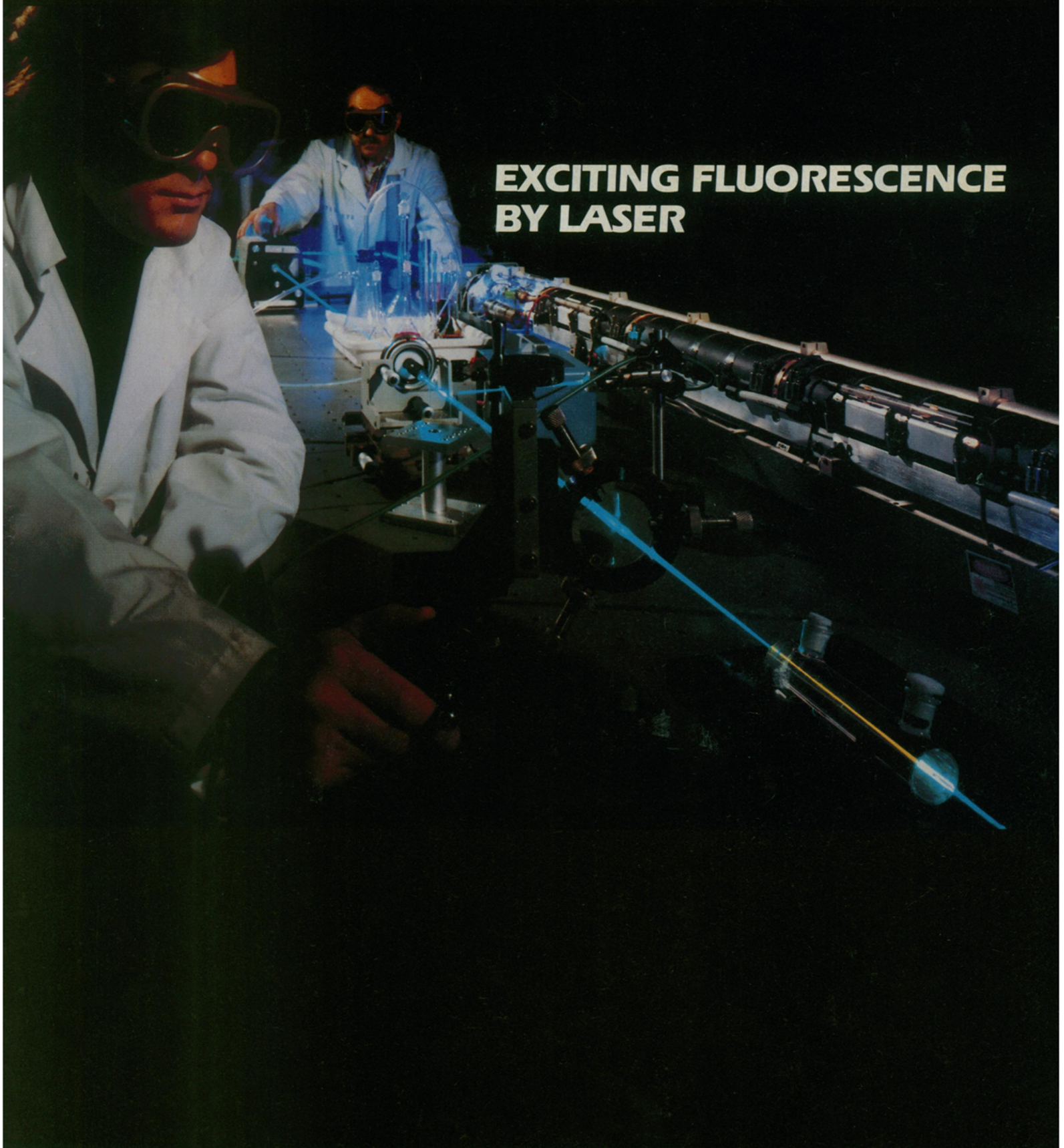


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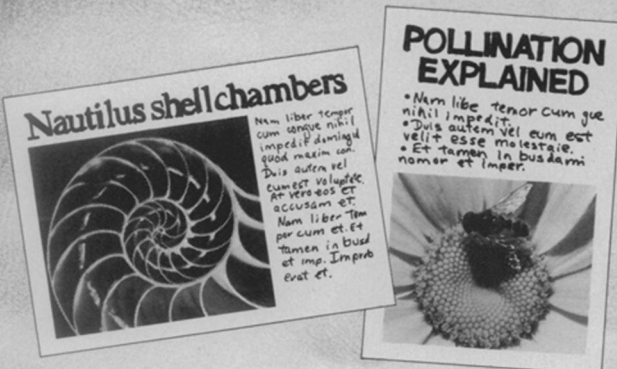
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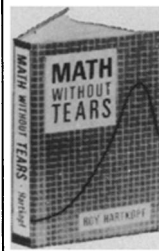
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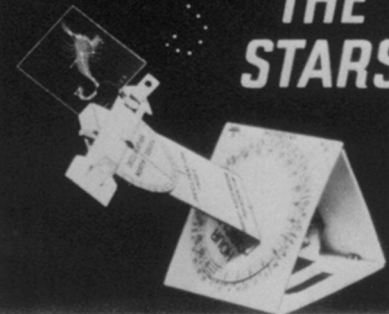
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Jan Koch-Weser, M.D.:

ON SYSTOLIC HYPERTENSION, more common than diastolic hypertension and at least as dangerous

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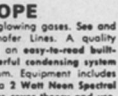
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