Temple Fay, and the recommendations of Dr. and Mrs. Bobath about doing what one can to inhibit various primitive reflexes and abnormal postures. The booklet will be of much interest, especially to physiotherapists.

The second booklet, called Enuresis, consists of three papers originally appeared in the Barnardos Staff Gazete, the first being by Miss D. M. Dyson, a chief executive officer; the second by Dr. C. V. Bloom, chief medical officer; and the third by Dr. Elizabeth Whatley, consultant psychiatrist to the Child Guidance Clinic. Thus the subject is usefully presented from different angles by authors who have had considerable experience of the problem; and they all discuss it with common sense, understanding, and sympathy.

In the absence of any treatment that will guarantee a quick cure it is important to consider all the constitutional and environmental influences that may operate in each case, and to remember that a small number of the sufferers have an organic lesion needing attention. Emphasis is placed on general management, and this varies to some extent with the type of child and the circumstances of his life. Drugs are mentioned, but without enthusiasm, and this reflects the views of most clinicians. The warning bell or buzzer has been used for a total of 40 cases (37 boys and three girls) with the following results: cured, eight; much improved, seven; some improvement, five; no improvement (often due to lack of co-operation) 13. Still under trial at the time, seven.

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BOOKS RECEIVED

Review is not precluded by notice here of books recently received.


British Association in Forensic Medicine.—Symposium, "Coronary Artery Disease," 9 a.m., November 24, London Hospital. Details from Dr. A. Keith Mant, Department of Forensic Medicine, Guy’s Hospital Medical School, London S.E.1.

Health Conference for Executives.—November 29, 10 a.m.—4.30 p.m., Connaught Rooms, Great Queen Street, London W.C.2. Details from Chest and Heart Association, Tavistock House North, Tavistock Square, London W.C.1.

New Issues of Specialist Journals
The journals listed below are obtainable from the Publishing Manager, B.M.A. House, Tavistock Square, London W.C.1.

GUT
The contents of the September issue are as follows:
The Pathology of Chronic Obsessopilosis. Robert J. Sandry.
The Augmented Histamine Test in the Differential Diagnosis Between Ulcer Prophylaxis and Cancer of the Stomach. Kaj Fischmamn and H. K. Kastil.
The Clinical Symptoms in 436 Cases of Prognosis of the Proctoscopy. R. A. Roxburgh.
Chronic Pyelonephritis. S. M. J. Moulton and N. D. Gallagher.
The Gastric Secretion in Peptic Ulcer and in Gastric Ulcer with Sigmoid Diverticulum. I. E. Gillelip and D. J. Bowry.
Insulin Excretion in the Cœur. J. N. Cooney.
An Incomplete Form of Acanthosis Nigricans. E. B. Sneddon and J. B. M. Morris.

GUT
The contents of the October issue are as follows:
Blindness in Infants During Intravenous Urea Therapy. S. J. Crews and S. D. Davidson.
Injunction of Sterility. N. Kerkow.
Nephrotic Endophthalmitis Due to Toxocara. A. Rey.
Cryptococcosis of the Upper Respiratory Tract and Ear. L. E. Boyce and Gene M. Casper.

ROYAL STATISTICAL SOCIETY: MEDICAL SECTION.—At Mansion Theatre, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, London W.C., 5 p.m., Dr. J. O. Robinson: A Study of Necrotic and Capsul Arterial Blood Pressure.
WRESTLING HOSPITAL FOR NEUROLOGY AND NEUROSURGERY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. H. C. Grapes: Chronic Meningitis.

British Medical Journal

Wednesday, October 31
BURLINGTON GENERAL HOSPITAL.—12.15 p.m., Dr. Max Zoob: The Aetiology of Complete Heart Block.
INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. I. Szur: Radiotherapy of Dermatological Diseases.—II.
INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CREST.—5 p.m., Mr. N. R. Barrett: Genetic Abscess.
INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY.—4.30 for 5 p.m., Mr. A. H. Harkness: Nonsurgical Urological Urethrol.
MANCHESTER MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Physiology Theatre, Manchester University Medical School, 4 for 4.30 p.m., Presidential Address by Sir Ronald Ross: Apeine and Death.
POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—(1) 10.15 a.m., medical staff tour followed by clinicalopathological conference. (2) 2 p.m., Dr. W. J. H. Butterfield: Diabetes and the Study of Carbohydrate Metabolism with Famous Man.
ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL.—5.15 p.m., Dr. W. I. Card: Assessment of Genetic Secretory Function.

Tuesday, November 1
BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Professor T. Symington: Pathological Physiology of the Human Adrenal Cortex and Its Relationship to Hypercorticism. HILTON END HOSPITAL, MEDICAL SOCIETY.—8 p.m., Dr. J. T. Hutchinson: Depression (with film).
LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION.—8 p.m., Clinical Aspects of Renal Bio. Dr. H. J. Goldsmith: Method and Application. Dr. G. E. Honey: Results in Diabetes Mellitus.
LONDON UNIVERSITY.—At Royal Society of Medicine, 5 p.m., Semon Lecture by Professor Carl-Axel Hamberger (Stockholm): Transamparamins and Hypoxystomy.
NORTH-WESTERN THORACIC SOCIETY.—At Aintree Hospital, Liverpool, 5 p.m., Dr. G. D. Jack: Experiences in the Use of Chemotherapy in Lung Cancer.
NEUROLOGICAL ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRE.—At Wingfield-Morris Orthopaedic Hospital, 8.30 p.m., Professor J. J. Backache: A Gynaecological Symptom.
ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—5 p.m., Hunterian Lecture by Professor K. E. D. Shuttleworth: Intravenous Fat Therapy.
ROYAL INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC Health and HYGIENE.—At Postgraduate Medical School of the Institute, 23 Queen Street, London W.C.1, 6 p.m., Dr. Owen McGrath: Environmental Working Conditions—St. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY.—At Physiology Department Lecture Theatre, Queen’s College, Dundee, 5 p.m., Dr. J. G. Scadnell: Pulmonary Fibrosis.
ST. GEORGE’S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Large Lecture Theatre, 2 p.m., Dr. Denis Williams: Demonstrations in Neurology.
M. ST. MARY’S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Wright-Fleming Institute Theatre, 5 p.m., Dr. D. A. Davie: Water and Weight Gain in Prematurity.

Friday, November 2
GALENCIALS SOCIETY.—At Royal Fort, Bristol, 5.30 p.m., B.M.A. Lecture by Mr. A. Dickson Wright: Diseases of the English Kings.
INSTITUTE OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Mr. J. W. S. Lindahl: Experimental Demonstration.
INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLARYNGOLOGY.—3.30 p.m., Professor D. F. North: Soft Tissue.
POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—(1) 10 a.m., Mr. J. J. Mason Brown: Congenital Abnormalities of the Hind Gut. (2) 4 p.m., Dr. D. G. Medrose: Modern Methods for Cardiac Surgery.
Saturday, November 3
SOCIETY OF SCHOOL OF MEDICAL AND DENTAL OFFICERS OF SCOTLAND.—At University Club, Edinburgh University, 10.30 a.m., Mr. L. Bacon: Selective School Medical Inspection in Hampshire.
MEDICAL THORACIC SOCIETY.—At Birmingham Medical Institution, 3 p.m., Dr. E. J. Moran Campbell: Respiration and Acid Base Regulation.

APPOINTMENTS
HOLLMAN, ARTHUR, M.D., M.R.C.P., Consultant Cardiologist, University College Hospital, Gower Street, London W.C.1. WEAVER, E. J., M.B., F.R.C.S., Surgical Consultant, Kuwait Oil Company, Ltd., Southwell Hospital, Ahmadi, Kuwait.

BIRTHS
Burton.—On October 11, 1962, at St. John’s Hospital, Checelmsford, Essex, to Jillian (formerly Orber), M.S.R., and Michael Burton, M.A., M.B., M.S.A., a daughter, Name and Address.
Pewlin.—On September 25, 1962, at St. Mary’s Hospital, Portsmouth, to Dorothy (formerly Barkway) and Dr. Stephen Polwin, a son—Andrew. Sutten.—On October 9, 1962, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Chatham, a daughter, Svithe.

DEATHS
Dawe.—On October 17, 1962, at a nursing-home, Frank Sherwill Dawe, M.D., of Littlehemp, Jacobs Lane, Torquay.
Hancock.—On October 12, 1962, at St. John’s Hospital, Crewe, Sir James Andrew Hartigan, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Hon.D.Ch., M.B., B.S., Lieutenent-General, A.M.S.(ret.).