



alumni newsletter

119th Annual Alumni Meeting



Dr. Clifford G. Neill '46 of Carbondale, Ill. welcomes alumni to the annual luncheon and business meeting of the WU Dental Alumni Association. Dr. Neill, winding up his one-year term as Association president, presided over the Association's annual meeting, held on September 14 at the Omni International Hotel in the new St. Louis Union Station.

Several hundred alumni of our School, along with members of their families gathered in St. Louis the weekend of September 13-14 for the 119th annual meeting of our Dental Alumni Association. The alumni activities were centered at the brand-new Omni International Hotel at the fabulous, just-opened St. Louis Station. The alumni meeting is scheduled each year to coincide with the annual Mid-Continent Dental Congress, sponsored by the Dental Society of Greater St. Louis.

Primary activities for the dental alumni included a meeting of the alumni association board of directors on the morning of Sept. 14, a luncheon, annual business meeting of the association and a report to the alumni by Dean Selfridge and other School administrators at noon, and the festive

annual banquet in the evening . . . all at the Omni. Highlights of the banquet included the honoring of the 50-year reunion class of 1935 and the 25-year reunion class of 1960, the presentation of the association's Distinguished Alumnus Award to Dr. Robert E. Bedell of the Class of 1944, and the installation of the association's officers for 1985-1986. Retiring President, Dr. Clifford G. Neill of Carbondale, Ill., was succeeded in that officer by Dr. Dee Pulsipher of St. Louis, a member of the School's Pedodontics faculty. Dr. Michael Brann of St. Louis became President-elect. The new Vice President is Dr. Sanford Wax of St. Louis County, who also heads the association's Big Brother Program for Senior and Junior students at the School. Dr. Joseph Laffler continues as Secretary/Treasurer of the association and Dr. Jack Gilster is Editor. Other activities in connection with the alumni included the annual Century Club cocktail party, held on the WU main campus on the evening of September 13, and a number of class dinners and reunions.

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Changing of the guard. Dr. Clifford G. Neill (right) turns the gavel of office of the Dental Alumni Association presidency over to his successor in the office, Dr. Dee Pulsipher '66 of St. Louis.

Dean's Message

The atmosphere around the School of Dental Medicine is charged with progress these days. Positive changes, physical improvements, and major achievements by faculty and students fill the air.

Our \$650,000 building addition is moving along despite some weather slowdowns. We expect occupancy in mid-January by the new Learning Resource Center and the student-patient services area. The rest of the new space will become occupied in phases over the next two years. Mention of this important addition brings to mind Dave Bensinger, our Executive Associate Dean, who has played so important a role in the planning and construction of this structure. Dave is recuperating rapidly and well from surgery in September. As I write this, he is visiting his office and looks very hearty. He expects to resume full-time duties at the School in January.

Two of our students brought us national attention at the ADA Annual Session in November. Richard Goldberg, a Sophomore from Phoenix, took First Prize in Basic Science and Research at the National Student Table Clinic Competition. We believe it's the first time a WU dental student has won such a first-place award. Rick's faculty adviser for his project was Dr. Samir El-Mofty. Much credit also is due Dr. Richard J. Smith, head of our Orthodontic Department, who is a staunch believer in student table clinics and has revived and coordinated such projects among our students.

Nick Salvati, our Senior Class president from Bell, Calif., won Third Prize in a national student competition for public health community service projects sponsored by the American Association of Public Health Dentists. Nick was greatly assisted in his project by Dr. Shirley Pierce of our faculty.

Dr. El-Mofty deserves credit on another count: he has become a

Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Surgery after passing the Board's certifying examination. And Dr. Smith is playing an increasing role in the School's administration. In addition to his major responsibility in Orthodontics, he has agreed to take the additional post of Assistant Dean for Advanced Education and Research.

Among recent significant additions to our faculty: Dr. Richard Coy has become Professor of Restorative Dentistry with us after serving as Assistant Dean at SIU's dental school. Dick is current President of the American Equilibration Society and is widely-known and respected in the profession. Dr. Jack Hurov, whose field is Anthropology, has joined our Department of Orthodontics and will provide a new dimension of research and teaching expertise in craniofacial development. Dr. Gregory Spackman has joined us to supervise undergraduate training in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery.

Recruiting is underway for a replacement for Dr. Arnold Kahn as Chairperson of the Department of Biomedical Sciences and Pathology. Dr. Kahn has moved to St. Louis University to head their pediatric research institute. Dr. Brian Clevinger is ably heading the department while a new chairperson is recruited and he also has been named permanent head of the Division of Cell Biology within the department.

Two of our several fine young research scientists — Drs. Rebecca German and Philip Osdoby — have been awarded major grants totaling more than \$600,000 from the National Institute for Dental Research and the National Institutes of Health. You may have read about their grants in the November issue of the ADA Journal.

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Class of '45 Reunion



The Class of 1945 had a great turnout at their fortieth reunion. Pictured here: Front row - Leonard Huber, Jr., Wheaton Cook, Margaret Toalson, Clifford Fujimoto and Ovid Slavin; Second row - Jack Neal, Stan Jolkovsky, Bob Hirschi, Troy Gray, Fred Dunnebacke, James Gaskins, Roger Hombs; Back row - Bill Klusmeier, Bob Smith, Bill Carter, George Webber, Tom Prosser, Harold Henrick, Paul Bey and Al Sferra.

(Dean's Message continued)

Mrs. Barbara Kahn, who did such splendid work for us as Director of Development the past few years, has resigned to move to Florida. We wish her a very happy life. Barbara has been replaced by Ms. Vicki Humphrey, who is very experienced in fund-raising and already is proving to be a most worthy successor.

We are enthused by the acceptance of the new Pediatric Dental Practice Facility at St. Louis Children's Hospital, which is staffed by members of our faculty assisted by our students. Providing dental care to both normal and medically-compromised children, the facility is enjoying a steady growth in patient service.

It is the nature of the education profession that each year we say farewell to graduating students who have become good friends and shortly thereafter we welcome their successors in the process. In May, we awarded dental degrees to almost 80 Seniors; in August, we welcomed the 63 members (47 men, 16 women) of our Class of 1989. To our newest alumni, we wish much good luck and happiness in their professional and personal lives.

Your Dental Alumni Association helped to open St. Louis's exciting new Union Station with the alumni annual meeting there in September. The unique setting helped make for one of our most interesting alumni reunions in recent years. My compliments to your alumni officers for their foresight and to Irv Litvag, the School's

Director of Special Projects, who worked closely with the alumni on the planning and execution of the meeting.

Irv also is coordinating our Continuing Education Program, which is offering some exciting weekend courses to keep you current in our ever-changing profession. The 1986 schedule will open on February 8 with a course by the famed Dr. Gordon Christensen. If you would like information on this course, contact Irv at the School.

Our School has become the prime adviser to the four civilian dental schools and the military dental institutes of the nation of Indonesia. Three of our senior faculty members — Drs. Charles Waldron, Richard Smith, and Allen Sclaroff — recently have visited Indonesia for two weeks of lectures and consultations and similar visits are scheduled for Associate Dean Richard Diemer, Dr. Sam Holroyd, and myself. We are proud of this relationship with a young, growing nation. It is good for the interests of the United States, as well as for our School.

Your alumni association's Big Brother Program, which brings interested alumni in contact with our students, has this year broadened its scope to include our Junior Class as well as the Seniors. The Big Brothers offer a series of interesting and helpful programs for our students to help them make the transition from student to dentist. My thanks to all the alumni who participate in this fine cause and particularly to Dr. Sanford Wax, Vice-President of the alumni association, who has worked very hard as Big Brother chairman for the last few years. It is a most worthy activity.

As the joyous days of Christmas and New Year draw near, I'd like to thank each of you for your continuing interest and loyal support. Our alumni loyalty and concern is one of the Dental School's proudest qualities and we are always grateful. To you and to yours, from all of us at the School, a very Merry Christmas, Happy Chanukah, and a wonderful, peaceful, and healthy 1986!

George D. Selfridge, Dean

Arthur Miller Honored

Arthur S. Miller, D.D.S., '59, professor and chairman of oral pathology, Temple University, School of Dentistry, has been named a recipient of the American Cancer Society's Volunteer Achievement Award by the ACS' Philadelphia Division.

Dr. Miller received the award Oct. 10 at the Society's annual awards dinner in recognition of "his years of leadership and outstanding contributions to the American Cancer Society."

Dr. Miller, Center City, has been a volunteer with the society since the late 1960s and has "run the gamut" in terms of committees and various positions, including a term on the Division's Board of Directors. Some of the committees on which he has served include public information, public education, service and rehabilitation, nominating, and volunteer development, among others.

His long standing association with the society "is a source of great pride for the Philadelphia Division."

Dr. Miller joined the Temple faculty in 1966 as an assistant professor of pathology. He was named full professor and chairman of the department in 1972.

He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Pathology.

Alumni News

Sincere apologies to Jack Hume, '34, Springfield, Mo., whose name was omitted from the list of dentists honored by the Missouri Dental Association for having been active in dentistry for 50 years and for having been members of the Association for at least 25 consecutive years. The news release sent only the names of dentists in Eastern Missouri.

Ken Kornblum, '63 has been elected President of the Missouri Academy of General Dentistry.

Lee Hill, '81, has donated two more new endodontic textbooks to the Sophomore Class, as a special tribute to Dr. Berry, Chairperson of that Department.

On September 28, 1985 Fred Garrett '58, '63, was the speaker for the Canadian Association of Orthodontists National Meeting in Ottawa, Canada. His topic was Comprehensive Adult Orthodontic Treatment and covered the following areas: 1. Non-extraction adult treatment mechanics; 2. Post TMJ therapy - orthodontic treatment; 3. Orthodontics and Orthognathic Surgery - Combination Treatment.

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Class of '60 Reunion



The four photographs on this page picture the 25th Anniversary Class of 1960 at the Alumni Dinner. From the left: Marshall Manne, Frank Raney, Bruce Lund, Dean Bowles, and Ivan Shiflet. Lest the wives be misidentified, only members of the class are listed.



Clockwise, from the left foreground: John Griffiee, Sam Holmes, Gerry Howell, Don Turner, O. E. Jones and Ken Hogan, members of the class.



Left to right: James Knott, Shepard Koken, the Dean, Jim McCune and Dick Jensen. Again only members of the class named.



Clockwise, from the left foreground: Stan Stegmiller, Don Buercklin, Erv Harder, Geoff Schroeder and John Keethler, class members only.

Alumni Meeting (Continued)

Reunion dinners were scheduled for the Classes of 1940, 1945, 1955, 1960, 1965, and 1975.

Among the special guests at the Saturday night alumni banquet were Dr. Samuel Guze, Washington U. Vice Chancellor for Medical Affairs, and Mrs. Guze, Mr. I. E. Millstone, emeritus member of the WU Board of Trustees and former chairman of the School of Dental Medicine Task Force, and Mrs. Millstone, Dean Herbert C. Butts of the Southern Illinois University Dental School and Mrs. Butts, Dr.

Norbert Hartenbach, Jr., President of the Dental Society of Greater St. Louis, and Mrs. Hartenbach, and Dr. William G. Albrecht, President of the Saint Louis University dental alumni, and Mrs. Albrecht.

Special recognition was given at Saturday's luncheon to 17 former presidents of the Dental Alumni Association, most of whom sat together at tables reserved for them. Another honored guest was Dr. Julius A. Walther of the School's Class of 1910. Dr. Walther is the oldest living graduate of our School.



The annual alumni meeting is always the occasion for happy reunions. Shown here at the Century Club cocktail party during the annual meeting were: (left to right) Dean G. D. Selfridge, Dr. Fred W. Schroeder '24, Dr. William Brandhorst '43, and Mrs. Emilie Brandhorst. Dr. Brandhorst is a nephew of Dr. Schroeder.

Boling Memorial Student Loan Fund

(Additions since August 1985)

Dr. Thomas J. Veraldi
Dr. Sidney G. Marlow
Mr. Donald R. Andrews
Dr. Wilson M. Baltz
Dr. Henry R. Dallam, Jr.
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Dr. Paul S. Meyer

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Dr. Leroy W. Peterson
Dr. & Mrs. John R. Ring
Dr. & Mrs. Harold L. Rosenthal
Dr. H. A. Sahl
Dr. Gunter Schmidt
Dr. Akiharu Shishidu
Dr. & Mrs. Joseph W. C. Young
Class of 1940



Representing the 50-year anniversary class of 1935 was Dr. Otto Hanser, Jr., who saluted his classmates and introduced those in attendance at the banquet.



Dr. Robert E. Bedell '44 of St. Louis (right) was honored with the Dental Alumni Association's "Distinguished Alumnus Award" for his devoted service to the School. Dr. Bedell is shown at the Century Club cocktail party with his wife Jane.

Class of '75 Reunion

The Class of '75 (March) had a very successful reunion dinner in the patio of a local restaurant. The members and their wives included some from afar — and many from near —



Richard Mooney and Richard Danyluck and wives



David Durham and David Nelson and wives



Dan Sullivan and Alan Kleiman and wives



T. K. Sullivan, Dick Smith and Don Richardson and wives



John Mayfield and Gamil Shaw and wives



Ted Moss and Jim Unger and wives



Glen Mueller and Randy Kleitz and wives



Charles Niesen and Paul Nativi and wives

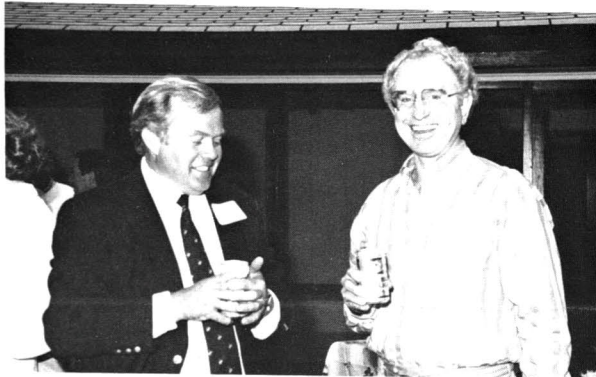
Class of '65 Reunion



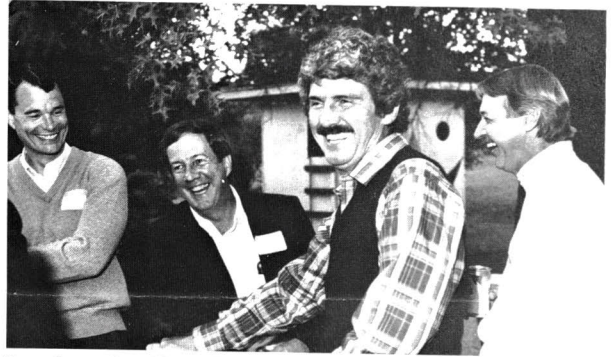
The Class of 1965 looked very dignified at the Alumni Dinner. The other pictures were taken at the more carefree get together around the pool at the Marvin Cohen home.



Host and hostess: Marvin and Charlotte Cohen.



Larry Mansell and Jim Hales share reminiscences at the pool party.



Some horseplay, like in the good old days: L. to R.: Dave Long, Dave Marshall, Bud Zellers and Bob Gill.



Dr. Joseph H. Laffler '61, Secretary-Treasurer of the Dental Alumni Association, gives his annual financial report at the business meeting on September 14. Dr. Laffler does yeoman service in keeping charge of the Association's financial records and watching over the organization's fiscal well-being.



Past Presidents of the Dental Alumni Association are seated together at the annual luncheon and business meeting and are individually recognized for their contributions to the Association. Shown here at their special table are the following Past Presidents (starting in the center foreground and moving clockwise around the table) Drs. Robert E. Bedell, John R. Neal, Thomas E. Prosser, III, Robert G. Hirschi, Erastus W. Foster Jr., Julius A. Walther (honored guest), Theodore A. Behrens, Graydon L. Ballard, E.C. (Barney) Brooks, and Earl E. Shepard.



During the festive banquet that concludes the annual meeting of the Dental Alumni Association, there is a traditional salute to the golden and silver anniversary classes. Here, Dr. Marshall Manne introduces his classmates from the 25-year class of 1960.

Students Win National Awards

Two of our students came away with major national prizes from the ADA Annual Session in San Francisco.

Richard I. Goldberg of the Sophomore Class took First Prize in Basic Science and Research at the National Student Table Clinic Competition, held November 3. Each U.S. dental school was represented by one student entrant in the competition. Richard's triumph was made known at a dinner, sponsored by Dentsply, attended by 350 people including the deans of more than 30 dental schools.

Richard presented his winning table clinic again on November 4 and was introduced on that evening at the ADA President's Dinner Dance. As a further consequence of his prize, Richard will be a guest of Dentsply and the ADA at the Chicago Mid-Winter Meeting. He won the trip to San Francisco and the honor of representing our School in the national competition by placing first in our School's table clinic competition last May 14. The title of his winning clinic was: "Protection of Irradiated Parotid Glands by Prostaglandin Synthesis Inhibitors." Richard's home is in Phoenix, Arizona.

Our warmest congratulations to Richard on the national recognition he has brought to himself and to our school and applause as well for Dr. Richard J. Smith, Chairperson of the Department of Orthodontics, who has revived and coordinated the School's student table clinic activities, and for Dr. Samir K. El-Moffy, Head of the Division of Pathology and Microbiology, who encouraged and counseled Richard with his research project.

Senior student Nick Salvati was the winner of Third Prize in the American Association of Public Health Dentists' National Student Competition for Public Health Community Service Projects. Nick was presented with his award, a plaque and a one-year membership in the AAPHD, at a dinner held November 1, at San Francisco's Holiday Inn Civic Center.

Nick won the prize for his "Neighborhood Assistance Program" which involved research on caries and periodontal problems in handicapped and medically compromised patients served in the Summer of 1983 by the School's former community service dental units. The study produced recommendations for preventive dentistry, patient education,

restorative dentistry, and corrective dentistry for such patients. A paper by Nick, based on his study, was published in *Dentistry* '85.

In his acceptance remarks at the dinner, Nick expressed his thanks to the School, Dean Selfridge, Dr. Shirley Pierce, who headed the former Department of Community & Preventive Dentistry, and Miss Harriett Steuernagel, Director of Career Counseling, for her guidance and assistance with the project.

Nick, who is President of our Senior Class, comes from Bell, Calif. Our congratulations to him also for this important national honor.

Richard Coy New Faculty Member

Dr. Richard E. Coy has joined our faculty as Professor of Restorative Dentistry, effective September 16. Dr. Coy was on duty on a 70% basis until December 1 and now is on full-time basis. Dr. Coy comes to us from the Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine, where he has been Assistant Dean for Clinical Affairs and Professor of Removable Prosthodontics. He has been a member of the SIU faculty since 1970 and previously was a full-time faculty member at the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine from 1962-1970. He received his dental degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1951 and later earned an M.S. degree in Prosthodontics from the same institution.

A member of OKU, Dr. Coy is a Diplomat of The American Board of Prosthodontics and is a Fellow of The American College of Dentists and The American College of Prosthodontics. He is a Past President of the Midwest Academy of Prosthodontics and is President (1985-1986) of The American Equilibration Society. He has served as Chairman of American Association of Dental Schools sections on Continuing Dental Education, Removable Prosthodontics, and the Administrative Board, Council of Sections. His recent research emphases have been on craniofacial abnormalities and cleft palate problems, the diagnosis and treatment of patients with TMJ dysfunction syndrome, and the use of portable electromyography in rendering patient care for craniomandibular disorders.



A highlight of the alumni luncheon and business meeting was the display of some of the student table clinics that were entered in a School-wide table-clinic competition in May. (One of those table clinics later took first prize in the national competition among all dental schools.) Shown here with their table clinic are Seniors Stephen Ludwig (left) and Michael Huey.

Faculty and School News

... Dr. Charles Johnson, a member of the Removable Prosthodontics faculty here since 1982 and former chairperson of that department, moved to Kansas City at the end of September to become Director of the Graduate Prosthodontics Program at the University of Missouri-Kansas City dental school.

... Dr. Michael K. ShROUT, Associate Clinician in Oral Diagnosis, received the prestigious Fellowship Award of the Academy of General Dentistry during the AGD's annual meeting, held in Detroit in late July. To earn a Fellowship Award, AGD members must complete more than 500 hours of continuing education within 10 years and pass a Fellowship examination. A 1975 graduate of our School, Dr. ShROUT is active in the Missouri Air National Guard as a standardization/evaluations communications officer.

... Dr. Donald V. Huebener, Associate Professor of Pediatric Dentistry at St. Louis Children's Hospital, is one of several contributing editors to a new text entitled "Comprehensive Care for Craniofacial Deformities" by Dr. Jeff Marsh, craniofacial plastic surgeon at Children's Hospital. Dr. Huebener and Dr. Marsh presented research papers related to cleft lip and palate and alveolar segment molding at the International Congress on Cleft Palate and Related Craniofacial Anomalies in Monte Carlo, Monaco, and Nice, France, during the first week of September. Some of the research described in the new textbook was presented at

the session in Monte Carlo. Dr. Huebener was also selected as one of 15 Fellows to attend a Legislative Workshop in Washington, D.C. in September. The workshop sponsored by the American Association of Dental Schools was designed to further interest in and understanding of issues in the health sciences arena. Dr. Huebener represented our School at the workshop and participated in meetings with the Missouri congressional delegation.

... Dr. James McGivney's knowledge of canine teeth came in handy recently when he was called to testify as an expert witness in a damage suit in St. Clair County (Ill.) Circuit Court. Dr. McGivney, Assistant Professor of Pathology and a well-known forensic odontologist, testified in a suit filed by a farmer who had lost hundreds of ducks, a few turkeys, and a prized celebrity goose named Charlie, allegedly to the teeth of a black Labrador retriever who lived nearby. The dog finally was shot by the angry farmer. Dr. McGivney testified that his examination of bite marks on Charlie and the other victims indicated that they had indeed been killed by the dog in question. Charlie, valued by his owner at over \$20,000, had been a family pet who also had appeared on TV and was a regular attraction at Soular Market, where his owners sell poultry and vegetables. His owner testified that he had spent thousands of hours training the goose, including housebreaking him. The court found for the plain-

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Letters to the Editor

Dr. Hamilton B. G. Robinson
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August 14, 1985
Dear Jack:

I received the Alumni Newsletter for the first time last week. Although I am not an alumnus, after spending seven years at the place I am interested in what is going on. The Alumni Newsletter is well done. Congratulations.

A copy of the Retired Dentists Club of Leisure World, Laguna Hills is enclosed with Washington University Alumni (and related) circled. We meet every Saturday for coffee and general discussion. Dentistry seems to be one of the lesser subjects.

Leisure World is a "Senior Citizens" Community with 21,000 residents. Recreation is a big thing here with 27 holes of golf, tennis courts, bowling greens, 5 swimming pools, stables, shuffleboard courts and exercise rooms all owned by the community. The average age is now 76 and the minimum age for new residents is 52 years. One purchases a home on admission, hence long term stays.

As you can see WU graduates are active in the retired dentists group. They also are active on the governing boards.

If you are out this way we would be glad to see you.

Regards,
Ham

Washington University Alumni
Members of the Retired Dentists
Club of Leisure World Laguna
Hills.

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Dr. Edwin M. Short, '38

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Laguna Hills, CA 92653

(Drs. Senn and Short are Past-
Presidents of the organization)

Dear Fellow Alumni:

I wish to express my deep appreciation to our Dental Alumni of Washington University for a wonderful dinner and alumni meeting. It was most inspiring to see so many old and familiar faces. The beautiful plaque you presented to me shall be a constant reminder of our great school.

Mrs. Osterkamp and I thank you for your kind invitation.

Best regards,
Roy W. Osterkamp



New Association president Dr. Dee Pulsipher (left) presents a past president's plaque to Dr. Roy W. Osterkamp, who headed the Association in 1946. Dean George D. Selfridge is the interested witness at right.



Another happy group at the Century Club cocktail party was composed of: (left to right) Dr. Erastus W. Foster, Jr. '50, a past president of the Dental Alumni Association, Dr. Charles T. Roberts, Sr. '40, Dean Selfridge, and Dr. Earl E. Shepard '31, also a past president. Sadly, Dr. Roberts passed away a few weeks after this occasion.



The alumni association's hospitality suite at the Omni International Hotel brought these pleased smiles from Anna Mae (Mrs. Graydon L.) Ballard (left) and Virginia (Mrs. Clifford G.) Neill. Both husbands are past presidents of the Association.



Obviously enjoying themselves in the alumni hospitality suite were Pat (Mrs. Joseph H.) Laffler (left) and her cousin Ms. Julie Deggen-dorf, a guest. Pat's husband is the esteemed Secretary-Treasurer of the Dental Alumni Association.

Alumni Deaths

Thomas R. McKemie '29
Forrest U. Broome '62
Frank E. Meyer '08
Fred N. Jones '44
John L. Sprengnether '38
Frederick A. Brueggemann '24
Jim H. Flint '51
Harold Nashban '48
Jon C. Allison '68
Grindon E. Leslie '38
Don R. King '53
David Tsunehiro, Sr. '31
Michael H. Zibby '38
Charles T. Roberts, Sr. '40

Dec. 12, 1984
Feb. 1985
June, 1985
July 11, 1985
July 18, 1985
Aug. 1, 1985
Aug. 15, 1985
Aug. 26, 1985
Oct. 21, 1985
Oct. 24, 1985
Oct. 30, 1985
Nov. 8, 1985
Nov. 23, 1985
Nov. 28, 1985

Jim B. Hales Forensic Dentist

Jim B. Hales '65 was recently the subject of an extensive article in the Dallas **Morning News**. Dr. Hales is one of only five Texans who are board-certified in forensic dentistry. He worked long hours helping identify the victims of the crash of Delta Airlines Flight 191 early in August. He has also been involved in several child-abuse and rape convictions when bite marks led to the identification of the criminals. Jim was quoted in the article as saying "During life, the mouth, particularly the teeth, are the most susceptible part of the body to change. In death, it's the reverse." And a large picture of Jim comparing radiographs of the victims with previous dental radiographs was a prominent part of the story.

Faculty News (Continued)

tiff and awarded him more than \$6,000 in damages.

... Dr. Jack R. Hurov joined our full-time faculty on October 1, as Assistant Professor and Research Associate in the Department of Orthodontics. He will lecture on cranio-facial growth and development to predoctoral students and will supervise the research projects of some post-doctoral students in Orthodontics.

He will help provide a link for the Department of Orthodontics between clinical and basic science research projects. Dr. Hurov also will hold an adjunct appointment as Assistant Professor of Anthropology at Washington U. and thus provide liaison between our School and research in his field on the main campus. Dr. Hurov received his bachelor's degree from the University of Saskatchewan in his native Canada and later earned master's and Ph.D. degrees in

Anthropology at the University of Texas. He spent a year as a post-doctoral fellow at The Museum of Comparative Zoology at Harvard University and for the past two years has been a postdoctoral fellow, research assistant, and instructor in the Department of Oral Biology at the University of Connecticut. He also served as an instructor at the latter institution in Human Anatomy and Orthodontics.

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New Freshman Class

The School's new Class of 1989 began its dental education on August 12 after completing a two-day program of orientation and registration. The Freshman Class includes 63 students, 47 male and 16 female. Sixteen members of the new class are married. California leads the way in the class geographical breakdown, with 15 representatives from that state. Missouri provided 12 class members, followed by Florida and Illinois with five each, Nevada with three, Hawaii with two, and one class member each from the states of Idaho, Indiana, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Ohio, South Dakota, Utah, and Washington. Other students came from Puerto Rico, Canada (two), Trinidad, Taiwan, and Iran.

Not in the Directory?

It has come to our attention recently that at least three alumni were inadvertently left out of the recent Alumni Directory. As printed in the last Newsletter, Dr. Greg Halls, '77, should be added to the directory at the following address: Dr. Gregory B. Halls, 700 Sunrise Avenue, Suite M, Roseville, CA 95678.

The others not included were Dr. David J. Davis, whose new address soon will be The Medical Towers Building, Woodrow Wilson Drive, Jackson Mississippi 39200. Also omitted was Dr. Randall Kleitz, 13589 Manchester, Ste. 101, St. Louis, Missouri 63131 (Home address: 673 Huntley Heights Drive, Manchester, Mo. 63021). Please add these to your directory. For most effective use, the name should be added in the alphabetical listing, in the class year listing (where the complete addresses appear), and in the geographical listing (under state and city).

Two of the above three omissions were discovered completely by accident. Therefore I urge you to write or call me or Mr. Litvag at the school and let us know if your name does not appear in the directory. And to be very clear on this, may I add that membership in the Association or being listed as a donor to the School is **not** necessary for listing. **EVERY ALUMNUS SHOULD BE IN THE DIRECTORY.**

J.E.G.

Faculty News (Continued)

... Dr. Teresa A. Salino-Hugg, new research associate for Dr. Osdoby in the Department of Biomedical Sciences and Pathology, is a familiar face here, having completed two years of graduate study in our Department of Orthodontics during the Summer. Before beginning work here toward her M.S. in Orthodontics, Dr. Salino-Hugg earned a D.D.S. at the University of Iowa in 1982. Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., she graduated from high school in Burlington, Iowa, before heading for college at the University of Iowa. She presently lives in South St. Louis with her husband, who is in the third year of a four year program leading to a Master of Architecture degree at WU. Dr. Salino-Hugg will do some teaching in undergraduate Orthodontics here and hopes in the future to practice Orthodontics on a part-time basis while continuing to do research in cell biology. Her spare-time interests include learning Italian, trying to keep up her proficiency in German, and working with computers.

... Among recent additions to our part-time faculty: Drs. Graydon Ballard, III (Endodontics), Tod S. Gulick (Dental Education), Christina M. Quigley (Endo-

odontics), and Jeffrey M. Snitzer (Periodontics).

... The new pediatric dental facility at St. Louis Children's Hospital was the subject of a lengthy feature article and photo in the July/August issue of **Health Views**, a publication of the Washington U. Medical Center. The facility is staffed by members of our School's faculty, led by Dr. Donald V. Huebener, Associate Professor of Pedodontics, who also serves as director of the Division of Pediatric Dentistry at Children's Hospital. He was shown in the photo, examining a young patient.

... Mrs. Natalie B. Simmons, Assistant Professor of Dental Education, addressed the annual meeting of the Multiple Sclerosis Society, Gateway Chapter at the Henry VIII Inn on October 12. Her topic was "Change, Challenge, Choice — Coping With M.S." Mrs. Simmons has been named Coordinator of this ongoing program, which helps M.S. patients and their families adjust to the various problems encountered by these patients. Last year, Mrs. Simmons was the recipient of the Gateway Chapter Client Service Award.

... The recently-published book **OPERATIVE DENTISTRY: MODERN THEORY AND**

PRACTICE by Drs. Mohamed Marzouk, Andrew Simonton, and Ronald Gross of our faculty was the beneficiary of a glowing review in the September issue of the **Journal of the American Dental Association**. The review by Dr. Wallace Johnson, Head of the Department of Operative Dentistry, University of Iowa College of Dentistry, said in part: "At a time when some areas of Operative Dentistry are changing so rapidly, the authors of this textbook have done remarkably well to present an informative treatise that is up-to-date and appropriate for the modern practice of dentistry."

... Dr. Charles D. Fuszner '81, of the Department of Restorative Dentistry has also been appointed Assistant Professor in the Department of Dental Technology at Mineral Area College in Flat River, Mo. Dr. Fuszner is visiting the Mineral Area College one day per week to teach dental assisting students in classes in dental science and dental anatomy. Dr. Fuszner has been active for several years in the education of dental auxiliaries and also holds faculty positions at Forest Park Community College, where he currently teaches pharmacology to second-year dental hygiene
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Dr. Kahn Joins

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Dean Selfridge has announced that Dr. A.J. Kahn, Assistant Dean for Biomedical Science and Pathology and Professor of Cell Biology, has tendered his resignation as a member of the School's faculty. Dr. Kahn, who joined the faculty here in 1973, has become Director of the Pediatric Research Institute at Cardinal Glennon Hospital and Saint Louis University. He completed his teaching assignments at our School during the Fall Semester and hopes to maintain research ties here in the future.

Dr. Kahn issued the following statement: "I have been at Washington University for 16 years and at the School of Dental Medicine for 12 years. Over this period of time, I have served in various different capacities and developed many friendships and fond memories. Thus it is with very mixed emotions that I leave this institution. However, in departing, I would like to invite all of you to visit me at my new professional home and to wish you the best of luck for the future."

students, and at Meramec Community College, where he lectures to students in dental assisting and dental laboratory technology.

... Our School's chapter of the American Student Dental Association proudly reports that as of mid-September, 88.3% of the School's students had become affiliated with ASDA. All four classes posted very high membership percentages, with the Seniors leading the way with 90% affiliation. The two delegates chosen to represent our School at the ASDA House of Delegates are Junior Mark A. Singer and Sophomore Byron Carr. Other ASDA representatives are Freshman Gregory Jorgensen and Seniors Shirley Soppet, Gary Lines, and Paul Schwartzman ... Membership in the ASDA automatically enrolls the student as a student member of the American Dental Association. Benefits of membership include a \$25,000 life insurance policy and subscriptions to several publications. Another major incentive for ASDA membership is a reduction in ADA dues after graduation. The local chapter of ASDA annually sponsors the get-acquainted luncheon for new Freshmen during Freshman Orientation.

... We welcome Dr. Akira Yamaguchi, who has been appointed Visiting Research Assistant Professor in the Cell Biology area of the Department of Biomedical Sciences and Pathology. Dr. Yamaguchi received his D.D.S. in 1974 Tokyo Dental College in his native Japan and later earned a Ph.D. degree in Oral Pathology at the School of Dentistry of Showa University in Tokyo. He is the author or co-author of scientific papers published in the *Journal of Oral Pathology*, the *Bulletin of Tokyo Medical and Dental University*, the *Journal of the Showa University Dental Society*, and *Cell Tissue Research*.

... A warm welcome also to two new members of the School's part-time faculty: Dr. Richard J. Nissen is Instructor of Orthodontics and Dr. Herbert A. Tabor is Assistant Professor of Restorative Dentistry.

... Dr. Koren Ikeda, Fellow in Restorative Dentistry and member of our Class of 1985 performed the golfer's dream feat October 20 — a hole-in-one on the Par 3, 135 yard eighth hole at Crescent Country Club in St. Louis County. The excited eyewitnesses to the achievement were fellow golfers Dr. Ed Brungard, Dr. Gil Hart, and School photographer Ed Gill.

... Dr. Samir K. El-Mofty, Head of the Division of Pathology and Microbiology, recently passed the certifying examination of the American Board of Oral Pathology and now is a Diplomate of the Board.

... Congratulations to the following members of our faculty, who have been re-appointed by the Missouri Dental Board to specialty examining committees for 1986: Dr. Charles A. Waldron, Oral Pathology; Dr. John E. Gilster, Pedodontics; Dr. Harold R. Schreiber (Chairman) and Dr. Marshall S. Manne, Periodontics; Dr. Samuel E. Guyer (Chairman), Prosthodontics.

... A warm welcome to Dr. Gordon A. Ireland, who has been named Visiting Assistant Professor of Clinical Pharmacology in the Department of Periodontics.



An honored guest at the alumni association's luncheon and business meeting was Dr. J.A. Walther of the Class of 1910. Dr. Walther, a St. Louis resident, is the School's oldest living graduate.

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The following names represent continuous generations of the same family to attend Missouri Dental College and Washington University School of Dental Medicine.

	Graduation Date
1) Alonzo De Calvas Bull	1856
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3) Alonzo William Bull	1896
Harry Rue	1898
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5) Barclay Wycoff	1926
Gordon Alonzo Smith	1928
Franklin Rue Smith	1929
Edward H. Hunter, Jr.	1941
Frederick Rue Smith	1963
7) Catherine Joan Smith	(1985 (beginning Freshman))



A view of the colorful interior of St. Louis Union Station. The great old railroad depot has been converted into an assemblage of shops and restaurants. The 1985 alumni annual meeting was held at the Omni International Hotel in Union Station.

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