veterinary scientists.

Although many products have been studied, only 2, gelatin and human serum albumin, have been found satisfactory. For obvious reasons, only gelatin is practical for general use.

Because of the difficulties of obtaining and preserving animal plasma, a substitute is needed to supplement the supply of plasma. Such a substitute must be stable, harmless, medically effective, and reproducible with respect to its physiochemical properties.

The gelatin preparation meets these requirements. It is made from portions of cattle long bone. The artificial plasma is administered intravenously, and no toxic effect has been reported.

Early Blackleg Treatment

An early treatment for blackleg in cattle was to bleed the animal copiously from the neck, and to give the animal human blood to drink. This acted as a cathartic. The lesion was then incised, and the "jelly and gore" removed. The cavity was then filled with rum and salt, after which the recovery was gradual.