



# SHIFTING DULLNESS

DAVISON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER  
DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

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## Special-For Y'all

TO ALL STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE NIRMP

The Student Rank Order lists have arrived. They may be picked up in Marilyn's office. Please come by as they have to be returned to the NIRMP office by January 11, 1978. None can be accepted after this date.

NEW MAXIMUM ON ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON INSURED LOAN PROGRAM

The maximum on Robert Wood Johnson Insured Loans for medical students has been increased to \$3,000 from a previous maximum of \$1,500 for 1977-78. These loans carry a 10% prepaid interest and may be used by students in lieu of parents' or spouse's contribution, or for those years after earning the M.D. degree over a ten year period.

Complete information and applications forms are available in the Office of Financial Aid, 123 Davison.

APPLICATIONS FOR LOAN REPAYMENT FOR SERVICES IN A SHORTAGE AREA

As of October 1, 1977, the Student Assistance Branch, Bureau of Health Manpower, is no longer accepting applications for Health Professions Loan Repayment for Service in a Shortage Area. Applications for Nursing Loan Repayment are still being accepted.

On August 1, 1977, the Health Planning and Health Research and Statistics Extension Act of 1977 (P.L. 95-83) was signed by the President. This legislation provided that other professional loans made prior to October 1, 1976, were eligible for repayment in addition to federally financed health professions loans. Due to this enactment, the Bureau has received an increased number of applications which has resulted in a total commitment of funds allocated for FY1978. Although no funds remain for new applications, it is possible that additional funds for this fiscal year may be made available.

In accordance with the Health Professions Educational Assistance Act of 1976, the published health professions shortage area lists previously in use expired September 30, 1977. New criteria and lists are

now being developed. We will advise you regarding future developments in this program.

## **contest**

The American Society of Law and Medicine announces the 1978 John P. Rattigan Student Essay Competition. Students may submit original papers on any subject of medicolegal interest. The deadline for submitting manuscripts is September 15, 1978. Prizes ranging from \$100 to \$300 will be awarded. Further information is available in the Davison Soc. Office, 6th Floor.

## **Externships, etc.**

Meres Senior Studentship for Medical Research - St. John's College, Cambridge: The Council of St. John's College, invite applications for 2 Meres Senior Studentships. Each student will be elected for a period of not less than 1 year, and not more than 3 years. The research must be pursued in the University of Cambridge or in some place in the neighborhood of Cambridge. Applications must reach St. John's by January 31, 1978. Details are available in the Davison Society Office and in the Medical School Library Reserve Room in the book called Electives Away From Duke.

## **residencies**

The following programs have sent information to the Davison Society. It is available for review in the Davison Society Office.

Family Practice: a list of the newly approved family practice residency programs from the A.A.F.P. has been received.  
Internal Medicine - Cleveland Metropolitan General Hospital - Case Western Reserve University  
University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida  
University of Washington, Spokane, Washington  
Occupational and Environmental Medicine - University of Cincinnati

PATHOLOGY PUZZLE

Since we're all going on vacation soon, there won't be a prize this week, but here's something to keep you busy. Last week's winner was David Harlan, MSI, with the answer: DEPRESSING - molality, dilution, particles, kilogram, diuresis, urine.

COAGULATION AND HEMOSTASIS

A S I S A T S O M E H P D N A N O I T A L U G A O C G  
 N E G O N I R B I F I R M E N O E G A T S G W E H T R  
 O D E K N I L S M C L O T M O W T E G A T S E R R A O  
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 I F A C T O R X I I M H O G N I D E E L B F O R G E T  
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 L J A K C V I T A M I N K G A S I C L O T G S T R M A  
 C P S S T U A R T P R O W E R O T G A F I B R I N B C  
 F A C T O R R P T C A A F N T O P H E T H E O R Y I N  
 U R N O R E S I D U A L L S H H E M O P H I L I A N G  
 O N E N I B M O R H T H O M A S P C L A S S I C A L O

Coagulation & hemostasis	tissue thromboplastin
the arrest of bleeding	stable factor
platelets	stage two
vessel	prothrombin
in vivo	liver
in vitro	coumadin
rapid clotting	vitamin K
classical theory	labile factor
coagulation factors	VI does not exist
stage one	Stuart Prower Factor
TGT	thrombin
factor XII	fibrinogen
PTA	peptides
PTC	monomer
Christmas Factor	soft fibrin clot
AHF	fibrin stabilizing factor
sex linked	cross links
recessive	firm clot
hemophilia	residual thrombin
calcium	



**Happy Holidays**

Shifting Dullness will resume  
publication during the week of  
January 9, 1978.