

mony with those of the other through the agency of the Board of Publication Trustees. The Editorial Board is charged with the responsibility of carrying out these policies and of maintaining high standards of quality. It is planned to add an advisory editorial board of outstanding physiologists outside of North America to encourage the contribution of research papers from abroad. (*July 1948*)

In recent years, requests to reconsider the title of the Journal have grown louder and more numerous. But it is still not clear either to the Editor or the Publications Committee that most of those who write for the Journal, or those who read it, are sufficiently unhappy with the title to advocate change. Or if change were advocated, what the new title should be.

In the attempt to sample the views of contributors and readers, a questionnaire has been distributed to the members of the American Physiological Society who have expressed interest in the fields of Respiratory, Cardiovascular, Environmental, Thermal, or Exercise Physiology. However, one problem with this approach is that even though these members are contributors to, and readers of, the Journal, they do not represent the full constituency.

The purpose of this essay is threefold: 1) to alert all interested in the Journal that a poll about its title is underway, 2) to invite others than those in the fields identified above to obtain a ballot and vote, and 3) to indicate that letters are open for expressions of opinion concerning the advisability of changing the title of *The Journal of Applied Physiology: Respiratory, Environmental and Exercise Physiology*.

Your vote and views will be helpful in settling this troublesome issue.

A.P. Fishman, Editor
*Journal of Applied Physiology: Respiratory,
Environmental and Exercise Physiology*

Lasker Award for Basic Medical Research

Neurobiologists **Vernon Mountcastle**, of Johns Hopkins, and **Eric Kandel**, of Columbia, are the recipients of an Albert Lasker Award for their work on the cellular basis for memory and learning.

Dr. Mountcastle, Section Editor of the *Handbook of Physiology, Nervous System*, and Chief Editor (1962-1964) and editorial board member of the *Journal of Neurophysiology*, was cited for his work with monkeys. Over many years, he studied monkeys as they reacted to the environment and performed tasks. From his findings he developed the concept of the brain as more of an integrative unit than hierarchical.

Dr. Kandel, Volume Editor of the *Handbook of Physiology, Cellular Biology of Neurons*, and long-time editorial board member of the *Journal of Neurophysiology*, studied the giant brain cells of the sea snail *Aplysia* and showed how they control behavior and memory.



APS-USNC/IUPS Travel Grant Program List of Awardees XXIX IUPS Congress, Sydney Aug. 28-Sep. 3, 1983

Travel awards to the XXIX International Congress of Physiological Sciences in Sydney, Australia, were made possible by grants from various government and nongovernment sources as well as from the APS (see *The Physiologist*, August 1983). Most of the APS Funds (\$44,000) came from donations (as a voluntary assessment) from members of the Society, enabling the APS not only to support the travel of younger scientists, but also to demonstrate to other funding agencies the level of members' commitment to international communication. Such a show of interest was certainly an important factor in the favorable response to APS proposals requesting grant monies from funding agencies.

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