

PROFESSIONAL NEWS

Guest Speaker

Dr. William W. Shingleton, professor and chief of general surgery, was guest speaker at the Atlanta Graduate Medical Assembly meeting March 9. He gave presentations on "Perfusion for Recurrent Melanoma of the Extremity," "Ascending Cholangitis," and "Stenosis of the Sphincter of Oddi."

Presents Paper

Dr. W. Doyle Gentry, assistant professor of medical psychology, presented a paper on "Relationship Between Diastolic Blood Pressure and Aggression following Frustration and Attack" at the American Psychosomatic Society meeting in Washington, D.C., March 20-22.

Gives Talks

Dr. James F. Glenn, chief of urology, presented the Winter Lecture on "Surgically Curable Hypertension" February 17 at Doctors Hospital in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Glenn attended the annual meeting of the Clinical Society of Genitourinary Surgeons February 18-21.

He also traveled to Texas in late February to talk on "Sex and Intersex" and "Pyuria and Pediatric Urology" at the Texas Urological Society.

Conducts Course

Mr. Warren Bird, associate director of the Medical Center Library, recently conducted a one-day course in Library Systems Analysis for the Northern California Regional Group of the Medical Library Association in San Francisco.

At Meetings

Dr. J. Leonard Goldner, professor and chief of orthopaedic surgery, served as advisor to a meeting for resident surgeons sponsored by the American Orthopaedic Association in Chicago March 3-4.

Also in March, Dr. Goldner spoke before the Chicago Medical Society on slipped epiphysis in children and slipped epiphysis and osteotomy of the hip in adults.

Visitor

Dr. David C. Sabiston, Jr., chairman of

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the Department of Surgery, served as program chairman for the Allen O. Whipple Surgical Society Seminar on Postgraduate Education in Philadelphia April 2-4.

Dr. Sabiston will spend April 19-21 at Ohio State University as Visiting Professor of Surgery.

At Meeting

Dr. J. Leonard Goldner, Dr. Donald E. McCollum, and Dr. James Urbaniak, all of the division of orthopaedic surgery, attended the annual meeting of the Piedmont Orthopaedic Society in Pebble Beach, California, March 24-27. The society is composed of about 140 former Duke orthopaedics residents.

At Workshop

Duke dietitians attending the North Carolina Dietetic Association Food

Administration Workshop March 10-11 in Charlotte included Miss Helen McLachlan, Mrs. Jean Black, Mrs. Connie Fluke, Mrs. Sharon Pitz, and Miss Brenda Marshall. Dietetic interns who participated included Miss Wendy Hoppe, Mrs. Raymond Twyman, Mrs. Delores Journigan, Miss W. Lee, Miss Clare Morris, Miss Sue Palaschak, Miss Mary Robinson, and Miss Linnie Wagner.

Attend Institute

Billie Cole, Allene White, and Shirley Paschall attended an institute on in-service training programs sponsored by the American Medical Record Association in Williamsburg, Virginia, March 1-4. Medical record department personnel from throughout the U.S. and Canada attended the sessions.

Elected

Dr. Carl Gerber, assistant professor of neurology, has been elected chairman of the North Carolina Regional Medical Program Stroke Committee.

At Seminar

Members of the Duke Operating Room staff who attended the 3-M Seminar in Charlotte March 12 included Rebecca E. Owins, R.N., director of OR nursing; Betty M. Tyman, R.N., assistant director of OR nursing; Mrs. Sue T. Cable, head nurse, and Mrs. Virginia Elliott, R.N., basic nursing units. Mr. Warren Wagner, hospital purchasing agent, also participated in the seminar.

Gives Paper

Mr. G.S.T. Cavanagh, director of the Medical Center Library, delivered a paper to the Josiah C. Trent Society for the History of Medicine February 26 entitled "A Dissertation on Dissertations" explaining the development and demise of theses required for the doctor of medicine degree.

To Present Paper

Dr. Toshio Narahashi, professor of physiology and pharmacology, will present a paper on "Active Form of Pentobarbital in Nerve Fibers" at the pharmacology session of the Federation Meeting in Atlantic City April 12-16.

Med Student Wins Award

Michael R. Colpitts, a third-year medical student at Duke University, began a three-month Smith Kline and French Foreign Fellowship in Nepal earlier this month.

The national traveling fellowships, sponsored through a grant from the Smith Kline and French Laboratories in Philadelphia, are presented each year by the Association of American Medical Colleges. Their aim is to give medical students an opportunity to benefit from clinical experience in relatively primitive settings and to become familiar with cultural and social problems in developing countries.

Mr. Colpitts, who is from Maryville, Tenn., will work on his fellowship at the Khumjung Sherpa Hospital in Solu Khumbu, Nepal, studying the biomedical problems of high altitudes.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Colpitts of Maryville, he is a graduate of Stanford University with a degree in biology. He will receive his M.D. degree from Duke in 1971.