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San Francisco  
April 11-12, 1986

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San Francisco, California  
Hotel Meridien, 50 Third Street  
Friday and Saturday, April 11-12, 1986

## Friday, April 11

7:00-9:00 p.m. **Board of Governors Meeting**  
(Hotel Meridien - Chardonnay Room)

## Saturday, April 12

*Hotel Meridien - Sauterne II & III Rooms*

- 9:00-10:30 **General Session #1** - Chairman: William B. Spaulding  
Earl F. Nation: "James Barry, M.D. Inspector General of Hospitals Man or Woman?"  
Stanley M. Aronson: "The Summer of 1832: Cholera Comes to Providence."  
Charles F. Wooley: "Functional Heart Disease: The Role of Military Medicine and the Development of Specialty Hospitals."
- 11:00-12:00 Frederick B. Wagner, Jr.: "The Jefferson Medical College Connection: A Letter from Sir William Osler."  
James V. Warren: "William Osler: 11:59 PM or 12:01 AM."
- 12:00-1:15 **LUNCH** (Hotel Meridien-Sauterne I Room)  
Guenter B. Risse, M.D., Ph.D., Univ. of Calif., San Francisco. **Informal Comments** - Dept. of the History of Health Sciences Program; and - Library Special Collections.
- Hotel Meridien - Sauterne II & III Rooms*
- 1:30-2:30 **General Session #2** - Chairman: Charles G. Roland  
Mary E. Kingsbury: "The Critical Reception of Osler's Books in the non-Medical Press."  
Shigeaki Hinohara: "Doctor Wm. Osler's Theory on Habits—How it Originated."
- 3:00-3:45 **McGovern Lecture:**  
Albert R. Jonsen: "Our Lords, the Sick."\*
- 4:00-5:00 **Annual Business Meeting**
- 7:00 **Banquet** (Hotel Meridien - Sauterne I & II Rooms)  
(Wine courtesy of Majors Scientific Books, Inc., Dallas, Texas)
- 8:00 **Presidential Address:**  
William B. Spaulding  
"William Osler's Experience with Smallpox."

\*Through the generosity of the John P. McGovern Foundation monies have been donated to AOS for an annual John P. McGovern Award Lectureship. Albert R. Jonsen, Ph.D., Chief of the Division of Medical Ethics, School of Medicine, University of California, San Francisco will be our first so-named lecturer. He is a well-known leader, practitioner, teacher, and writer in the field of Medical Ethics. He is the author of several books including *Clinical Ethics: A Practical Approach to Ethical Decisions in Clinical Medicine*, 1982 and *Ethics of Newborn Intensive Care*, 1976.

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