

# HONOR DAY

May 16, 1961

James Law Auditorium

8:00 P.M.

NEW YORK STATE VETERINARY COLLEGE  
A UNIT OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
CORNELL UNIVERSITY  
ITHACA, NEW YORK

# *Program*

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## *Presiding*

DONALD D. DELAHANTY  
*Professor of Veterinary Surgery*

## PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

The Borden Award

JOHN H. MCGAIN

*Vice-President*  
*The Borden Company Foundation*

## Other Awards

GEORGE C. POPPENSIEK

*Dean*  
*New York State Veterinary College*

## ADDRESS

“Background for Cornell Veterinary History”

MORRIS BISHOP

*Kappa Alpha Professor of Romance Literature, Emeritus*  
*University Historian*  
*Cornell University*

Refreshments will be served in the Hagan Room at the close of the Program

## *Prizes*

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### THE BORDEN VETERINARY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Given by the Borden Company Foundation, Inc., to the member of the fourth year class who attained the highest scholastic record in all veterinary studies for the first three years. (\$300)

NEALE DONALD STOCK

### THE HORACE K. WHITE PRIZES

Given by Mr. Horace K. White and his sons of Syracuse, New York, for the students whose academic records for the entire veterinary course are highest. (\$100)

FIRST PRIZE (\$75) NEALE DONALD STOCK

SECOND PRIZE (\$25) ROBERT EUGENE LYNK

### THE GRANT SHERMAN HOPKINS PRIZE

Given by Mrs. Ann Ottaway Hopkins in 1955 in memory of her husband who served the University and College for forty-five years as Professor of Veterinary Anatomy. Awarded upon the recommendation of the staff of the Department of Anatomy on the basis of interest, ability, perseverance, and performance in the work in that Department. (\$40)

THOMAS FRANCIS FLETCHER

### THE JANE MILLER PRIZES

Given by Dr. Frank H. Miller, New Rochelle, New York, for the best work in veterinary physiology. Awarded to members of the second year class. (\$40)

FIRST PRIZE (\$25) CHRISTIAN LOUIS GRIES

SECOND PRIZE (\$15) FRANK RYMAN POWELL

### THE JAMES GORDON BENNETT PRIZE

Given by Mr. James Gordon Bennett, New York, New York, for the student who shows the greatest humaneness in handling animals, with special reference to the use of anesthesia. (\$40)

DAVID HENRY TAYLOR

HONORABLE MENTION: RONALD WILLIAM HARLING

ROBERT EUGENE LYNK

### THE ANNE BESSE PRIZES

Given by Miss A. B. Jennings, New York, New York, for the best work in medicine and clinical diagnosis. (\$40)

FIRST PRIZE (\$25) ROBERT EUGENE LYNK

SECOND PRIZE (\$15) CALVIN EDWARD ROFE

HONORABLE MENTION: RICHARD ALAN BOESE

### THE CHARLES GROSS BONDY PRIZES

Given by Mr. Richard Bondy, New York, New York, for the best work in the courses in practical medicine and surgery of the small animals. (\$40)

FIRST PRIZE (\$25) FRANK LINS BOUDINOT

SECOND PRIZE (\$15) BEVERLY WICKESSER LEE

### THE MARY LOUISE MOORE PRIZE

Given by Dr. Veranus A. Moore as a memorial to his wife for the best work in bacteriology. (\$40)

CALVIN EDWARD ROFE

### THE POULTRY DISEASE ESSAY PRIZE

Given by Nathan Wernicoff '31 and Tevis Goldhaft '35, of Vineland, New Jersey, for the best essay on a topic in the field of poultry diseases. (\$50) Because of the excellence of the competing manuscripts, two prizes will be awarded this year.

JOHN MICHAEL KEHOE (\$50)

THOMAS FRANCIS FLETCHER (\$50)

### THE ALPHA PSI PRIZE

Given by Beta Chapter of the Alpha Psi Fraternity to the member of the graduating class who has shown by his scholarship, character, and breadth of interest that he is best equipped to advance the standards of veterinary science. (\$25 U.S. Savings Bond)

ROBERT EUGENE LYNK

### THE SIGMA IOTA ZETA PRIZE

Given by Sigma Iota Zeta Fraternity in behalf of its Alumni to the member of the graduating class who in the scope of his professional training has shown the most marked overall improvement since his freshman year and has thereby demonstrated his sincere attitude of high purpose and achievement toward his profession. (\$25 U.S. Savings Bond)

FRED KENNETH VAN DEUSEN

### THE NEW YORK STATE VETERINARY MEDICAL SOCIETY PRIZES

These are annual prizes given by the Society for the best case reports presented for publication in *Veterinary News*, the organ of the Society. Members of the fourth year class are eligible to compete.

FIRST PRIZE (\$25) WILFRIED THEODOR WEBER

SECOND PRIZE (\$15) DONALD WELCH NEEDHAM

THIRD PRIZE (\$10) ROBERT WERDER FLEISCHMAN

### THE JACOB TRAUM AWARD

Awarded to the fourth year student who is adjudged, by means considered appropriate by the Dean of the College, as having exhibited in his scholastic career, superior interest and accomplishment in bacteriology, epizootiology, pathology, and virology, including aptitude for and expressed interest in research on infectious diseases. (\$25)

NEALE DONALD STOCK

### THE PRIZE OF THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF THE AMERICAN VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

To be awarded to the member of the fourth year class who is deemed to have best advanced the standing of the Veterinary College on the campus by special contributions of an extra-curricular nature. (\$50)

GEORGE BERNARD SALZMANN

THE ITHACA DOG TRAINING CLUB PRIZE OF \$100 is awarded to a student who upon completion of seven terms of work shows particular adaptability for small animal practice. It is not awarded on the basis of scholarship alone, since dexterity, professional conduct and competence, and understanding of both the patient and the client are considered.

DONALD KEITH SHERWOOD

#### THE MERCK MANUAL AWARDS

Two copies of the Merck Veterinary Manual, embossed with the names of the recipients, presented by Merck and Company, Inc. to members of the graduating class, the basis of the award to be determined by the Dean. Presented for services to the College.

GEORGE BERNARD SALZMANN

JULIAN MAX STRAUSS

## *Scholarships*

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#### THE VALENTINE MOTT KNAPP SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship of the value of \$400, awarded to third year students and paid at the beginning of the fourth year, established by the will of David V. Knapp as a memorial to his brother, Dr. Valentine M. Knapp, '04. The scholarship is awarded by the Veterinary Faculty on the recommendation of a committee which considers the ability of the applicants to do creditable academic work, the personal qualities of the individuals, the financial need, and the attitude toward professional matters.

FREDERICK WINTHROP SCOTT

DONALD CAMERON GAY

FREDERICK BYRNE TIERNEY

PETER ROCHE HALL

#### THE A.S.P.C.A. SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship of the value of \$300, awarded annually to a third year student and paid at the beginning of his final year. Established by the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals from funds raised by Gordon Wright, owner of Secor Farms from benefit horse shows held at his stables in White Plains, New York. The recipient is chosen by the Veterinary Faculty on the basis of need, scholarship, interest in horses, and general competence. It is open to students (a) who are particularly interested in equine practices, (b) who are residents of New York, and (c) who expect to practice in New York after graduation.

HARVEY RHEIN

#### THE YONKERS RACEWAY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

By action of the executive committee of the Yonkers Raceway Foundation, an endowed scholarship was established at the Veterinary College on May 17, 1960, to be awarded by the Committee on Scholarships of the College to a needy student who is a resident of New York State. In awarding the scholar-

ship, the faculty will take into consideration the ability of the applicant to do creditable academic work, the personal characteristics of the applicant with respect to professional attitude, and his financial need. (\$50)

JAMES CARL BREITENSTEIN

#### TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS

RICHARD JAMES MONTALI

JANET ELIZABETH CRUDEN

ALFRED MANNING MERRITT II

#### EASTERN MILK PRODUCERS COOPERATIVE SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship of \$500 established in February, 1961 and awarded for the first time beginning with the 1961-62 academic year. The purpose is to assist a worthy student in the Veterinary College with preference to be given to sons or daughters of members of Eastern Milk Producers Cooperative Association. In order to qualify, a student must rank in the upper two-fifths of his high school graduating class or of his class in college. He must have an established need for financial assistance and show evidence of outstanding character and leadership ability.

FRANK RYMAN POWELL

#### DAVID KENNEDY JOHNSTON SCHOLARSHIPS

Under the will of Nettie J. Huey funds were set aside to provide scholarships from time to time to students in the College of Agriculture or for students in the Veterinary College.

JOHN DAVID STRANDBERG \$406

CHRISTIAN LOUIS GRIES \$406