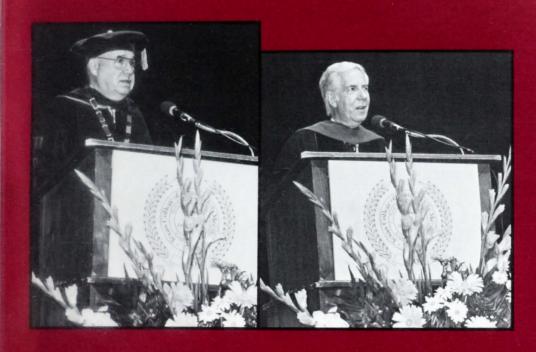
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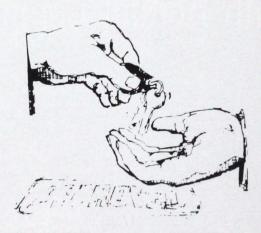
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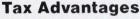
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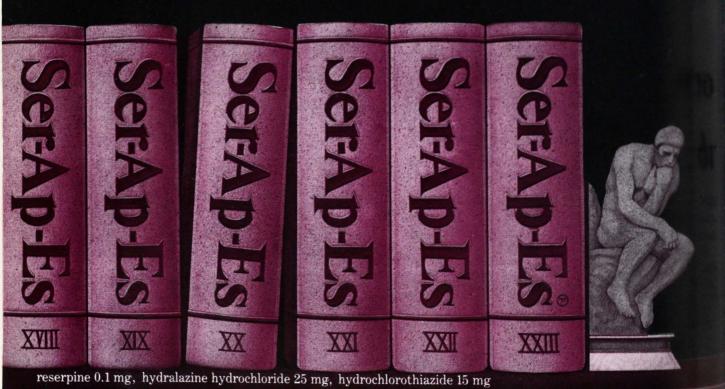
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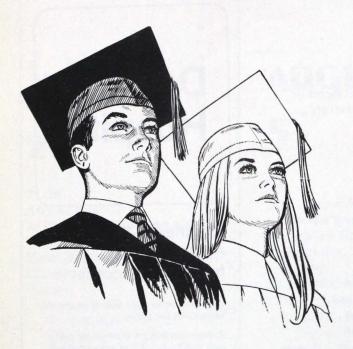
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Several students, two faculty members and a staff member were recognized for special achievements Friday, May 20, at the traditional awards banquet on the eve of Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine's 10th annual commencement.

Three students were honored for their academic standing in the 72-member class. As the top graduate, James D. Peters of Bellefontaine, Ohio, received the Upjohn Achievement Award. Mark Gleba of La Jolla, California, as second in the class, was given the Lemmon Company Award, and John Paul Waytuk of Phoenix, Arizona, as third, received the Sandoz Inc. Award. The awards are sponsored by the Upjohn Co., headquartered in Kalamazoo, Michigan; the Lemmon Company, Sellersville, Pennsylvania; and Sandoz Pharmaceuticals, East Hanover, New Jersey.

The President's Award was given by TCOM President Ralph L. Willard, D.O., for outstanding present and future leadership in the osteopathic profession to James M. Mitchell of Biloxi. Mississippi. Mitchell also received the T. Robert Sharp Award as the outstanding student in general and family practice and was named outstanding senior by members of Sigma Sigma Phi honor society. The Sharp award was given by T. Robert Sharp, D.O. of Mesquite.

Olie Garrison of Arlington won the Stockseth Award, given annually to a student who has demonstrated outstanding comprehension osteopathic principles and concepts and has experienced application. The award property wayne O. and Norma Stockseth of Corpus Christical Corpus Christical Wayne Stockseth is a trustee of TCOM Foundation and a member of the TCOM Advisory Council.

An award given for the first time this yes the T. E. Williams Arrowsmith Award to how a student who has overcome obstacles on the work to graduation, went to Ava Alter of Terre Hall Indiana.

Chosen by students to be honored for Varas, DO were Theodore teaching abilities of rehabilitation/sports me assistant professor and Niza icine. in clinical sciences the professor assistant Peerwani, M.D., clinical pathology, in the basic sciences.

The 1983 student yearbook was dedicated Charlene Dally, staff member of the Office of Stude Affairs.

Also recognized for their selection earlier this years Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges were Mitchell, John Scott Benne of Pearsall, John Marshall of El Paso and Time! McGuinness of Corpus Christi.



First row, from left, Monte Mitchell, Steven Yount, Timothy McGuinness, John Bennett, Sharon Olson, Demosthenis Klonis, Joseph Provenzano, Jr., Magnus Meyer, III, Ann Hunt, Margaret Klitzke, Joseph DelPrincipe and Albert Kui-Choi Yong.

Second row, from left, John Conte, Jaldeep Daulat, Christina Fingal, Michael Dandois, Ava Alter, Sara Apsley-Ambriz, Alicia Monroe, Duyen Faria, Nancy Chiarello, James Ice, Pamela Richter, Daniel Loisel, Mark Springs, Wesley Palmer and Zachariah Gerger.

Third row, from left, John Schmidt, Robert Stark, Laura Dott, Yvonne Post, Jeanne Brufke, Jon Botts, Marcus Newton, John Waytuk, John Marshall and

Alyson Davis.

Fourth row, from left, Dana Oyler, Robert Campbell, Patrick Hanford, Kevin Ellis, Glenn Guy, II, Mark Klucka, William Boone, Chester Burks, Bruce Wardle, Larry Sharp, Gregory Dwight, Mark Tereletsky, James Jones, Robert Stroud, Jacqueline Tuttle, James Peters, David Grisell, Olie Garrison, Daniel Saylak, and George Rojas.

Fifth row, from left, Allen Jacobs, Mark Gleba, Merlyn Smith, Robert Amato, John Johnstone, Keith Harbour, Hollis King, Joe Miller, III, Peter Keyser, James M. Mitchell, Ray Rollins, Gregory Smith, Gary Tamez, Mike Glover and Alan Hamill.

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# D.O.s and Enrollment at Osteopathic Colleges on the Rise

The number of osteopathic phylicians and students enrolled in osteopathic colleges in the United States is increasing annually. During the 1970s enrollment more than doubled, and the number of schools tripled from five to fifteen. There were 1,017 graduates in 1982; 1,310 will graduate in 1983, and the number is expected to climb higher in each of the following four years.

The number and percent of women in osteopathic colleges have risen each year since 1970. Almost one of every four new students and one of every five graduating osteopathic physicians are women.

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every three osteopathic physicistare serving areas of the national greatest need.

Further details concerning in education of osteopathic physicians have just been made available in the Annual Statistical Report, 1988 prepared by the American Association ation of Colleges of Osteopathi The Report include Medicine. sections relating to applicant enrollees, faculty, curricula, grand and contracts, and revenues expenditures. Copies may be of dered for nine dollars (\$9.00) eat by writing to the Association 4720 Montgomery Lane, Sun 609, Bethesda, MD 20814.A

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# STETTNER, INTERN AT BOTSFORD

Thelly Ann Stettner, D.O., graduate of College of eopathic Medicine and Surgery in Des Moines, a is interning at Botsford General Hospital in roit, Michigan and is planning to return to Texas et-up practice. Dr. Shelly Stettner is the daughter Max Stettner, D.O. of Lubbock, the recent apatee to the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners.

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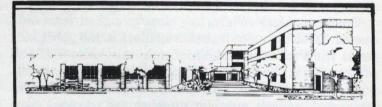
Paniel Rader, D.O., of Dallas was honored by a lution of the Texas House of Representatives on 7 25. He was honored in recognition of his serving Doctor for the Day" at the capital.

r. Rader has practiced in Dallas for 31 years and close friend of Representative Betty Denton of the author of the resolution.

# MA LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE, SEPT. 17-18

The Second Annual Leadership Conference of MA will be held at the state headquarters in Fort rth, Saturday and Sunday, September 17-18, 1983.

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# 68th Legislative Session

The 68th Legislature can only be described as successful. The legislative package that the Board of Trustees set forth was accomplished.

### **TCOM Bill Takes Effect September 1**

Governor Mark White has already signed into law one of TOMA's major legislative bills, SB 387. This bill states the President and Chief Administrative Officer of the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine must possess a doctor of osteopathy degree. TOMA has attempted to pass a similar measure the previous two sessions. A special thanks to Senators Hugh Parmer, Bob McFarland and Bob Glasgow along with Representatives Lanny Hall, Reby Cary, Roy English, Charlie Evans, W. Tip Hall, Jim Horn, Bob Leonard, Jan McKenna, Mike Millsap and Doyle Willis, who were sponsors or co-sponsors of this bill.

#### NTSU/TCOM Regents Bill

Another bill that strongly affects the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine is SB 91. This bill allows the appointment of more than one member of Board of Regents to be from the same senator district.

This is an important measure, in that it will all more input into Board actions by Board members what are from areas of the state where D.O.s practice.

#### Anti-Discrimination Bill Awaits Signature

Currently awaiting the Governor's signature in TOMA bill, SB 635, sponsored by every member of the Senate Health and Human Resources Committee under the guidance of Senator Chet Brooks, chairman of that committee and dean of the Texas Senate, the

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of facilities that are prohibited from discriminating rast D.O.s. The House sponsor was Charlie Evans, rman of the House Administration Committee. ently, a private hospital can hang out a sign that "No D.O.s Need Apply." This practice of exing D.O.s solely on the basis of academic degree soon come to an end with the Governor's signature.

# Victory in the Courtroom

oming to an end is exactly what is happening to exclusion of D.O.s from the staff of the John Peter th hospital in Fort Worth. On June 4, 1983, U.S. rict Judge of the Northern District Eldon Mahon d in favor of five D.O.s who had filed suit in 1980. ge Mahon ruled that the county hospital had viola-D.O.'s rights to equal protection by refusing them f privileges because their post-doctoral training not allopathic (M.D.).

'his suit, filed in 1980 by Drs. Joel Alter, William Jenkins, C. Raymond Olson, Paul Stern and Lee J. ker, is another step forward in proving that osteonic medical training is equal to that of allopathic aims in the court's eyes.

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The evidence before the court shows that the ious differences which once distinguished D.O.s n M.D.s have virtually disappeared today," Mahon ed in his 30-page opinion. "The only remaining erence between D.O.s and M.D.s has been described ply as one of philosophy."

#### State Anti-Trust Statute Passed

measure very similar to the federal anti-trust ute that Judge Mahon ruled on was also passed 68th session. SB 397, sponsored by Senator yd Doggett and Representative Bill Messer, is ently before Governor Mark White.

his bill entitled "The Texas Free Enterprise and i-trust Act of 1983" will offer the same protection tate court that the JPS suit was ruled on in federal rt. In section 15.05. of the new law it states:

Every contract, combination, or conspiracy in estraint of trade or commerce is unlawful."

It is unlawful for any person to monopolize, tempt to monopolize, or conspire to monopolize any part of trade or commerce."

The bill also goes on to define that the exchange of services is clearly applicable as "trade and commerce."

#### **TCOM Library Funded**

The campus of the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine will continue to grow thanks to the 68th Legislature. In the final days of the legislative session a conference committee made up of Senators Grant Jones, Ed Howard, Chet Brooks, John Traeger, Ray Farabee, Representatives Bill Presnal, Bill Hollowell, Jay Gibson, Frank Madla and Jim Rudd voted a 10.8 million dollar appropriation to finance a new library building.

This funding was due largely to the efforts of Tarrant County Representatives Mike Millsap, Lanny Hall, Doyle Willis and Speaker Gib Lewis, along with Odessa Representative Jay Gibson.

# **Legal Opinion**

A suit brought by five osteopathic physicians to require John Peter Smith Hospital of Fort Worth to grant them hospital privileges has been decided by the United States District Court in Fort Worth in a far-reaching opinion delivered by the court on June 6, 1983.

United States District Judge Eldon Mahon has held that while a physician has no constitutional right to staff privileges in a hospital merely because he is licensed to practice medicine, he may not be denied those privileges on an unreasonable or arbitrary basis because that would be a denial of equal protection under the 14th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Judge Mahon held in effect that the John Peter Smith Hospital staff had enacted bylaws and rules in an effort to exclude most osteopathic physicians from staff privileges for the sole purpose of maintaining John Peter Smith Hospital as an allopathic institution and he held that such conduct was unconstitutional and has ordered the John Peter Smith Hospital to grant staff privileges to Paul A. Stern, D.O., Lee J. Walker, D.O., C. Raymond Olson, D.O., Joel Alter, D.O. and William R. Jenkins, D.O.

# New Health Care Legislation

The 68th Legislature, like those past, dealt with many health care issues. Listed below are some of the bills that passed this session and will soon become law. If you have any questions concerning these, or if you would like copies of the bills listed below, please call the TOMA office, 800—772-5993.

# **Board of Medical Examiners Disciplinary Appeals**

Following the appeal of any disciplinary action by the Board, any stay granted by a judge pending appeal will automatically dissolve after 120 days. HB 1999

# **Exception to Physician/Patient Privilege** for Criminal Matters

In any criminal prosecution where your patient is a victim, witness, or defendant, patient communications and records must be made available to the court in which the prosecution is pending for an in camera determination as to the relevancy of such records or communications. SB 375.

#### Regulation of Lay Midwives

Since 1956 the practice of midwifery has been unlicensed and unregulated in Texas since Texas courts have found that the act of assisting women in child-birth did not constitute the practice of medicine since childbirth is a "normal function of womanhood." Now midwives must register and train under a lay midwifery board that will be subject to the approval and under the guidance of the Texas Department of Health. SB 238.

#### Venereal Disease Statute Reform

The Texas Venereal Disease Act amends various statutes relating to the diagnosis and reporting of venereal disease, including repealing the requirement for a premarital serology and examination and instituting a requirement for a cord blood serology. SB 258

#### Dispensing of Drugs by a Rural Physician

A physician living in a rural area (county with a population 5,000 or less; city or town with a population 2,500 or less) that has no pharmacy within a

15-mile radius may maintain a supply of dangeron drugs, dispense them to patients and be reimburged for the cost of supplying these drugs without obtaining a license under the Texas Pharmacy Act. HB 147

#### **Natural Death Act Revision**

Removes the requirement that a notary must see the directive, calling instead for the signature of the witnesses. States M.D. or D.O. as the diagnosing physician. HB 46

#### **Rural Medical Education Board**

Gives the Board the authority to determine by candidates intent concerning his future practice loss tion. Also allows the Board to charge 10 percent interest instead of five percent if applicant does not practice in rural area. SB 1328

#### Denial of Services in a General Hospital

No officer of a general hospital (public or private may deny a person in need of emergency services access to a physician on the staff of that hospital because the person is unable to establish his ability to pay for the services. An officer, employee or member of the medical staff who violates this act is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor. SB 1019

#### Local Public Health Reorganization Act

This bill authorizes new combinations of cities counties, and special districts to carry out public health functions. New requirement that the director of a public health district and the health authority must be a physician. SB 109

#### Additional Requirements for Medical Students

It will now be mandatory for all medical school graduates to complete one year of graduate medical training before they are eligible to take the FLE exam and to receive their license. Foreign medical graduates may be required to complete additional graduate training and/or other "requirements" to Board feels necessary. HB 1999

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# DOCTORS WHO WERE SOLDIER-STATESMEN

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Dr. Anson Jones, a lineal descendant of Oliver Cromwell, was his family's 13th child. Born in Massachusetts in 1798, he graduated from Jefferson Medical College in 1827 and established his first practice in Philadelphia.<sup>1</sup>

Learning of the opportunities in Texas, then a part of Mexico, he headed for Brazoria, arriving in 1833 with only \$17 in his pocket and \$50 worth of medicine in his bag. As one of the few qualified physicians in colonial Texas, he prospered from the start.<sup>2</sup>

Active in the movement for Texas independence, Dr. Jones was appointed Assistant Surgeon General and Medical Purveyor to the Army of the Texas Revolution.

With victory and the establishment of the Republic, Dr. Jones was elected a member of the first Texas Congress. Shortly thereafter, President Sam Houston appointed him the minister of the new republic to Washington. In 1841, Dr. Jones was named Secretary of State. He served with distinction, and in 1844, Dr. Anson Jones was himself inaugurated President of the Republic of Texas.<sup>2</sup> In time, he put forth the Republic's first statute regulating medical practice, became a founder of the Texas Medical Association and brought Texas into the Union.<sup>3</sup>



# Dr. Ashbel Smith

was born in Connecticut in 1805. He studied medicine at Yale College and in Paris, where he both expanded his medical knowledge and laid the foundation of an extraordinary career in diplomacy.<sup>4</sup>
Upon return to the United

States, he began writing and practicing in Salisbury, North Carolina. However, he was deeply concerned about the struggle of Texans to obtain their freedom—and chose to join them in 1837. He settled in Galveston, where he was soon appointed Surgeon General of

the Army, and went to live in the home of General Sam Houston.

In 1838, Dr. Smith resigned his commission to wage a gallant fight against Galveston's first epidemic of yellow fever. His procedures and his monograph on this subject are considered definitive works to this day.<sup>4</sup>

Through the years, Dr. Smith continued to be regarded as Texas' "number one diplomat," serving as Minister to France and England. During the Civil War, he was commander of the defense of Galveston. In 1878, Dr. Smith was appointed a commissioner to the Paris Exposition; in 1882, he became President of the Texas State Medical Association. He also became one of the regents of the University of Texas, to which he donated his medical library upon his death in his 80th year. 1,4



#### Dr. Amos Pollard, born in Massachusetts in 1803, studied medicine in New York and traveled by way of New Orleans to Texas.

There is evidence that by 1834 he was practicing in González, where he was known as an aboli-

tionist, active in Texas politics.

When General Austin's volunteers marched on San Antonio, Dr. Pollard was among them as Surgeon of the Regiment. Four months later, he wrote to Texas Governor Smith about his lack of medicines and supplies. Nevertheless, he closed his letter with "Let us show them how republicans can and will fight."

On March 6, 1836, when the Army of Santa Anna stormed the Alamo, Dr. Pollard was killed while tending the wounded. Also killed were his associates—Drs. Edward Michison, John W. Thompson and John Purdy Reynolds—not one of them yet 30 years old.<sup>6</sup>

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Usage in Pregnancy: Use of minor tranquilizers during the first trimester should almost always be avoided because of increased risk of congenital malformations as suggested in several studies. Consider possibility of pregnancy when instituting therapy; advise patients to discuss therapy if they intend to or do become pregnant.

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Adverse Reactions: Most frequently reported are those associated with either component alone: drowsiness, dry mouth, constipation, blurred vision, dizziness and bloating. Less frequently occurring reactions include vivid dreams, impotence, tremor, confusion and nasal congestion. Many depressive symptoms including anorexia, fatigue, weakness, restlessness and lethargy have been reported as side effects of both Limbitrol and amitriptyline. Granulocytopenia, jaundice and hepatic dysfunction have been observed rarely.

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Psychiatric: Euphoria, apprehension, poor concentration, delusions, hallucinations, hypomania and increased or decreased libido.

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Anticholinergic: Disturbance of accommodation, paralytic ileus, urinary retention, dilatation of urinary tract.

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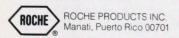
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# In Memoriam

# Gordon S. Beckwith, D.O.

Gordon S. Beckwith, D.O., a life member of Town died May 23 in Kerrville following a lengthy A 1938 graduate of Kirksville College of Osteona Medicine and a fellow of the American College Osteopathic Surgeons, Dr. Beckwith was in propractice in San Antonio for almost 35 years, belo retiring five years ago.

Dr. Beckwith served on the important peer review committees of the Texas Osteopathic Medical Asseration, served on the TOMA Board of Trustees other important TOMA district and state offer He was instrumental in establishing the former Antonio Osteopathic Hospital and served many vel on its staff in several positions including chief sures He also served on the Board of Governors of All

He was a Mason and Shriner and a member of Episcopal Church.

Dr. Beckwith is survived by his wife, Frances San Antonio; son Jay G. Beckwith, D.O., of lea Worth; brother Harold, also a D.O., of San Anton and six grandchildren. A

# Robert G. Haman, D.O.

Robert G. Haman, D.O., former president of TOW and "General Practitioner of the Year" in 1975, May 26 in Irving.

A native of Huntington, West Virginia, Dr. Hand graduated in 1952 from Kirksville College of Osia pathic Medicine and interned in 1952-53 at Dal Osteopathic Hospital. A fellow of the American College of General Practitioners, he was a certile general practitioner in Irving.

Honored at the 1983 TOMA convention for his years as a member of the House of Delegates, Haman was president of the state organization in 1988 73 and of ACGP in 1979-80. He had served on a boards of the Texas Medical Foundation, ACGP KCOM's Alumni Association. He was chairman of Texas delegation of AOA House of Delegates for a years, chairman of the Texas College of Osteopall Medicine's admissions committee for four years served on the AOA Bureau of Professional Education for four years, as well as numerous other state 11 national committees.

Dr. Haman is survived by his wife Carolyn, Robert and David, a graduate of TCOM; and daught Becky. The family asked that memorials in his no be made to either TCOM or KCOM.A

# Update on Mosquito Surveillance Program

By Robert Bernstein, M.D., Commissioner Texas Department of Health

ecent deluges of rain are program a buzzing in the ears of ge segment of the Texas resisas the mosquito population odes.

ais rapid mosquito buildup also atting increasing emphasis on Texas Department of Health (1) Mosquito-Borne Encephaliurveillance Program.

ncephalitis is spread by the bite in infected mosquito and is a er threat statewide during the ener months, particularly in the ence of heavy rainfall.

>xas offers an ideal environment ncephalitis because of its large population which can become ted with the virus, and because it is on the flyways of migratory birds.

Through the mosquito surveillance program, the incidence of the disease has been reduced in Texas.

So far this year no human cases of the mosquito-borne encephalitis have been found, but last year in Texas 18 cases of St. Louis and four cases of Western Equine Encephalitis were reported.

The surveillance network begins operating in the spring. "Each week the Department's Bureau of Laboratories receives shipments of mosquitos, as well as blood samples from sentinel chicken flocks, wild birds, and sometimes from wild and domestic animals," says Paul V.

Fournier, a microbiologist in the TDH Laboratory in Austin.

To date, two isolates of St. Louis Encephalitis virus have been found in laboratory tests. Both were collected in late April from Sebastian and Lasara in Willacy County. Fournier said this is very early for such isolates to be found.

Mosquito collections are just beginning to increase this year, and through late May some 2,600 had been submitted for laboratory analysis. Most were taken from chicken coops, ditches, culverts, and marsh ponds.

Last year in Texas, 48,648 mosquito samples were received at the TDH Laboratory.

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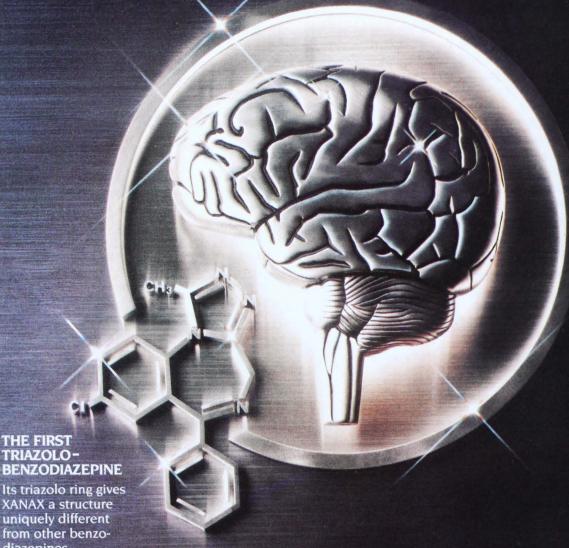
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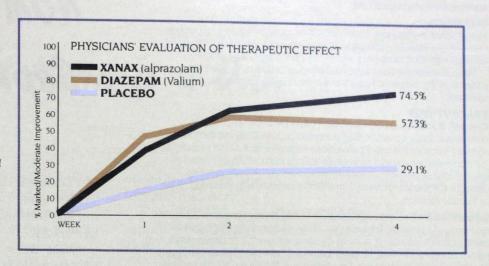
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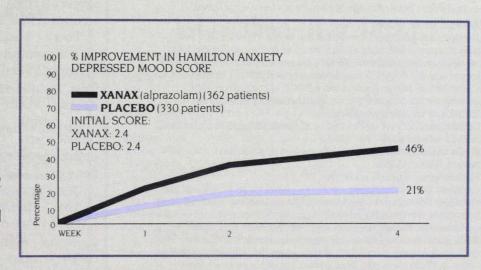


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#### CONTRAINDICATIONS

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Benzodiazepines can cause fetal harm in pregnant women. Warn patients of the potential hazard to the fetus. Avoid during the first trimester

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

General: If XANAX is combined with other psychotropics or anticonvulsant drugs, consider drug potentiation (see Drug Interaction section). Exercise the usual precautions regarding size of the prescription for depressed or suicidal patients. In elderly and debilitated patients, use the lowest possible dosage (see Dosage and Administration). Observe the usual precautions in treating patients with impaired renal or hepatic function.

Information for Patients: Alert patients about (a) consumption of alcohol and drugs.(b) possible fetal abnormalities.(c) operating machinery or driving (d) not increasing dose of the drug due to risk of dependence, (e) not stopping the drug abruptly. Laboratory Tests: Not ordinarily required in otherwise healthy patients. Drug Interactions: Additive CNS depressant effects with other psychotropics, anticonvulsants, antihistamines, ethanol and other CNS depressants. Pharmacokinetic interactions with benzodiazepines have been reported. Drug/Laboratory Test Interactions: No consistent pattern for a specific drug or specific test. Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility: No carcinogenic potential or impairment of fertility in rats. Pregnancy: See Warnings. Nonteratogenic Effects: The child born of a mother on benzodiazepines may be at some risk for withdrawal symptoms and neonatal flaccidity. Labor and Delivery: No established use. Nursing Mothers: Benzodiazepines are excreted in human milk. Women on XANAX should not nurse. Pediatric Use: Safety and effectiveness in children below the age of 18 have not been established.

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Side effects are generally observed at the beginning of therapy and usually disappear with continued medication. In the usual patient, the most frequent side effects are likely to be an extension of the pharmacological activity of XANAX, e.g., drowsiness or lightheadedness.

Central Nervous System: Drowsiness, lightheadedness, depression, headache, confusion, insomnia, nervousness, syncope, dizziness, akathisia, and tiredness/sleepiness.

Gastrointestinal: Dry mouth, constipation, diarrhea, nausea/vomiting, and increased salivation.

Cardiovascular: Tachycardia/palpitations, and hypotension.

Sensory: Blurred vision.

Musculoskeletal: Rigidity and tremor.

Cutaneous: Dermatitis/allergy.

Other Side Effects: Nasal congestion, weight gain, and weight loss. In addition, the following adverse events have been reported with the use of anxiolytic benzodiazepines: dystonia, irritability, concentration difficulties, anorexia, loss of coordination, fatigue, sedation, slurred speech, jaundice, musculoskeletal weakness, pruritus, diplopia, dysarthria, changes in libido, menstrual irregularities, incontinence and urinary

Paradoxical reactions such as stimulation, agitation, increased muscle spasticity, sleep disturbances, and hallucinations may occur. Should these occur, discontinue the drug.

During prolonged treatment periodic blood counts, urinalysis, and blood chemistry analyses are advisable. Minor EEG changes, of unknown significance, have been observed.

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The American Osteopathic Hospital Association (AOHA) is offering a variety of NOM Week motional materials, including T-shirts for newhork children and adults, baby bibs, bumper sticked buttons, tray cards, envelope enclosures and band dispensers. Utilizing an attractive bright green white color scheme, the promotional materials for on the themes: "Health for the Whole Family" "Discover the Difference! Osteopathic Medical For more details, contact Molly Lane at AON

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You may even think an osteopathic physician is someone to see only when you have a problem with your bones or back.

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Osteopathic physicians perform surgery, deliver babies, treat patients and prescribe medicine in hospitals and offices across the country, and in all branches of the armed services. And these D.O. general practitioners, surgeons and other specialists use all the tools of modern medicine to detect and treat disease.

But they also do more. They are specially trained to perform osteopathic manipulation. That's a technique in which osteopathic physicians use their hands to diagnose illness and treat patients. They pay particular attention to your joints, bones, muscles and nerves. As a result of manipulation, your circulation is often improved. And a normal blood and nerve supply help your body to heal itself.

Osteopathic physicians treat patients in a special way too. They look at the whole person, not just the part that is sick, such as your arm or leg. They are concerned about all of you.

They know that what happens in one part of your body affects other parts too. That's why most D.O.'s are family doctors. They care for the whole person.

So, now you know. D.O.'s are complete doctors who offer their patients something extra. And who treat them in a special way.

# District Communiqués

By H. George Grainger, D.O. District III

Chuck and Reva Ogilvie spent close to a fort-night in London in early April where Chuck spoke before an international group of Sports Medicine Physicians. His lecture had the novel title, "Sports Medicine".

Marathoner Ogilvie, it so happened, followed world class sprinter Roger Bannister, on the program. Naturally. Who would expect a glorified jogger to come in ahead of a once world champion hundred-vard-dasher.

Between lectures, Chuck took in the famous London Gillette Marathon. He's still awaiting the results on the 65 and older group. He says he doesn't think it was a very close shave.

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Well, the Dee-three picnic at the Ogilvie's ranch referred to in the May-June issue and the pluperfect or some such tense, came off without a hitch. The addition of youth in the form of TCOM sophomores, their wives and off-spring, really added a lot of zest. At the continuing volley ball game, amiable David Norris, 18 years out of Kirksville, held up surprisingly well amid the lithe and lively bodies of those undergraduate volley-ballers.

Over 100 folks were there. Imprecisely, 103 partook of the outing in one or more of its many activities (swimming, fishing, eating, paddle-boating, loafing and learning from speaker Breckenridge what to take for a pain in the chest).

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Was Andrew Taylor Still ever a D.O.? That was the question this column asked earlier this year. Following some enlightening correspondence with Brownsville's retired surgeon, Grover Stukey, D.O. your correspondent received a photocopy of the minutes of the 1897 ASO Board from KCOM's Jane Denslow. Heading the list of 25 "former graduates" was that of A. T. Still, who were voted to receive "new diplomas". Interestingly, seven other Stills were listed as recipients including Harry, S. S., and Blanche, whom some oldtimers will still remember. Seven other famous osteopathic names were also listed; C. E. Hullette, Carl P. McConnell, A. G. Hildreth, whose text books along with Stills' are collectors items. One M.D. was voted the D.O. degree, the famous, Dr. William Smith, who was on the founding faculty.

Then there was M. W. Bailey, who evidently had a little trouble getting his D.O. He was one of four students who were to be graduated from ASO on the condition that they complete their 20 month attendance and pass examination on the subjects which they had failed.

We mention Bailey for the brief contact we had with him when we came to Texas and took over his office practice in Waco for a few months back in late 1929 and early 1930. Charismatic tobacco chewing, "Marvelous Bailey" as he was often called, evidently had passed his exams and went on to uphold the osteopathic tradition in the early days.

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So much for the June 22, 18 minutes of the ASO Board. And Taylor Still got a belated D.O. gree. Our not ever having seen signature with a D.O. or even M.D. appended, it occurs to us our revered founder ever get earned M.D.? (and by earned mean in the classic institute way). Perhaps friend Grover State could help out on this one.

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GRAINGERGRAM: Until Christ Barnard, everyone was born had a heart with a life-time guard

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The Anton Lesters (St. Angels. As such they will flown to New York City June to attend the premier production that goes by the of "Superman III". The I share their investment with a half dozen other angelic Tyl Who knows? Maybe we'll soon in the movies as a see the Return of What's-her-name

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We have been hearing a lacently about all things that been upsetting our ecology balance of nature, indeed own physiology: contaminate air, medicine as well as food garding food, here is what he ed within about a month this in your correspondent's expensive.

A young man came in nausea, vomiting along with rhea. Well, what is so unusual Well, the unusual thing was history: the night before, he opened a jar of one of those lar brands of dill pickles, ate and then drank a couple big of the juice. It tasted so he decided to have another before going to bed. When eached in with his fingers he sht out another juicy pickle. kled mouse.

ain, Sandra, my beautiful nurse, one day was enjoying of those delectable candy Eggs — the kind with the sugary marshmallow centers — she came upon, also enjoying filling, a little long black my bug. Then when it was en open further what do you there was its voracious little. The odd thing, the candy egg come from the store all wrapand sealed in cellophane.

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Russell Bunn and Earl Kinzie are distinguished members from District III of TCOM's President's Council, a flyer says. Rodney Wiseman, Ron Sherbert and Bill Clark, it so happens, represent the rest of us in the college's prestigious Century Club.

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GRAINGERGRAM: Most cars will smash up on sufficient impact, but only a Mercedes-Benz.

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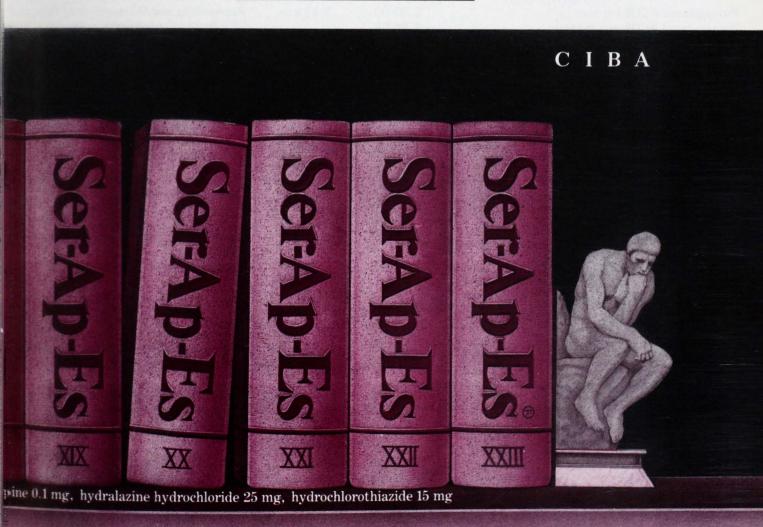
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# TOMA Begins New

# Placement Program

TOMA is soon to begin, in conjunction with the AOA, a reorganization of our Physician Placement Program. To maximize our efforts, TOMA will be contacting D.O.s, Chambers of Commerce and local communities in Texas to identify open practice locations.

If you know of an area or town that is in need of a D.O., please contact the TOMA office at 800-772-5993.



# 10th Midyear '26th Annual' Clinical Seminar and Symposium

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	FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1983		7:00 a.m.	Registration
(CME Hours: 8)			8:00 a.m.	"Manipulative Approaches: Rationales for Their Use"
	Registration Fee			Anthony G. Chila, D.O., Athens, OH
Pre-registered At-the-Door	I ACGP member: I ACGP non-member ACGP member:	\$ 65.00 \$ 90.00 \$ 75.00	8:30 a.m.	"Recognition and Management of Pulmonn Embolism for the G.P." Nanette K. Wenger, M.D., Atlanta GA
Dinner Guest	ACGP non-member: : ACGP member: : ACGP non-member:	\$100.00 \$ 35.00 \$ 40.00	9:10 a.m.	"Shock: An Office Approach" Thomas J. Petinga, Jr., D.O., Detroit, MI
			9:50 a.m.	"Management of the Bleeding G.I. Patient" Charles Richardson, M.D., Dallas, TX
12:00 p,m.	Registration		10:20 a.m.	Round table discussion
1:00 p.m.	"Tutorial: Manipulative Management o Myofascial Problems" Paul E. Kimberly, D.O., St. Petersburg,		10:30 a.m.	"Recognition of the Septic Patient, An Outpatient Problem" Charles A. Kallick, M.D., Chicago, IL
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6:00 p.m.	Free Time		11:10 a.m.	"Osteopathic Considerations in General Process"
7:00 p.m.	Colloquy & Steak 'n Tail Dinner "Special Issues in Sports Medicine"			Anthony G. Chila, D.O., Athens, OH
	Keith D. Peterson, D.O., Seattle, WA		11:50 a.m.	Round table discussion
			12:00 noon	Lunch
			12:30 p.m.	"Considerations for Your Travel Patients" Edward H. Yob, D.O., Washington, D.C.
SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 1983		1.15		
	(CME Hours: 9)		1:15 p.m.	"New Ideas in Diuretic Therapy" Theodore W. Rooney, D.O., Des Moines, IA
Reg	gistration Fee for Saturday & Sunda	ay	1:45 p.m.	"Depression"
	d ACGP member:	\$150.00		Edmond Settle, M.D., & Gina Settle, M.D. West Virginia
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	ACGP member: ACGP non-member:	\$165.00 \$215.00	2:15 p.m.	"Beta Blockers" Theodore W. Rooney, D.O., Des Moines, IA

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.m. Round table discussion

.m. "ACE Inhibition in Management of CHF and Hypertension" Robert J. Chilton, D.O., San Antonio, TX

m. "Office Management of Angina with Calcium Blockers" Felix J. Rogers, D.O., Trenton, MI

"Transdermal Approach to Angina"
Curtis Black, Ph.D., Lafayette, IN

.m. "Hypertension in the Renal Patient"
Jack O. Gratch, D.O., Fort Worth, TX

m. Round table discussion

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 1983 (CME Hours: 7)

Registration

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Texas State Society ACGP Breakfast

m. "Your Office Management Problems — A Real Dilemma"

Jim Griffey, Dallas, TX

m. "Is Your Patient Really Healthy?"

m. "Update on Arthritis for the G.P."
Allen H. Morton, D.O., Warren, MI

m. William Sutker, M.D., Dallas, TX

m. Round table discussion

.m. "Update 1983: Infectious Diseases" Jerry D. Smilack, M.D., Dallas, TX

"Update 1983: Gastrointestinal Diseases"

m. "Dermatology for the G.P., Common Topics"
Alan Menter, M.D., Dallas, TX

.m. "Controversies in Management of Mild Hypertension" Michael Cressman, D.O., Cleveland, OH

Round table discussion

"Senility, the Diagnostic Wastebasket"
Charles D. Buckholtz, D.O., Fort Worth, TX

"Applications for Office Tympanograms — If You Are Not Doing Them, You Should Be" Royce Keilers, D.O., LaGrange, TX

"Organizational Management & Planning of CME Programs, or: Do You Really Want to be a Program Chairman?" R. Greg Maul, D.O., Arlington, TX Douglas R. Sharp, D.O., Mesquite, TX

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# Open Letter to TOMA Members

Dear TOMA Members:

The 68th Legislative session was a success thanks to the efforts of many people. First of all the Legislators, who sponsored, supported and voted for the bills our association supported.

Secondly, TOMA staff and the staff of Bill Clayton's Capital Consultants, who spent many, if not countless hours walking the halls of the Capital talking to each and every legislator asking for their support.

Finally and most importantly, to you my associates, for the time you took from your practice to make the contact with your legislators on behalf of all the D.O.s throughout Texas.

Each year TOMA moves forward. We all celebrated in the victories of the 67th Legislature; three D.O.s on the Board of Medical Examiners and the opening of public hospitals throughout Texas.

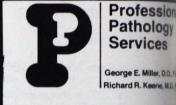
Now it is time to enjoy the new "fruits of our labors." After six years of effort, we accomplished our goal of requiring that the President and Chief Administrative Officer of TCOM must be a D.O.

Another change in Texas law came with the passage of SB 635, adding private hospitals, institu-

tions or programs to the public facilities that cannot do inate against D.O.s in

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# Letters

Tex and staff:

ank you for the outstanding arations you contributed to the ention in Fort Worth. Everywas delightful.

thout each and everyone of it would never have been the ss it was.

gain, many thanks for your efforts.

In appreciation, Mrs. Chester J. (Chris) Godell OMA Corresponding Secretary

Tex:

hat a pleasant surprise! Thanks much for the picture. That's a thoughtful thing to do. I we appreciate the nice things and your staff do for us all. In lots of groups and they all a long way to go to treat us ce as you do!

Thanks much! Inez Suderman Past President ATOMA

Dr. Maul:

hank you so much for the ciation's beautiful spray of red ations in memory of my hus
1, Bob. Your thoughtfulness is bly appreciated and helps to the pain involved in parting though I realize that Bob is our Lord in Heaven experiencteal life.

hank you again for your kind-

Sincerely, Gail Brown (Mrs. Robert R. Brown) Dear Sirs:

I wish to thank the TOMA House of Delegates, William R. Jenkins, D.O., president, T. Eugene Zachary, D.O., speaker, and Tex Roberts, executive director, for conferring the award of life membership upon me, May 4, 1983. I sincerely appreciate this and associated privileges.

John F. Falk, D.O.

Dear Tex:

Working with you and Danny this session was a real pleasure, and I'm very pleased about the success of our physician discrimination bill. Please don't hesitate to call on us whenever we can be of assistance to you in any way.

Chet Brooks State Senator

Dear TOMA:

The flowers you sent in Bob's memory were lovely and your thoughtfulness and concern have meant so very much and will always be remembered. He loved his profession very much.

Gratefully, Carolyn Haman and Family

# Military Could Sue Under New Bill

Active duty military personnel would be allowed to sue for medical malpractice that occurs in military hospitals under a bill that recently was introduced in Congress.

The proposed legislation would allow them to file personal injury complaints against the government, and if not satisfied with the result, to file suit in federal court.

Under the Federal Tort Claims Act, only military dependents and retirees now are allowed such rights.

The bill allowing the suits was introduced by Rep. Jim McNulty (D-Ariz.) and has been referred to the House Judiciary Committee.



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