

pathic philosophy, principles and practice; GERHART SMITH, president of the Student Government Association and LARRY PRICE, SGA secretary. DR. ENGLISH presented sessions on "Follow-up of Severe Sports Injury" and "Rehabilitation of Shoulder Injury". DR. CARLTON is the current president of the American Academy of Osteopathy...DR. IRWIN SCHUSSLER, associate professor of psychiatry, was awarded \$100 for a paper he submitted to the certifying board at the AOA meeting...DR. KAMAN had an exhibit on sports medicine on display at the AOA convention...DR. RICHARD WRIGHT, associate professor of OPP&P, spoke to the River Oaks Lions Club Nov. 15 and presented the slide show "Osteopathic Medicine: An Alternative in Health Care"...DR. H. WILLIAM RANELLE, chairman of the Department of Ophthalmology, has authored an article on modern cataract surgery in the Nov./Dec. issue of Health magazine. The article was co-authored by JUDY ALTER, acting director of public information...DR. PETER KEYSER, assistant professor of microbiology, attended a meeting of the Board of Education and Training of the American Society for Microbiology Nov. 20 in Annapolis, Md...DR. THOMAS YORIO, assistant professor of pharmacology, has co-authored an article entitled "The Mode of Action of Bumetanide: Inhibition of Chloride Transport Across the Amphibian Cornea" in the Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics...DR. CHARLES OGILVIE, professor of radiology, spoke to the south campus of the Tarrant County Junior College Nov. 17 at a stop smoking clinic. He also spoke to the Social Security Office Dec. 1 on breast self-examination...DR. L.L. BUNNELL, chairman of the Department of General and Family Practice, has been elected president of the Organization of Chairmen of Departments of General and Family Practice, of Osteopathic Colleges. GERHART SMITH attended the AOA Committee on Post Doctoral Training Nov. 29 in Chicago. He is vice-president of the Council of Student Council Presidents.

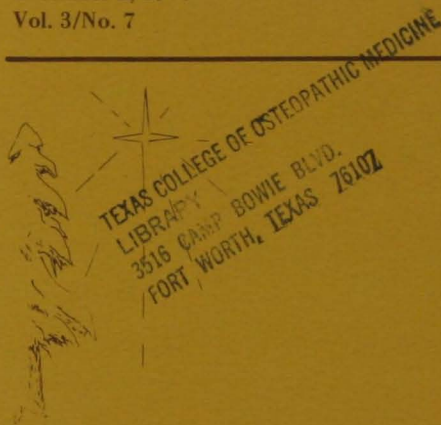
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Holiday party set for December 9

The Student Government Association will sponsor a Christmas party from 8 p.m. - midnight Dec. 9 at the Inn of Six Flags in Arlington. Music for the evening will be provided by the "First Crossing." Cost is \$10 per couple for students and \$20 per couple for faculty and staff. Included in the ticket cost will be an open bar for a limited number of drinks, a buffet supper and photographs of each couple. According to Irv Zeitler, SGA treasurer, letters regarding tickets will be sent to faculty and staff department heads and arrangements will be made through the departments.

FWOH sponsoring athletic seminar

The Fort Worth Osteopathic Hospital Department of General Practice and TCOM will jointly sponsor a seminar on "Athletic Injuries and the General Practitioners" Dec. 3 (Saturday). Scheduled from 11:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m., the seminar will be held in the FWOH Doctor's Dining Room.

TCOM personnel participating in the program will be Drs. S.R. Briney, Wayne English, Thomas Turner, William Hinsberg and Myron Glickfeld.

Among the topics to be discussed are radiology as related to athletic injuries, ankle, knee, neck, back and shoulder injuries, taping and taping techniques and psychological aspects of athletic injuries in adolescents.

Registration fee is \$10 for physicians. No registration fee will be required for students, interns, residents, nurses and athletic trainers, but they are asked to register. For more information contact the Office of Medical Education at FWOH, 731-4311, ext. 237.

Seven hours of Continuing Medical Education credits have been applied for in category IA of the American Osteopathic Association, and the American College of General Practitioners. CME credit has also been applied for from the American Medical Association.

Regents approve Med Ed II site

The North Texas State University Board of Regents met in special session Nov. 17 at the Airport Marina and voted to build Phase II of TCOM within the presently approved site boundaries at Camp Bowie and Montgomery, provided adequate land and funds are available. The regents serve as the governing body for TCOM.

Phase II of TCOM's campus consists of Medical Education Building II, which was authorized by the last Texas Legislature. The basic science building, which is in the planning phase, will a \$15.5 million structure near the college's \$12.4 million clinical science building now under construction.

Following the meeting, Dr. Ralph L. Willard, dean, said, "I'm pleased with the action of the Board of Regents. It will enable us to move forward and continue building a first class professional college of osteopathic medicine. The decision's logical and will permit us to grow in the most educationally sound and cost effective manner. The most important beneficiaries of today's decision are the people of Texas who our graduates will serve in years to come."

By unanimous vote, the board also adopted a statement of policy which states that NTSU and TCOM will be operated as sister institutions under the governance of the Board of Regents and the administration of President C.C. Nolen.

Among the other items the statement directs are that:

*all sites utilized for osteopathic

medical education or for any other health care professions which are or may be brought under the regents shall be designated and referred to as a "North Texas State University Health Sciences Center";

*campus graphics at TCOM site or sites shall be identified as "North Texas State University Health Sciences Center/Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine" with the correct abbreviated form to be NTSU/TCOM.

In action dealing with personnel, the regents approved Mary McAnally as supervisor for the Medical Services Research and Development Plan and approved Dr. Merritt Winchester as a science associate II in the Department of Biochemistry. Ms. McAnally received a bachelor of arts degree in business administration in 1950 from Texas Tech and has worked as office manager and bookkeeper for Motheral Printing Company and Shannon, Gracey, Ratliff & Miller. Dr. Winchester received a bachelor of science, master of science and doctor's degrees in organic chemistry from Clarkson College of Technology in Potsdam, N.Y. He has worked for Ethicon, Inc., a Johnson & Johnson Co., and was on the faculty of Clarkson College.

OPP&P opens clinic

The Department of Osteopathic Philosophy, Principles and Practice announces the opening of Osteopathic Consultants of Fort Worth. The facility will offer consultation, diagnosis and treatment services with emphasis in the area of somatic dysfunction. Located at the River Plaza Campus Center, the clinic staff include Drs. John Harakal, Marion E. Coy, Richard Wright and Clinton Burns.

Special rates have been established with faculty and students receiving a 50 percent discount and staff receiving a 25 percent discount. Insurance, where applicable, will be filed on your behalf. For appointments contact Lynda Rigsby at 338-9011.

'Get Fit' program set at FWOH

If you are worried about what upcoming holiday food and drink is going to do to your figure, join the Fort Worth Osteopathic Hospital Get Fit Program. Scheduled for each Monday and Friday

through December, the program will feature an hour of exercises. The exercises will be led by various FWOH personnel and will be held from noon to 1 p.m. in the inservice classroom on the fourth floor. If you can't go for the full hour, go for 15 minutes, 30 minutes or for as long as you can. Carol White, director of community relations, said the exercise program is a come and go affair.

Final exams begin December 15

In preparation for final exams the last day of classes for the first, second and third-year students will be Dec. 9 (Friday). Final examinations will begin Dec. 15 and continue through Dec. 21. Final grade reports will be due in the Office of the Registrar no later than 5 p.m., Dec. 22. Earlene McElroy, registrar, said she would like to encourage all faculty members to turn in their grades as soon as possible after the exams are taken. "We will be sending the students their final grades before the first of the year, so we need all the grades in as soon as possible," she said. Listed below is the final exam schedule for the first three classes.

FIRST YEAR

Dec. 15, 8 a.m.	-	biochemistry
Dec. 16, 8 a.m.	-	OPP&P
1 p.m.	-	OPP&P
Dec. 19, 9 a.m.	-	gross anatomy
Dec. 20, 1 p.m.	-	histology
Dec. 21, 9 a.m.	-	embryology

SECOND YEAR

Dec. 15, 8 a.m.	-	forensic pathology
2 p.m.	-	radiology
Dec. 16, 8 a.m.	-	physical examination
1 p.m.	-	physiology
Dec. 19, 8 a.m.	-	physical diagnosis
1 p.m.	-	microbiology
Dec. 20, 10 a.m.	-	pathology
1 p.m.	-	pharmacology
Dec. 21, 8 a.m.	-	OPP&P
1 p.m.	-	OPP&P

THIRD YEAR

Dec. 15, 8 a.m.	-	surgery
1 p.m.	-	ophthalmology
Dec. 16, 9 a.m.	-	dermatology
2 p.m.	-	medical jurisprudence
Dec. 19, 8 a.m.	-	OB-GYN
1 p.m.	-	nephrology
Dec. 20, 8 a.m.	-	OPP&P
1 p.m.	-	cardiology
Dec. 21, 8 a.m.	-	otorhinolaryngology
1 p.m.	-	neurosciences

TOMA Auxiliary awards scholarship

The Auxiliary to District II of the Texas Osteopathic Medical Association recently presented Dr. Ralph L. Willard, dean, with a gift of \$1,000 to be used for a scholarship fund. The money represents the proceeds from the antique show and sale the Auxiliary sponsored last month at the Roundup Inn. Requirements for awarding the scholarship have not yet been established.

People, places, things

L.L. LARUE, associate dean for administration; JERE PEDERSON, business manager; DR. ROBERT KAMAN, assistant professor of biochemistry; and KYLE DEMLER, fourth-year student all participated in the Dallas YMCA Turkey Trot Nov. 24 at White Rock Lake. Approximately 1400 persons ran in the race...DR. RALPH L. WILLARD, dean was named chairperson of a Task Force on Special Opportunities for Disadvantaged Students. He was also named member-at-large to the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine...DR. J. WARREN ANDERSON, assistant dean for medical education, will represent TCOM on an AOA advisory committee on faculty development. Also named to the committee from TCOM and representing the Association of Osteopathic Directors of Medical Education is DR. GEORGE M. ESSELMAN, director of the Dallas Consortium.

TCOM personnel not previously reported attending the AOA convention Nov. 6-10 in Atlanta were DR. WAYNE ENGLISH, chairman of the Department of Rehabilitation Medicine; DR. CATHERINE KENNEY CARLTON, clinical professor of osteo-