

Saturday, March 9

Session Chairman: Joseph W. Beard.

Host-Virus Relationship in Tumor-Inducing Viruses: W. Ray Bryan, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland.

Electron Microscopy of Tumor-Inducing Viruses: Leon Dmochowski, Section of Virology and Electron Microscopy, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, and Department of Microbiology, Baylor University College of Medicine, Houston, Texas.

Carcinogens and Viral Infections: Francisco Duran-Reynals, Department of Microbiology, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.

The Action of Viruses on Cells: Earl A. Evans, Jr., Department of Biochemistry, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

The Potential Significance of Nucleic Acids and Nucleoproteins of Specific Composition in Malignancy: Wendell M. Stanley, Virus Laboratory, University of California, Berkeley, California.

Viruses as Transducing Agents and Their Potential Significance in Cancer: Joshua Lederberg, Department of Genetics, University of Wisconsin, College of Agriculture, Madison, Wisconsin.

The presentation of the Seventh Annual Bertner Foundation Award and Bertner Lecture will be made Friday evening. Established in 1950, the award in honor of the late Dr. E. W. Bertner, first acting director of the M. D. Anderson Hospital and the first president of the Texas Medical Center, is presented annually for outstanding contribution in the field of cancer research. Previous recipients of the Bertner Award have been: Dr. Fred Stewart, the late Dr. George Milton Smith, Dr. Charles B. Huggins, Dr. Francis P. Rous, Dr. George Nicolas Papanicolaou, and Dr. Joseph C. Aub.

General Chairman of the Symposium is Dr. Leon Dmochowski, Section of Virology and Electron Microscopy at M. D. Anderson Hospital. Members of the advisory committee for the program were Drs. Beard, Lennette, Sabin and Syverton.

Erratum

In the article "Further Observations on the Effect of Cortisone and Thyroxin on the Blood Picture of Hypophysectomized Rats" by Howard A. Meineke and Roger C. Crafts, appearing in the January 1957 issue of BLOOD, the amount $\bar{5}$ ml. (page 12, line 17) should read 0.5 ml.

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