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CMA President, 1975-76
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Dr. Grisdale had a busy career in different sectors of medicine, including a year as President of the Alberta Medical Association and five years as deputy minister of hospital and medical care for the government of Alberta. In 1983 the CMA recognized his contributions by awarding him its Medal of Service. He was a staunch defender of Canadian health care: “It is irresponsible to suggest we're spending too much on health care,” he told CMAJ in 1975. “Those who do need to be specific about the areas where too much is being spent.”