

Carolina Nuclear Medicine Technologists, Inc., are Jean Parris—President, and Sue Lance—President-Elect.

The main topic of interest and discussion at the Kentucky Chapter Society of Nuclear Medicine meeting held Apr. 15 was the upcoming Technologist Section Annual Meeting, to be held in Louisville in 1980.

The Council of the Georgia Society of Nuclear Medicine Technologists held their first meeting for their 1978-1979 term in Augusta on May 20. Preliminary plans were discussed for the Fifth Annual Meeting, which will be held in Macon on Feb. 23 and 24.

Meetings of the Ohio Valley Society of Nuclear Medicine have taken place during February, April, and June; plans are now underway for an all-day seminar for Sept. 30.

At the organizational meeting of the Mississippi Society of Nuclear Medicine held Feb 25 in Jackson the following officers were elected: W. Mel Flowers, Jr., MD, President, and Jimmie McDonald, President-Elect.

Candidates for the office of President-Elect of the Technologist Section, SEC/SNM are Marcia Boyd, Wade Smith, and Doug Anderson.

Congratulations are in order for George Alexander who has been elected to the office of President-Elect of the Technologist Section.

—Ann Cox

News from Overseas

Puerto Rico Chapter

The American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine, Inc., celebrated its spring educational meeting in San Juan, Apr. 5-8. The meeting included four morning sessions with lectures on the current state of the art on the most important subjects by leading experts in diagnostic ultrasound. The

afternoon sessions were dedicated to video tape lectures complementing the morning presentations. This was of particular interest to physicians and technologists in radiology, nuclear medicine, and cardiology.

On Friday the whole day program was dedicated to echocardiography, doppler and real time clinical applications in the study of cardiac conditions in children and adults. There were three important luncheon panel discussions: "How to start an ultrasound facility," "How to run an ultrasound facility," and "Medical education and certification of physicians and technologists."

Social activities aimed at establishing ties of friendship with visitors included a welcome cocktail party with a show by the Areyto Folkloric Ballet at the Puerto Rico Sheraton Hotel and a Puerto Rican fiesta at the Bacardi Campus.

This was a unique opportunity for us in Puerto Rico to benefit from and enjoy this meeting without the inconveniences and expenses of travel.

—Rafael Bernabe-Prida

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