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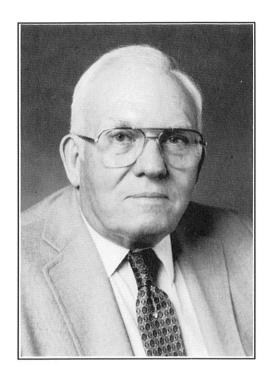
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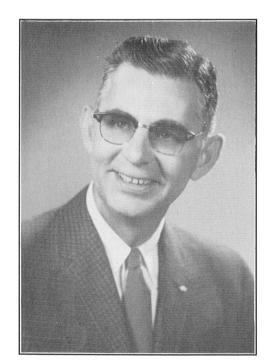
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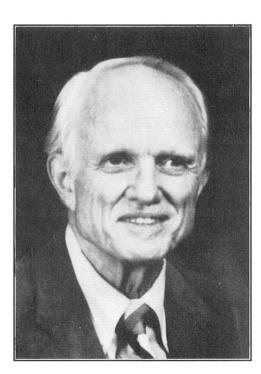
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# **PREFACE**

s periodontics has progressed over the past fifty years to become a recognized special-ty of dentistry, it is doubtful that any other organization's members could have played a more vital role in this coming of age than have those of the Southwest Society of Periodontists. These persons, blessed with talents as speakers, clinicians, teachers, and researchers have enabled this area of the United States to collectively receive considerable recognition for its members' achievements in the field of periodontology.

This history is written in an effort to chronicle some of the past activities and accomplishments of the organization. The writing and assembling of this information has been a collaboration between members, Charles W. Finley, J. Richard Hall, and Harold L. Meador. Each had individually volunteered, at one time, to compose such a history but it was only by coming together in a joint endeavor, that it was finally accomplished. It is hoped that this effort, in spite of any errors or omissions, will serve as a foundation for others to build on in the years ahead.

Grateful acknowledgements are made to Jodie Harrison for her aid in the Central Office; to James Barnes for his skill in producing many of the photographs that appear; to the American Academy of Periodontology for making older photos available; and to Sandi Gordon, Toni Hawthorne, and Denise Pelt for secretarial assistance.

## **HISTORY**

#### The Beginning

In the period of the late 1930's and early 40's, periodontics as a specialty in the United States was in its infancy. Training programs were not readily available and no dental schools in the southwest part of the country offered what is known today as a postdoctoral program in the field of periodontology. In this pre-World War II era, those who were recognized as periodontists in the Southwest included Walter Scherer, Houston, Stella Risser, Houston, Sam Parks, Dallas, John Puckett, El Paso, John Prichard, Fort Worth, Truett Goss, San Antonio, Walter Leabo, Shreveport, W.H. Cooper, Oklahoma City, Harry Burns, Tulsa, and Rowe Smith, Texarkana.

After World War II, there was increasing interest in periodontics. Many dentists had been exposed to the success of periodontal therapy while in the armed services and they were eager to pursue further education that would enable them to render care in this particular field of dentistry.

Most of those dentists who became specialists had originally been in general practice. After taking short educational courses with teachers such as Balint Orban in Colorado, Henry Goldman at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston, and Irving Glickman at the Berkshire Conference in Massachusetts, these practitioners would gradually limit their practices after learning new concepts and skills offered by these courses. Later, formal training programs were offered at major universities. The first periodontist in our area to complete such a course was Tolar Hamblen of Houston who attended New York University. He was followed shortly thereafter by Claude Nabers of San Antonio who studied at Northwestern.

As the specialty began to develop, some leaders in periodontics began to urge the formation of regional organizations. In Texas, one of the first efforts was made by Joe Reed of Dallas who attempted to organize a Texas Society of Periodontists. Perhaps the timing was not yet right for it failed to become a viable group.

Later, in 1954, James Clark of Texarkana, Charles Finley, Lubbock, and John Swindle, Waco, became the organizing committee for the formation of the present Southwest Society. Charles Finley served as the organizational chairman. Invitations to prospective members were mailed



Charter members John Nabers and Charles Finley

to practitioners known to be in limited practice. The first meeting was then held in 1955 at the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth.

The original charter members included Duncan Blades, Richard Bryarly, James Clark, Gale Collins, Raymond Davis, Charles Finley, Truett Goss, Tolar Hamblen, Nancy Holmes, Walter Leabo, Don Masters, Claude Nabers, John Nabers, C.E. Nottingham, Jr., Clifford Ochsenbein, John Prichard, John Puckett, Joe Reed, Stella Risser, R.C. Sandstrom, Carl Snyder, George Spear, Harold Sternlicht, Robert Suhler, John Swindle, Juanita Wade, Ross Waltzer, and Douglas Yeager. At this meeting, John Swindle of Waco was elected to be the first president of the Society.

It was decided by the active charter members that those general dentists, who had a strong interest in periodontology, should also be invited to join the new organization as associate members. The purpose was to stimulate interest in periodontology among general dentists and to provide these practitioners with educational opportunities which were not readily available at the time. Those invited to join the Society as associate members were: Bill Alstadt, Jack Baldwin, Ralph Boelsche, Stuart Browning, James Byrne, James Carpenter, James T. Clark, Clifford Fisher, J.J. Goodwin, Jr., Bruce Hume, Jr., Robert Little, James Lorimer, Harold Meador, Edward Nichols, L.H. Pitt, James Rogers, Charles Saunders, Peter Simon, John Smerke, Ray Spyres, O.B. Vaughan, and Bruce Wilkinson. Academic memberships were granted to C. Kenneth Collings and Walter Stout of Baylor. The first honorary membership was awarded to Sam Parks of Dallas.

Although the original constitution did not specify the states from which the members would come, they were actually made up of periodontists from Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, and New Mexico. Several years later, the few members of the Society from New Mexico decided that their interests tended to correspond more with the western states and they affiliated with the Western Society of Periodontology. For a brief period of time, 1975-76, periodontists from the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico chose to affiliate with the Southwest Society. In recent years, members from the states of Colorado and Nebraska have been invited to join with us. This has helped SWSP to conform with the boundaries of District V of the American Academy of Periodontology.

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From an early issue of Periodontology Today



Richard Waghalter

The second president of the Society, James Clark, fore-saw the value of a publication for the organization in 1957 and he appointed a newsletter committee of Clifford Ochsenbein, editor, with Gerald Latimer and Charles Peck, co-editors, to publish an official organ to be known as *Periodontology Today*. The purpose of the newsletter was stated to be (1) dissemination of information about the Society, (2) to provide a place where members could air their own views, (3) to stimulate reading of the current literature and (4) to review one article in each issue which was not in the current literature but which had made a lasting contribution to periodontology.

Those editors of *Periodontology Today* willingly took on the responsibility of routinely reviewing all issues of the major dental journals. The newsletter became well known for its candid and timely remarks and was a major factor in helping to hold the membership of the new organization together. In 1961, under editor, Don

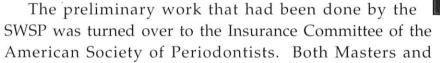
Masters, the publication became a bound journal but continued the established format of reviewing the current literature. Harold Sternlicht became editor for the period 1964-68 and Jack Lyon served from 1969 to 1971. A new journal with a new name, *The Probe*, became the official publication in 1972 and was produced under the supervision of editor, Larry Friedman. Reviews of the dental literature became fewer as a greater need became evident, to provide reports on SWSP meetings plus other pertinent information, which had to be relayed to the membership. Later, Richard Waghalter, as editor, continued to provide constructive and innovative ideas in the publishing of *The Probe*.

#### Role In ASP

Southwest Society members were influential in the formation of the American Society of Periodontists. Interest was initially developed at the Fort Worth meeting in April, 1960. At a planned breakfast, Balint Orban told approximately 25-30 interested SWSP members of the advantages of a national organization to be made up entirely of specialists. He and Harold Ray had long contemplated the formation of such an organization. At a later date, some SWSP members joined with other periodontists in the United States for a meeting in Houston. A slate of officers was proposed and the American Society of Periodontists came into being. The new organization provided a voice for periodontists that was not then available in the American Academy of Periodontology.

#### **Dental Insurance**

The Southwest Society was responsible for doing some of the earliest work in the nation in regard to dental insurance matters. In 1961, very little was known about dental insurance in our area of the country. However, because disquieting information was coming from the west coast, Claude Nabers, who was then president, felt it important to appoint Don Masters and Harold Meador as the first insurance committee. At that time, the insurance industry was uninformed about periodontics. The basic needs were for (1) a glossary of terms, (2) a special reporting form, and (3) a fee survey. The fee survey was intended to give the insurers information on the relationship of fees to the services that they were hearing about for the first time.





Harold Meador

Meador were named to serve on that national level committee. In 1966, Harold Meador was appointed chairman of the Insurance Committee for the American Academy of Periodontology for a period of seven years. Don Masters was also in the same position for the American Society during the period of that organization's existence.

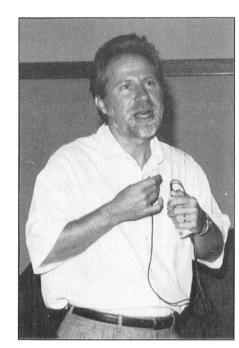
The glossary and reporting form became the substance of Current Procedural Terminology which was published jointly by the AAP and ASP in 1967. This work firmly established periodontics and its services with the dental insurance industry. Both Masters and Meador were active in CPT revisions, workshops, and insurance related projects in the years following. In 1973, Charles Bruce assumed the leadership and chaired the subcommittee for CPT V. For the past ten years, Stephen Harrell has been diligent in dealing with insurance problems and has given dedicated service as SWSP Dental Health Plans Committee Chairman and District V Representative to the AAP Committee on Dental Care Programs. Other Society members who made significant past contributions to CPT revisions were John Prichard and Conrad Hornbuckle.

#### Meetings

Annual meetings have been of prime interest to members over the years. The opportunity to join together at these times, has accounted for many personal interchanges resulting in long term associations and friendships. Programming has always been at a high level with the nation's leading periodontal speakers appearing before our group. On the first program held

at the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth, the speakers were Harry Sicher and Bob Moyers. Subsequent meetings were addressed by many well-known figures including among others:

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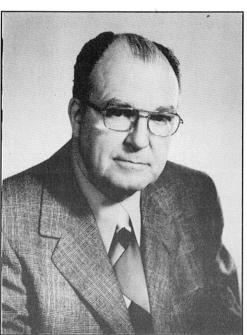
Speaker at July 1991 meeting, Kenneth Kornman

In addition, many SWSP members have appeared on annual programs. Some such as John Prichard and others have made numerous appearances. Most of these lectures were done as a contribution without remuneration. We are all indebted to these members who have generously shared their talents with us.

In two instances, joint meetings have been held with other periodontal groups. In June, 1973, a meeting was held cooperatively in New Orleans with the Southern Academy of Periodontology. Sam Adams of the Southwest Society was a speaker along with Peter Dawson from the Southern Academy. In May, 1976, our group met jointly with The Rocky Mountain Study Club at the Broadmoor Hotel in Colorado Springs. Charles Gilmer and Kenneth Rudd were among the speakers.

Society meetings have changed somewhat over a period of time. From the 50's into the 70's, periodontal treatment tended to be more empirical and was often based on clinical experience alone. The visual slide presentations of clinical

cases brought forth considerable opinionated discussion and vigorous debate. This verbal give and take both inside and outside the lecture room was stimulating and educational for all attendees. Some of the differences of opinion can be characterized by the pre-meeting remarks of the two clinicians at the l959 meeting in Fort Worth. Emanuel Cheraskin was quoted as saying, "There are two big problems in periodontology. First, there is considerable disagreement and chaos regarding the causes of periodontal disease. Secondly, there is then logically considerable chaos regarding rational therapy". Balint Orban's reply was, "I think there is no chaos in the problem of etiology, and none in therapy either".



John Pritchard

#### Projects

Projects of the Society have been numerous. One of the most consistent ones has been to encourage graduate students by offering incentives such as prizes and trips to the annual meeting for those who write scientific papers which are then judged competitively. In recent years, this has evolved into the Prichard Prize for Graduate Research which was established as a tribute to John F. Prichard whose contributions to periodontics and the Southwest Society are considered memorable. The competition is held on an annual basis before a member audience and judging panel. Almost without exception, all of the regional training programs are represented. Previous winners have been:

1985 - Thomas W. Mabry, LSU School of Dentistry

1986 - Jeffrey M. Snitzer, LSU School of Dentistry

1987 - Jon E. Piché, UTHSCSA and Wilford Hall

1988 - Robert Sabatini, UTHSCSA and Wilford Hall

1989 - David E. Deas, UTHSCSA and Wilford Hall

1990 - Brian L. Mealey, UTHSCSA and Wilford Hall

1991 - Martha L. Garito, UTHSCSA and Wilford Hall 1992 - Karl Allen Smith, UTHSCA and Wilford Hall

Beginning in 1969, a project was carried out by the Society in the form of Periodontal Detection Centers which were held at major dental meetings. This was done in various states in our region over a period of several years. Members voluntarily manned the detection areas in which dentists, wives, auxiliaries, and others were examined for the presence of periodontal disease. The centers served to alert professional people to periodontal problems and the evidence of disease became particularly impressive when seen in their own mouths.

In 1987, the SWSP Emergency Manual was published due to the initial efforts of a committee made up of Hilton Israelson, Mark Glover, Leonard Tibbetts, and chairman, Tom Wilson. The manual covered: Section I - Acute Office Emergencies, Section II - Medical Conditions That May Precipitate Emergencies, and Section III - General Information including Emergency Kit and Medical-Legal Aspects. Before publication, the initial material was reviewed and updated by James Barnes with the assistance of Dan Loughlin and Richard Waghalter. Proving to be one of our most worthy undertakings, the manual has been a valuable reference aid to all members.

### **Continuing Education**

Over the last twenty years or more, continuing education meetings have been held by the Society for general dentists and dental hygienists. Although recognition of periodontal disease has always been stressed, other periodontally related topics have also been covered including operative technic, reconstruction, tooth movement, and instrumentation for dental hygienists. In the winter of 1984, Anna and Gordon Pattison presented a well attended program in Dallas which was especially directed to the hygienist. Other programs which were held at various locations featured speakers such as Richard Wilson, Gary Maynard, Stanley Ross, Arnold Weisgold, Curtis Becker, Tom Wilson, Michael McGuire, Sebastian Ciancio, Ken Kalkwarf, Pat Allen, Hilton Israelson, and Terry Rees. In recent years, both SWSP and Texas Society of Periodontists have established liaison with the Academy of General Dentistry by sharing a meeting during the annual session of the Texas Dental Association.

#### **Postdoctoral Training**

There was only one graduate program in periodontics in the region when the Southwest Society was organized. This was started in that same year at Baylor Dental School under the direction of Kenneth Collings. The first class consisted of students, Ralph Cooper, Herbert Laffitte, and Joe Smith. Succeeding Dr. Collings in 1972 was William C. Hurt followed in 1988 by Terry Rees. The school is well known for the Arthur Merritt Memorial Lecture held each summer on the dental campus. The Stomatology Center, a part of the Department of Periodontics, has attracted many patients from throughout the United States.

Soon after in 1956, another training program was established at Wilford Hall Medical Center, Lackland Air Force Base. Claude Nabers was instrumental in initiating the residency program and was an active lecturer and researcher in the early years. In the late '50's, an affiliation was begun with the University of Texas Dental Branch at Houston. This agreement expired in 1983 and a subsequent agreement was started with the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio in 1984. At the present time, ninety-nine periodontists have completed training at WHMC.

The post-doctoral program at the University of Texas at Houston was started in 1957 under the direction of Martin Cattoni. In 1973, C.J. Mahon followed Dr. Cattoni as director. Later, the program was headed by Paul Robertson in 1974 and then Bernard Doyle in 1977. Upon Doyle's resignation in 1981, C.J. Mahon again assumed the position. In 1988, Paul Caffesse became the present director. An emphasis is placed on research and students have been encouraged to seek a master's degree.

At the University of Nebraska, it was in 1959 that Richard Bradley was appointed to the faculty to develop a periodontics department. He accepted the first graduate student in 1961. He chaired the department until 1968 when he was selected as dean for the college of dentistry. At that time, Gerald Tussing, who had previously been the third graduate student in the program, assumed the chair which he has retained to the present time. Administrative duties have included Periodontics, Endodontics, and Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery although

the specialty areas retain their complete autonomy. The Nebraska program has graduated 70 students to date who practice in 28 states and one foreign country. Both a three year masters program and a two year certificate program have been offered in the past.

The Louisiana State University program was established in 1974 with Malbern Wilderman as head of the department. When he resigned in 1975, Jack Cassingham was appointed interim department head until the joint arrival in 1976 of Joseph Lawrence as department head and Ray Yukna as coordinator of the postdoctoral program. Roland Meffert replaced Yukna in 1984. Later, after the resignation of Dr. Lawrence in 1986, Meffert was selected as department head in addition to duties as postdoctoral program coordinator. Eight years ago, the American Academy requested that LSU initiate an in-service training examination. Since then, the examination has been formulated every Spring and has been taken by approximately 300 students every year who come from over 40 training programs in periodontics.

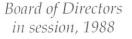
The program at the University of Texas-San Antonio began its first class in 1979. Roland Meffert started the program and he and James Lane alternately directed it until 1989 when James T. Mellonig became director. Over a period of eleven years, 70 students have been graduated, 28 of which are members of the U.S. Air Force.

The newest program is at the University of Oklahoma which began its first class in June, 1987. It is a three year course resulting in a M.S. degree and a certificate of clinical achievement in periodontics. The program was started by Arthur Vernino who is the present director. From its inception, four students have graduated.

#### **Board of Directors**

The activities of the Southwest Society have been administered by a Board of Directors consisting of the President, President-Elect, Immediate-Past-President, Secretary, Secretary-Elect, Treasurer, Treasurer-Elect, and six Active Members elected by the General Assembly. The organization has been fortunate to have had many dedicated elected officers. The President, as always, has borne the responsibility of leading the Society during his year of ser-

vice. However, during the first 25 years, considerable work was delegated to the Secretary-Treasurer. Without salaried staff, these members handled dues payments, bank accounts, meeting notices, general correspondence, and record keeping and thus made a major contribution to the Society's welfare.





Jodie Harrison

#### **Executive Director**

In 1983, it was felt by the Board of Directors that the Southwest Society had become an organization of such size and complexity to warrant the establishment of a Central Office with an Executive Director. This proposal was presented to the membership at the 1982 Winter Meeting held in Austin, Texas. A unanimous vote of the members present, supported the motion. Mrs. N.J. (Jodie) Harrison was named Executive Director and continues to perform in that capacity.

The Central Office of the Society currently coordinates and manages all publications of the Society, including the content (through consultation with the Editor), layout and printing of the newsletters. The Executive Director is

responsible for the planning and management of all SWSP meetings, including site selection and contract negotiations. The Central Office provides the sevices of a Certified Public Accountant for management of all financial matters of the Society, including filing of tax returns, preparation of Treasurer reports and financial reporting to the Board of Directors. A computerized membership data base and financial capabilities for the collection and reporting of dues payments and meeting registrations are also provided. The office also manages all matters relating to new members, coordination of committees, publishes the roster of membership, and coordinates all mailings and matters affecting the Society, including the John F. Prichard Prize for Graduate Research. Records are maintained at the Central Office, 9214 Serene Creek, San Antonio, Texas.

#### **Looking Back**

Since 1954 when the Southwest Society was first organized, 38 years have passed and we find that our growth in the field of periodontology has been extraordinary. From the original 31 active members, we now number 170. Postdoctoral training programs have grown from the original one at Baylor to the present seven. More importantly, periodontal disease is now recognized and treated more widely than at any other time in our history. In the original constitution, it was stated that the object of this Society was to promote public welfare by the advancement of dentistry in the field of periodontology through education, scientific research, and professional service. In all of those areas, it can safely be said that the objectives have been fulfilled. This has been accomplished to the advantage of the dental profession but more importantly has resulted in improved health for our patients. They have been the ultimate beneficiaries of our efforts.

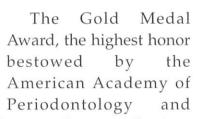
# SPECIAL NOTES

Recognition of awards and service in other organizations

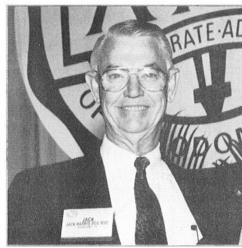


James Hollars

Three presidents of the American Dental Association have been associated with periodontics in our area. **Walter H. Scherer** and **James P. Hollars** served in earlier years. In October, 1992, SWSP member, **Jack H. Harris**, became the ADA's 129th president. A past president of the Texas Dental Association, he has also served in the Texas State House of Representatives.

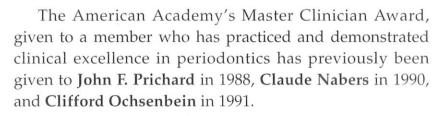


given annually in recognition of outstanding contributions to the field of periodontics, has been awarded to members, John F. Prichard, Claude Nabers, Timothy J. O'Leary, Clifford Ochsenbein and Charles W. Finley.



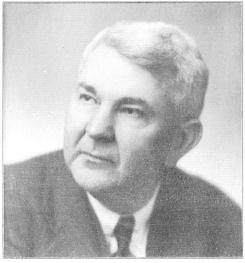
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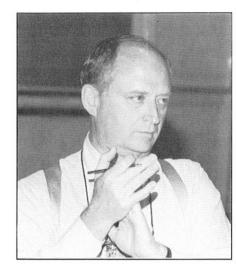
The only person to be named president of the American Academy for three consecutive years was Sam Parks who served during the World War II years of 1944, 1945, and 1946. Other Academy presidents have included Walter H. Scherer, James P. Hollars, John F. Prichard, Claude Nabers, Timothy J. O'Leary, and Charles W. Finley.



Sam Parks

John F. Prichard served as president of the American Society of Periodontists in 1964 and 1965.





Leonard Tibbetts

Leonard Tibbetts was vice-president of the American Academy of Periodontology in 1992 and is president-elect for 1993.



The William J. Gies Periodontology Award for outstanding contributions to the field of periodontology was presented in 1972 to Timothy J. O'Leary, and in 1977 to John F. Prichard



William C. Hurt in 1989 and Timothy J. O'Leary in 1990, received the Presidential Award from the American Academy. Both served as editors of the Journal of Periodontology.



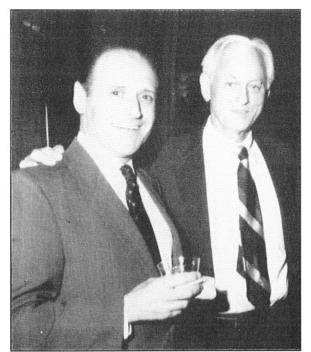
Academy Fellowship Awards for distinguished service have been awarded in the past to Sam Parks, James Hollars, John F. Prichard, Timothy J. O'Leary, Claude Nabers, Harold Meador, Charles W. Finley, William C. Hurt, and B. Charles Bruce.



Tim O'Leary and William Hurt



Special Citation Awards given for noteworthy contributions to the Academy have been awarded to Donald H. Masters, Harold L. Meador, Charles W. Finley, B. Charles Bruce, J. Richard Hall, Leonard Tibbetts. H. Dalton Conner, James T. Mellonig, Raymond Yukna, Roland Meffert, and L.K. Croft.



Raul Caffesse and Clifford Ochsenbein



In 1989, Clifford Ochsenbein, Raul Caffesse, John Prichard, and other co-authors received the American Academy's Clinical Research Award for writing the most outstanding scientific manuscript having direct clinical relevance and application to the practice of periodontics. This same award was given to James T. Mellonig in 1990 as co-author of a winning scientific paper. He also received the R. Earl Robinson Periodontal Regeneration Award for that year.



District 5 and the Southwest Society have been well represented on the American Board of Periodontology over a period of years by Sam

Parks, 1947-1954, John F. Prichard, 1970-1976 and 1979-1980, and Clifford Ochsenbein, 1976-1982. Serving on the board at the present time are Dan Loughlin, Raymond Yukna, James T. Mellonig, and Roland Meffert.

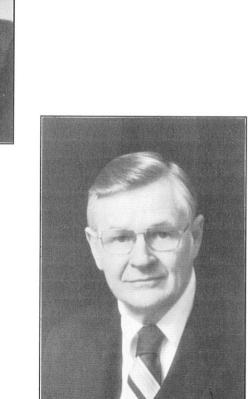


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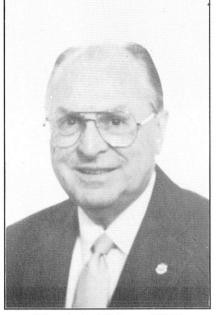


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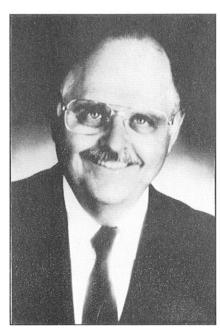




Timothy J. O'Leary, 1962



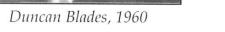
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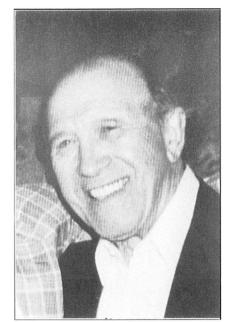
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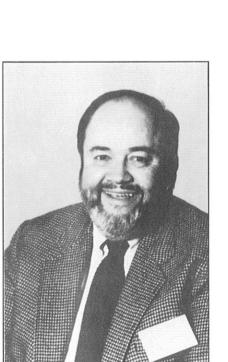
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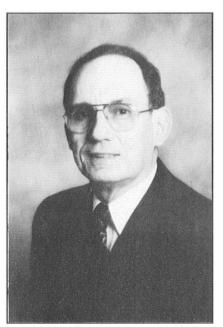
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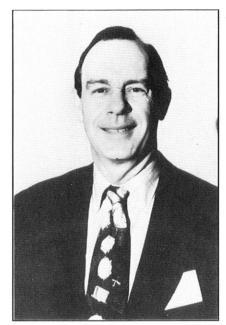
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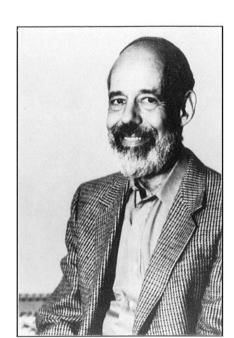
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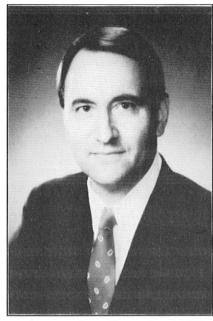
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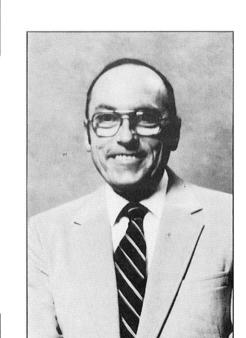
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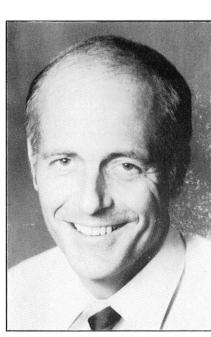
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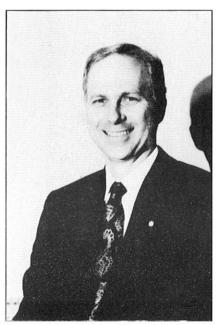
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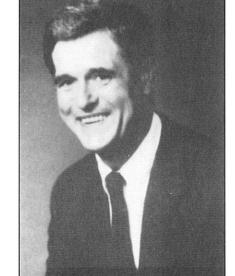
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Leslie E. Broline, 1986



Robert Lee Johnson, 1979



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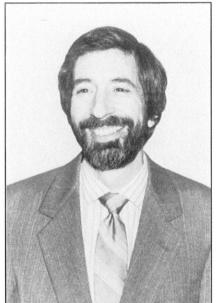
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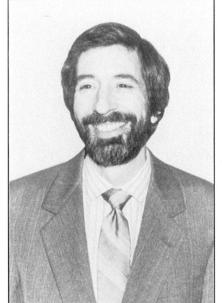
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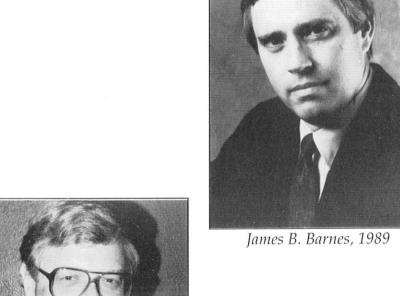
John F. Prichard

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Kenneth L. Kalkwarf 1993 President-Elect

# Dan Loughlin,

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# "I REMEMBER"

I remember Bill Reeves, Harry Morgan, Charlie Bruce, and Fred Church constantly, over and over, at every meeting . . . "Have you joined the Southwest Society?"

D. Ross Atkinson

# "I REMEMBER"

I remember when only 3 or 4 of us would meet for lunch at the state meeting and someone would bring his board cases, etc. One year we got Charlie Finley to come and he said "Why don't we get this off the ground and have a speaker that will attract all the periodontists and others too." As I recall, he got Harry Sicher to come for a one day lecture. This got the SWSP off the ground and in great shape. We tried to get Charlie to accept the presidency and he turned us down as he had not completed what he had in mind for the SWSP. Years later, while meeting in Fort Worth, we had Balint Orban and Cheraskin on the program. At that time, the American Academy was dominated by G.P.'s. At an early morning breakfast we met, each contributed about \$20, and we started the American Society of Periodontists. Needless to say, Dr. Charlie Finley was the driving force for the ASP. When I was president of the AAP, we successfully merged the ASP and AAP. Without Charlie Finley and Marvin Sugarman, this could not have happened.

I am very proud to be a past-president of the SWSP and wish I could still practice for I miss my patients who usually became friends after corrective therapy was completed.

Claude Nabers



SWSP group picture taken at 1992 Houston meeting.



Charles Finley, and Roland Meffert in serious discussion.

The social hour is always well attended.



# "I REMEMBER"

I remember when the SWSP had both John Prichard and Sig Ramfjord for their meeting. They presented an outstanding program which was given at the Cibola Inn in Arlington, Texas. The highlight of this program was our reception. It consisted totally of guacamole dip, chips, and beer. My, how times have changed!

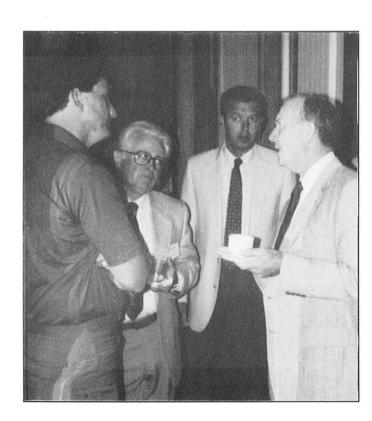
L.K. Croft

## "I REMEMBER"

I remember when Dr. Timothy O'Leary told the Indiana University graduate students that the best periodontal meeting he ever attended was a Southwest Society Meeting. The "ticket for admission" was said to be a case failure.

As the saying goes: An ignorant man does not learn from his mistakes; a smart man learns from his errors; but a truly brilliant man learns from others' mistakes.

William L. Purifoy



Gerald Bowers talks to members at the coffee break at 1988 summer meeting.



Attentive members at a lecture session.

## "I REMEMBER"

I remember about 15 years ago, we had Dr. Saul Schluger as one of the speakers at the SWSP meeting. Saul's topic was patient motivation and consultation — How to present the case to the patient so they could understand the gravity of the disease and treatment needed to accomplish the desired result, to arrest the disease.

Saul got up and said, "You need a 3 point program in terms of patient education and motivation!!" All the people in attendance had pens in hand, ready to write down any words of wisdom from Dr. Schluger, one of the fathers of periodontics.

He said, "First, you have a disease!"

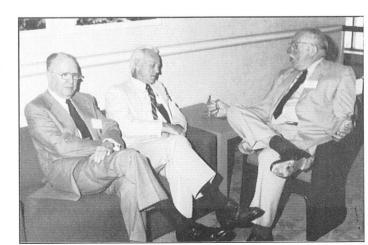
"Second, I can help you!"

"Third, that will be \$500!!"

He then sat down in the front row and asked, "Any questions??"

Roland Meffert

A familiar trio: John Prichard, Cliff Ochsenbein, and Saul Schluger.





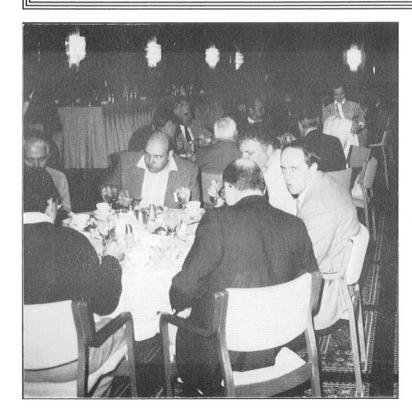
John Prichard presents Prichard Prize to Thomas Mabry in 1985 while Pat Makins looks on.

# "I REMEMBER"

In this era of multiple projectors and screens, closed circuit TV monitors, etc., I will never forget the ultimate "attention getter."

A "1960's" summer meeting of the SWSP at a Bandera dude ranch found speaker, Frank Scott, jolting to attention an over-relaxed, after lunch group of members by firing a "six shooter" into the air. I think it even woke Charlie Finley and John Nabers from their siesta and got them to the p.m. session."

William T. Morris



The business luncheon, July 1987.

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