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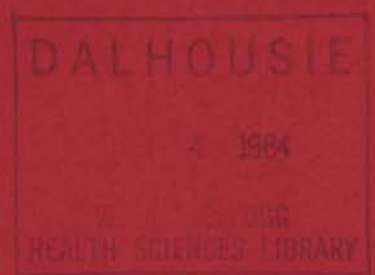
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HOLIDAY GREETINGS FROM THE DEAN'S OFFICE

As we come to the end of our first full year of occupation of the new building and to the middle of our 75th Anniversary Year celebrations, I would like to wish all faculty, staff and students a most happy holiday and prosperous New Year. I would also like to give you my thanks for your hard work and support of the many activities of the Faculty in the past year, but most particularly the efforts that went into the Conference on Teaching and Research which was coupled with the formal opening of the building and the special convocation awarding honorary degrees in recognition of our alumni and part-time faculty. Your efforts over the year are most appreciated and I am proud to serve with you.

Very best wishes for 1983.

Ian C. Bennett, Dean

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL FACULTY, STAFF AND STUDENTS FROM HEATHER BOWERS, DENTAL ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR, ELLEN ALLEN, ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR AND FROM ALL FACULTY ON LEVEL I AND II - CLINIC.

FACULTY AND STAFF NEWS

WELCOME to the following new Dental Assistants on Level II of the Dental Clinic:

MARGARET ANDERSON
ANGELA BAXTER
BARBARA CORMIER

WELCOME to **MARK SIMKINS**, photographer/portable video technician.

Good-bye and best wishes to **MARY-LYNN MACISAAC** who has recently left her position as Dental Assistant in the Dental Clinic.

Congratulations and best wishes to **EILEEN (Hubley)** and **PAUL ALLEN**, who were married on September 24, 1982.

Best wishes go out to **CATHY** and **TED LEMOYRE** who finally were able to take baby son, Joel, home from the hospital on November 19.

Congratulations to **MS. HEATHER HASKINS**, Dental Assistant, Level I, who celebrates her fifth year of employment with the Dental Clinic. Keep up the good work, Heather!

HOLLY PREST once again received the trophy for the softball team's "Most Valuable Player" for her season with the Bluebombers. Congratulations, Holly!

Goodbye and good luck to **CARRIE SMITH**, who has left her position as Clerk in Restorative Dentistry on November 30. Carrie has moved to Ottawa - closer to her hometown and our best wishes go with her.

DEBBIE MONMINIE is temporarily replacing Carrie's position - welcome to Restorative Dentistry, Debbie!

We have a new temporary Micom operator - her name is **MARIE GIARD** and we are pleased to welcome her to the Faculty of Dentistry.

CHRIS EDWARDS received his M.A. Degree in English at the University Convocation on October 22, 1982. The topic of his thesis is: George Gascoigne's "Invention" and the Elizabethian Sonnet.

CATHY CURRELL and **HOLLY PREST** attended a two-day seminar, November 9 and 10, 1982, on the topic of "Women Managers in Government."

JEAN HAMES recently attended a three-day seminar entitled, "Professional Secretaries Workshop".

MARIE BROWN and **SUSAN BUTLER** recently attended a one-day seminar entitled "Video Display Terminals - Are They Hazardous to Your Health?"

Faculty and staff were saddened to learn recently of the sudden death of **MRS. BERNICE CHISHOLM**. Mrs. Chisholm had been a valued member of the Clinic staff for many years as supervisor of Dental Assistants until her retirement in 1979.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL FACULTY, STAFF AND STUDENTS FROM HEATHER BOWERS, DENTAL ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR, EILEEN ALLEN, ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR AND FROM ALL DENTAL ASSISTANTS ON LEVEL I AND II - CLINICS. MAY YOUR CHRISTMAS BE ONE OF JOY AND HAPPINESS! ALL THE BEST IN '83.

TRAVEL NEWS

(Continued)

DR. O.P. SYKORA attended the International Dental Federation Meeting in Vienna, Austria, during the week of October 11th to 15th.

On October 21st, 22nd, and 23rd, **DRS. CHAYTOR, GRAHAM, ERVIN,** and **HOAR** were in Montreal, attending the Second Lorne E. MacLachan Teaching Conference on Removable Prosthodontics, and the Annual Meeting of the Association of Prosthodontists of Canada.

DR. HOAR attended meetings of the American Academy of Maxillofacial Prosthetics and the American College of Prosthodontists during the week of November 1st to 5th.

Dr. J. EISNER was in Toronto on November 18th and 19th to Chair the fall meeting of the ACFD Education Committee. He also travelled to Edmonton on December 1st to 3rd for a meeting of the ACFD Executive Council of which he is a member.

DRS. F.W. LOVELY, D.S. PRECIOUS, and **A.E. HOFFMAN** attended the Canadian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons meeting in Toronto on October 15th, 16th, and 17th, 1982.

DR. F.W. LOVELY presented a paper "Objectives in Undergraduate Oral Surgery" and chaired this session at the Educators meeting.

DR. D.S. PRECIOUS is Chairman of the Hospital Services Committee and **DR. F.W. LOVELY** is Chairman of the Education Committee of the Canadian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons and each reported to the annual meeting.

DR. J.P. LABA and **DR. L. MCFADDEN** attended the Canadian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons meeting in Toronto on October 15th, 16th, and 17th, 1982.

DR. E.L. MACINNIS attended the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons in Atlanta on October 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, 1982.

JOYCE ARNOLD and **KATE MACDONALD** attended the 110th Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association held in Montreal on November 13th to 18th. The general theme of the sessions was Aging and Public Health. About 11,000 health professional from Canada and the United States were in attendance.

KATE MACDONALD attended a meeting of the National Health and Welfare Working Group on the Practice of Dental Hygiene in Ottawa on November 18th and 19th.

DR. JOHN CHRISTIE also attended the meeting as a representative of C.D.A.

The first draft of the Working Group Report will be circulated to the membership prior to the next meeting which has been scheduled for April, 1983.

DRS. BARRO and **SPRACKLIN** of the Orthodontic Division attended a Continuing Education Course in Toronto on Functional Appliances in Orthodontics, October 16th, 17th, 1982.

DRS. BARRO, EISNER and **SMITH** of the Orthodontics Division attended a meeting of the Atlantic Orthodontic Society and Northeastern Orthodontic Society in Montreal from November 12th-17th, 1982.

TRAVEL NEWS

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From July to November, the following out of town lectures were delivered by **DR. M.M. COHEN**. On July 27, he lectured on Picasso and the Art of Distortion and Dislocation at the University of Washington in Seattle. On September 24 and 25, Dr. M.M. Cohen, Sr. and Dr. M.M. Cohen, Jr. presented a Continuing Education in Dentistry programme at Dalhousie University for the Joseph Howe Festival entitled Pediatric Dentistry and Pediatric Stomatology. Dr. Cohen was the keynote speaker at the International Syndromology Meeting in Florence, Italy on October 14, lecturing on Principles of Syndromology. On October 17, he addressed the Italian Association of Families with Handicapped Children on Available Surgical Services

for Birth Defects of the Face and Skull. He was a Visiting Professor in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Siena in Italy on September 19 where he spoke on Dysmorphic Growth and Development. During the week of November 15 he attended the American Public Health Association Meeting in Montreal. He has been invited as a Visiting Professor to the University of Toronto School of Dentistry on February 7 where he will give a lecture to the faculty and students entitled Syndromology's Message for Craniofacial Biology. On the evening of February 6, he will speak to the Ontario Society of Pedodontists on Perspectives on the Face.

INTERNATIONAL DENTAL STANDARDS ORGANIZATION MEETING IN VIENNA

Meeting of ISO/TC 106 Dentistry. The International Standards Organization concerned with the preparation of standards for dental materials, devices and equipment held very successful meetings in Vienna during the week of October 18th-22nd, 1982. The meetings were hosted by the Austrian National Standards Organization. Some 90 delegates from 15 different countries took part in the meetings of the various committees.

The Canadian delegation consisted of Dr. D.W. Jones of Dalhousie University who is Chairman of the Canadian Advisory Committee on ISO/TC 106, Head of the Canadian delegation, member of the

Secretariat and of Working Group #1; Dr. D.C. Smith of the University of Toronto who is Chairman of Working Group #1; Dr. P. Desautels of the University of Montreal; Dr. R. Barolet of the University of Laval; Dr. P. Williams of the University of Manitoba; Dr. L. Johnson of the University of Western Ontario and Mr. W. Latchem, Beavers Dental Instruments. ISO/TC 106 is concerned with the development and updating of international standards based upon the physical and chemical properties of dental materials, and the design and physical arrangement of dental equipment.

INTERNATIONAL DENTAL STANDARDS ORGANIZATION MEETING IN VIENNA

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The 6 working groups and 35 Task group meetings were held during the week. Working Group #1 on Dental Filling Materials had 4 different task groups meeting. Dr. Derek Jones of Canada holds the position of secretary of this group. This working group had discussions on draft standards for (i) zinc oxide eugenol type restorative materials, (ii) glass ionomer cements, (iii) silico phosphate cement and, (iv) amalgam alloys and mercury. Work is also continuing in the task groups on endodontic materials, pit and fissure sealants, resin based filling materials and the harmonization of cement standards.

Working Group #2 on Prosthetic Materials had 13 task groups meeting at this time. The task groups of Working Group #2 were involved with the development of standards for synthetic resin teeth, porcelain bonded to metal, investment materials, resilient and soft lining materials for dentures, gold solders, gypsum products, colour stability, elastomeric and alginate impression materials, gold casting alloys, denture base resin and corrosion tests. Working Group #3 on Terminology held meetings to develop standard terminology. Working Group #4 Dental Instruments held meetings dealing with standardiza-

tion of bur dimensions, neck strength and bur performance, a number coding system for rotary instruments, hand pieces and root canal hand instruments. Working Group #6 dealing with the workplace of the dentist and equipment held meetings dealing with the patient chair, dental units, dental lighting as well as dental amalgamators, dispensers and capsules. Working Group #7 on Toothbrushes were finalizing the draft document for this important dental product.

Currently Canadian National Standards are being developed by implementation and/or modification of existing ISO standards. Canada through the CAC Committee is actively participating in the development of ISO standards. All of the working groups of ISO Technical Committee TC 106 on Dentistry have Canadian representation and Canada holds the Secretariat of one of the most important of these working groups (WG 1) dealing with filling materials. The working groups and their task groups conducted their meetings Monday through Thursday and the entire group of ISO/TC 106 met in Plenary Session on Friday the 22nd October to consider the recommendations brought forward from the Working Groups.

Submitted by,

Dr. Derek W. Jones, B.Sc., Ph.D., F.I.
Ceram.

Chairman
Canadian Advisory Committee ISO/TC 106
Chairman
Canadian Standards Association Technical
Committee on Dentistry
Secretariat ISO/TC 106/WG 1

BOWLING REPORT

Paula Chisholm

The members of the staff and friends bowling league are still hitting the lanes every Thursday night. We are getting an average of only 14 people a night which could and should be more. The following list shows the averages of each player as of December 2.

Paula	147
Claire	160
Carolyn	160
Audria	152
John	184
Grace	161
Kathy P.	135
Joanne	173
Rob Z.	150
Linda J.	150
Lorna	176
Trudy	135
Donna	138
Gordie H.	209
Karen H.	163
Gordie O.	142
Larry	148
Lem	176

Now to elaborate on each individual bowler. As most of you have heard Gordie Hall bragging about his 319 mark, we need not pursue the matter. However we are very proud of him even if he did get money and prestige for it. We also don't think he should brag too much about it as Claire Harrington had a mark of 291 one night. She had everybody's attention as she threw 6 strikes in a row! We know that she'll surprise us again and beat Gordie's mark.

Audria has learned not to drop the balls as much anymore, however she has taught her husband how to drop them even better! Lorna finds that there is more incentive if her team members sing while they bowl. Lorna,

give up, we are a lost cause and it isn't working out the way you intended. Thanks anyway!!!.

The three dental assistants (or as they should be called-the three musketeers) are on a roll. Trudy has been doing pretty well and lately she is even bringing her personal fan with her. Kathy Purcell had a slow start at the first of the year but didn't let that stop her. We hope your team captain isn't putting too much pressure on you Kath. Just think of it as lessons. Joanne is one of the better female bowlers we have. She's so good that she's able to bet against the male bowlers.

Donna, our quiet secretary, is not so quiet on the lanes. She has her good and bad nights. On the nights she doesn't do so well she likes to complain to the pins.

Gordie Owen was a real amateur when he started but has come a long way. The bowling members have money placed that Gordie has been taking private lessons.

Besides our regulars we do have some spares that are regulars. Carolyn is one that puzzles everyone, as although she doesn't come every week she still has the grace and style that everyone tries for.

Lem, an ex staff member at the clinic, is another regular spare. He is a great added attraction especially when he's bowling with Lorna. He's got the rhythm to go with Lorna's songs. Under pressure he likes to place high bets on himself mostly for personal incentive.

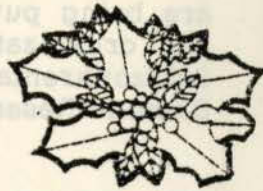
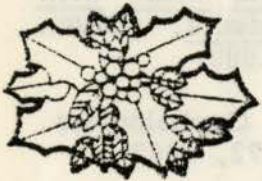
Robert Zinck has just started bowling with us and we hope he sticks with it.

BOWLING REPORT

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He's off on the right foot and we are sure that whichever team he bowls for he'll be a big help as he is so hyper-active. His actions and Mrs. Hall's voice really keep the teams laughing.

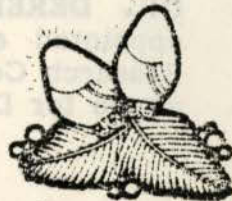
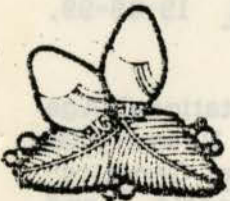
We are all enjoying ourselves immensely. Maybe there are more people who would like to join. You are welcome any time!!!!



CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES

Santa has invited all faculty and staff to attend the Faculty of Dentistry's Christmas Luncheon at the Citadel Inn

on Monday, December 20, 1982 - 12:00-2:00 p.m. Look forward to seeing you there.



CHRISTMAS PARTY

At the meeting of the elves on Wednesday, December 1, representatives discussed plans for the upcoming Christmas Party.

welcome and should contact Lorna Thurber at 2275.

The party will be held on Wednesday, December 22 from 3:00-5:00 p.m. and at 5:00 p.m. open to guests in the Staff Lounge on the Fourth Floor of the Dental Building.

There will be the usual nibbles to go with refreshments from the bar starting at 3:00 p.m.

Anyone wishing to help in the planning and organizing of the party is very

Entertainment so far will be a surprise but it is expected that there will be music and a visit from Jolly Old St. Nick.

YOUR MORNING SMILE

A boss is a person who is late when you're early and early when you're late.

GENERAL INFORMATION

DR. DEREK W. JONES has been appointed by the C.D.A. to chair a special committee to look into the use of mercury in dentistry. Some concerns are being put forward by the lay public and organizations such as the Canadian Schizophrenia Foundation and the Toxic Element Research Foundation.

DR. DEREK W. JONES has been appointed to the Editorial Committee of the Journal of Dental Research.

DR. DEREK W. JONES has been re-appointed as a member of the Medical Research Council of Canada Grants Committee for Dental Sciences until 1984.

TABLE CLINIC

Table Clinic presentations will be held on February 14, 1982 at 7:30 p.m. on Level 2 in the Dental Building, from the clinic cubicles - presentations by Third Year Dentistry and Second Year Dental Hygiene Students

SKATING

Dalhousie Arena offers skating at noon hours (11:30 - 1:00) on Tuesdays and Thursdays for \$1.00

On Mondays at 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.; Thursdays 8:30 - 10:00 p.m.; Saturdays 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.; and Sundays 10:30 - 12:00 noon - public may skate for \$2.00 or free with a Dalplex membership.

During the autumn, the following publications by **DR. M.M. COHEN, JR.** of the Division of Oral Pathology have appeared:

1. A book entitled The Child with Multiple Birth Defects, Raven Press, New York, 1982.
2. Syndromes with Cephaloceles, Teratology 25:161-172, 1982.
3. The Cloverleaf Skull Anomaly: An Anatomic and Histologic Study of Two Specimens, with V.G. Kokich and B.C. Moffett, Cleft Palate Journal 19:89-99, 1982.
4. The Large-for-Gestational-Age (LGA) Infant in Dysmorphic Perspective, in Clinical Genetics: Problems in Diagnosis and Counseling, A.M. Willey, T.P. Carter, S. Kelly, and I.H. Porter, Eds., Academic Press, New York, 1982, pp. 153-169.
5. An Update on the Holoprosencephalic Disorders, Journal of Pediatrics, November, 1982.
6. Syndrome Delineation and Its Implications for the Study of Pathogenic Mechanisms, in Advances in the Study of Birth Defects, Vol. 5, Genetic Disorders, Syndromology and Prenatal Diagnosis, T.V.N. Persaud, Ed., NTP Press Ltd., Lancaster, 1982. The editor of this volume, Dr. Persaud, and most of the contributors are Canadian.

GENERAL INFORMATION

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SEMINAR

DR. ELLIOTT J. SUTOW presented a seminar at the Technical University of Nova Scotia, November 5, 1982. The presentation was held under the auspices of the Department of Mining and Metallurgy, and was entitled, "Predicting the Clinical Behaviour of Dental Amalgam from In Vitro Studies."

LOST AND FOUND

DR. ERVIN seems to have lost some slides. He is not sure at present how many are missing, but so far he has identified the absence of some title slides. His name should be on them. If anyone should find them, would you please call him at 2291, or call Sue Malcolm at 2467.

NEWS FROM D.I.R.

SPECIAL PROJECTS:

BRUCE MOXLEY and DAVID MERCER have recently completed designing the specifications for a new live broadcast television teaching facility at Mount Saint Vincent University. The specially equipped classroom is part of the DUET program (Distance University Education via Television) at the Mount and is expected to go on the air to specific community locations in the New Year.

BEST WISHES to all our customers and friends for a Happy Holiday Season!

REMINDER:

January is just around the corner - so please look ahead at your teaching material needs for the new semester. Remember, we need 7 working days or longer for most processes.

TABLE CLINIC ADVISORS:

February Table Clinic night comes up very quickly once classes start in January. We urge you to encourage advisees to start "NOW" thinking of prints, display materials, posters, etc. they might need and talk with us ASAP about these.

STILL MISSING:

Carousel Slide Projector Model AF-2, yellow letters on the side A19, Serial number 4999819 - last seen in room 4114.

GENERAL INFORMATION

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FACULTY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE SEMINAR

PRESENTS

December 1 Dr. B. McRae Management of Time in Your Personal Life

December 9 Dr. M. Cohen, Jr. Diseases of the Dental Curriculum

and

The First Year Oral Histology-Embryology
Course

NEWS FROM D.L.R.

TABLE CLINIC ADVISORS:

SPECIAL PROJECTS:

CONTINUING EDUCATION EVENTS

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| Nov.' 82 - April '83 | Clinical Experience in Oral Surgery
One week - One at a time
- Dr. Precious & Others | Halifax |
| Feb. 12 & 13 | CPR | Halifax |
| Feb. 14 & 15 | Sophistication in Everyday Crown
& Bridge Procedures
- Drs. Legatto & Gelfant, Vancouver | Halifax |
| Feb. 25 & 26 | Current Therapy in Oral & Maxillofacial
Surgery
- Drs. MacInnis & Precious | Corner Brook |

INTERVIEW AND SELECTION WORKSHOP

presented by

L.P. GRAHAM
Senior Research Associate
Bureau of Economic and Behavioral Research
American Dental Association

Dental Building
(rooms to be announced)

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday, January 14 and Saturday, January 15, 1983

A requirement for all who plan to
interview prospective dental students
for the 1983-84 class
(even those who have attended previous workshops should attend)

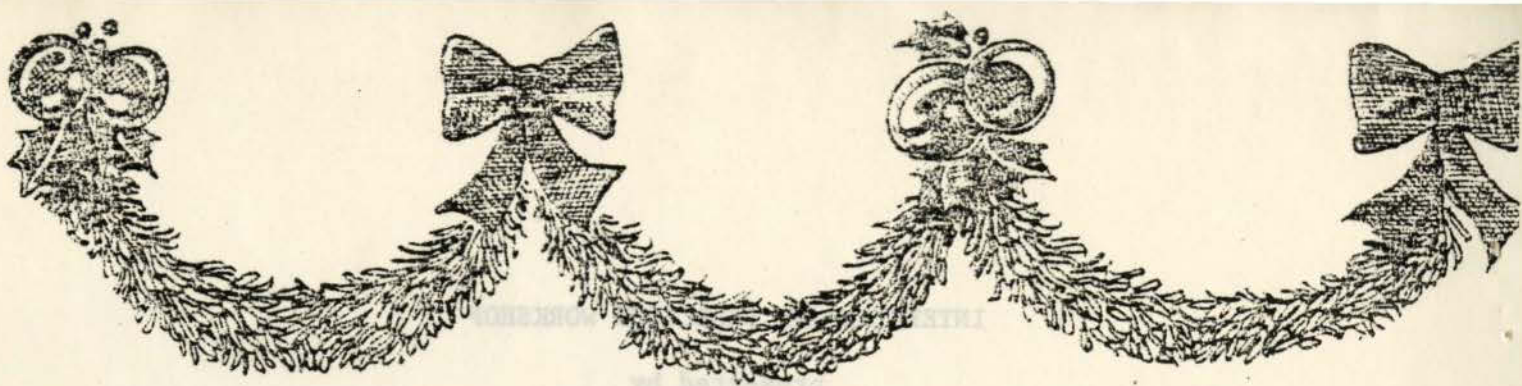
Techniques beneficial for those engaged in any interviewing process

Full-time faculty members with teaching responsibilities
on January 14, and part-time faculty members
who wish to attend should discuss arrangements for
teaching coverage and reimbursement with their Division Head

Sponsored in part by the Canadian Dental Admission Test Committee, C.D.A.

For further information:

Dr. B. Graham



CALENDAR IN REVIEW

- December 21 - Staff and Faculty Christmas Lunch
- Citadel Inn
- December 22 - Christmas Party
- Staff Lounge - 3:00 p.m.
- December 24 - University Holiday
- December 25 - MERRY CHRISTMAS!
- December 26 - Boxing Day
- December 27 - University Holiday
- December 31 - University Holiday
- January 1 - HAPPY NEW YEAR!

SEASONS GREETINGS