

March 25-April 1, 1977

We would like to list lectures, symposia and other activities at the medical center in the Intercom Calendar. If information about your event does not appear, the reason is either that we did not receive it or that we received it too late for printing deadlines. Notices can be accepted for the Calendar no later than one week prior to publication. Notices may be sent to Box 3354, Hospital. If last minute scheduling makes it impossible to send a written notice in time, please call 684-4148.

**Friday, March 25**

12:30 p.m.

Seminar sponsored by Dept. of Biochemistry and Cellular and Molecular Biology Seminar Series. Dr. Gunter Blobel, Rockefeller University, will speak on "Synthesis and Segregation of Secretary Proteins: The Signal Hypothesis," Rm 147, Nanaline H. Duke Bldg. Coffee at 12:15 p.m. in the lobby.

1 p.m.

Network for Continuing Medical Education (NCME). Programs on "Terminal Cancer: The Hospice Approach to Pain Control," "Terminal Cancer: The Hospice Approach to the Family" and "Congenital Hip Dislocation." View in Rms M-405, M-410, 2031 and Medical Student Lounge (Channel 7 or 9) at Duke and Rms A3002 (by appointment only), C9013, D3008, CCU and classrooms and media learning lab of Allied Health Bldg. at VA Hospital.

**Tuesday, March 29**

12 noon

University Program in Genetics Seminar. Dr. Winifred Doane, Dept. of Biology, Yale University, will speak on "Temporal Genes Controlling Tissue-Specific Patterns of Amylase in Drosophila," Rm 147, Nanaline H. Duke Bldg.

12 noon

Pathology Research Conference. Dr. Philip Pratt, Duke, will speak on "Pulmonary Reaction to Oxygen," Rm M-204.

1 p.m.

NCME. See Fri., March 25 for program listings. View in School of Nursing Aud., Rm 1017.

3:30 p.m.

Colloquium on Health Policy. Dr. Peter McMenamin, health administration and economics, University of North Carolina, will speak on "Evaluating the Effectiveness of PSROs," Rm 224, Social Sciences Bldg.

**Wednesday, March 30**

1 p.m.

NCME. See Fri., March 25 for program listings and viewing areas.

**Thursday, March 31**

12:15 p.m.

Physiology and Pharmacology Seminar. Dr. Melvyn Lieberman, Duke, will speak on "Physiological Implications of Heart Muscle in Tissue Culture," Rm 147, Nanaline H. Duke Bldg. Coffee at noon.

12:30 p.m.

Microbiology and Immunology Seminar. Dr. Mark Ptashne, Biological Laboratories, Harvard University, will speak on "Regulation and Autoregulation of the Lambda Repressor," Rm 143, Jones Bldg.

1 p.m.

NCME. See Fri., March 25 for program listings and viewing areas.

1:30 p.m.

Alpha Omega Alpha Original Study Symposium. Student Research Presentations, Rm M-224, followed at 5 p.m. by Dr. Thomas A. Waldmann, National Cancer Institute, Amphitheatre.

2 p.m.

School of Nursing Spring Program. Dr. Lucie Young Kelly, Schools of Public Health and Nursing, Columbia University, will speak on "Credentialing of Health Manpower," Biological Sciences Aud. Program continues through Friday.

## AOA To Feature Student Research

Dr. Thomas A. Waldmann, chief of the Metabolic Branch and head of the Immunophysiology Section at the National Cancer Institute, will give the keynote address for Alpha Omega Alpha's (AOA) eighth annual Original Study Symposium on Thursday, March 31.

The talk on "Disorders of Suppressor Immunoregulatory Cells in the Pathogenesis of Immuno-deficiency in Autoimmunity" will be at 5 p.m. in the Hospital Amphitheatre.

Student research presentations will be given in Room M-224 from 1:30-5 p.m.

"In recent years the AOA society has sponsored the symposium as part of its effort to encourage academic excellence in the medical school," said medical student Robert E. Ziegler, symposium co-chairman with classmate David M. Schlossman.

"Originally established to give recognition to research done by medical students, the symposium remains the only forum in which this research is presented to the medical center community as a whole,"

Ziegler said.

All members of the medical community are invited to attend.

## Things Go Better with Secretary Meetings

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kept up-to-date on changes as they affect them. The secretaries are able to come together on a regular basis and discuss whatever problems they are encountering in the performance of their jobs. We hope they can reach a satisfactory solution to those problems through joint effort."

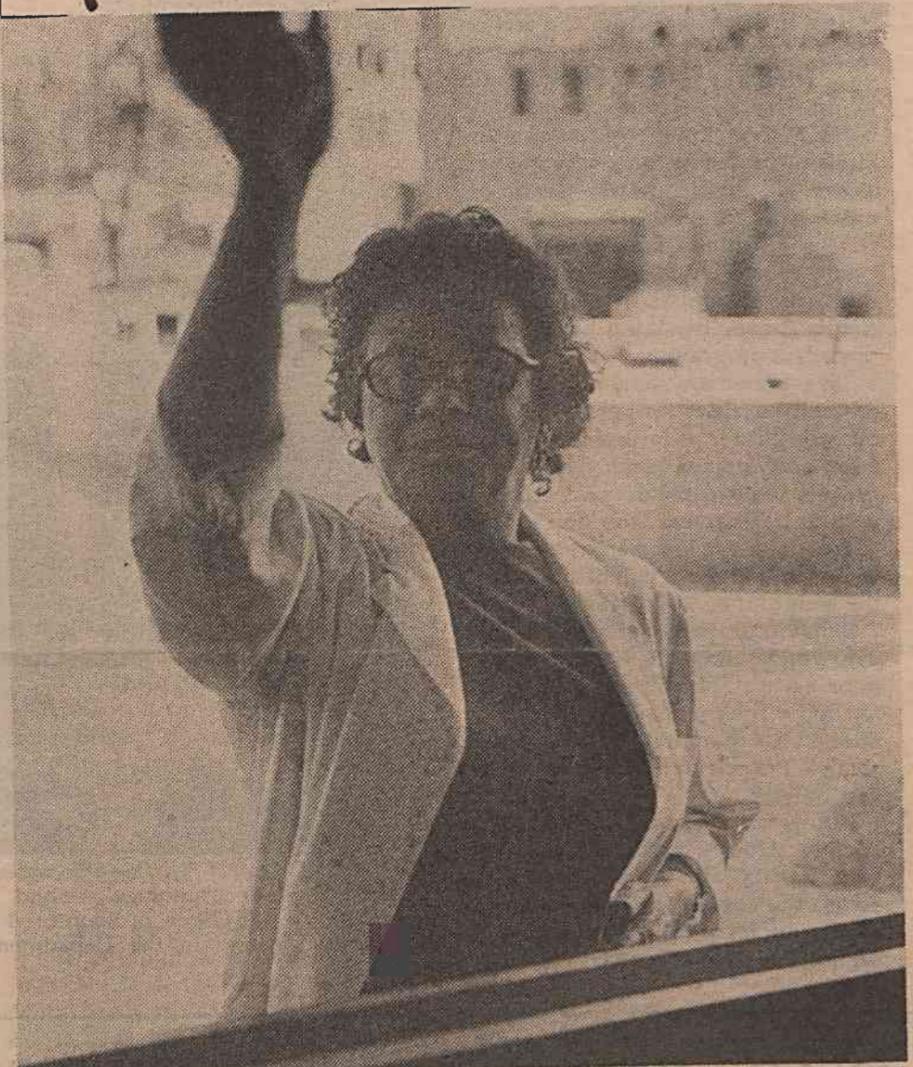
Each secretary has been provided with a folder in which material circulated at the meetings is kept for future reference, Adams said. Topics covered so far include procedures regarding the mail service, telephone billing, IBM sheets, travel vouchers and purchasing.

When possible, guest speakers are invited. These have included a representative of the Copying Center, who talked about the benefits of using their services and

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**BACK ON CAMPUS**—During most of the time Melvin Lyon has worked in Medical Center Housekeeping, she has been out at Teer House. Now she divides her time between that northern-most medical center building (on N. Roxboro Road) and the Sealey G. Mudd Building. A Duke employee for 13 years, she said, "I really like working here, and I've made many friends." With these friends she often shares tips on growing plants, as well as cuttings from her own plants with which her green thumb is so successful. (Photo by John Becton)

are always changes and this is a good way to report them to everybody."

"We're scattered all over the medical center," she added, "and we don't get to see each other except in meetings like these."

### PSRO EFFECTIVENESS

Dr. Peter McMenamin, instructor in health administration and economics at the University of North Carolina, will speak on "Evaluating the Effectiveness of PSROs" on Tuesday, March 29, at 3:30 p.m. in Room 224, Social Sciences Building.

McMenamin's talk is part of the ongoing Duke Colloquia on Health Policy sponsored by the Institute of Policy Sciences and Public Affairs.

explained the most efficient ways to do so; Sue McDuffie, personnel training representative, who talked about various personnel policies and rules at Duke; and Charlotte Hunnings, assistant manager of the Office of Sponsored Programs, who answered questions about problems encountered by secretaries in that area of their work.

### Information to Pass On

"While most of the information relayed at these meetings is directly concerned with the secretaries' work," Adams said, "it also provides them with general information that they can pass on to their fellow workers on such things as time cards and changes in official holidays."

"I think it's great," said Lila Munday, a secretary in the department for nine years. "There