

Coming Events

Cardiff Medical and Dental Old Students' Association.—Conversazione, 7 February, Medical School House, Howard Place, Cardiff. Details from Academic Registrar, Welsh National School of Medicine, 34 Newport Road, Cardiff CF2 1YE.

Royal Medico-Psychological Association.—Two-day lecture course, 9-10 February, Royal Society of Medicine. Admission is by ticket and is open to members of the R.M.P.A. and to those who signify their intention of becoming members. Early application should be made to the Registrar, R.M.P.A., Chandos House, 2 Queen Anne Street, London W.1.

Harveian Society of London.—Meeting, "Medicine and the Common Market," 18 February, 8.15 p.m., Royal College of Physicians of London. Lord Cohen will speak first, followed by speakers from Common Market countries.

Mental Health Research Fund.—Sir Geoffrey Vickers lecture, "Recent Research into Aggressive Behaviour—Junction of Biological and Behavioural Sciences" by Professor D. A. Hamburg (California), 18 February, 5.30 p.m., Middlesex Hospital Medical School, London W.1.

Institute of Urology.—Week-end course, "Essentials of Urology," 20-22 February. For details see advertisement on page xx.

Lectures in Orthopaedic and Accident Surgery.—At Heatherwood Hospital, Ascot, and Wexham Park Hospital, Slough, February—December. Copies of the programme are obtainable from Mr. R. H. Maudsley, Heatherwood Hospital, Ascot, Berks.

Cripps Postgraduate Medical Centre, Northampton.—Details of the programme of meetings and lectures for February-May are obtainable from the Clinical Tutor, General Hospital, Northampton.

North London Postgraduate Medical Centre.—Details of the programme of meetings and lectures for February-July are obtainable from the Postgraduate Secretary, Block 6, St. Ann's General Hospital, St. Ann's Road, South Tottenham, London N.15.

Societies and Lectures

For attending lectures marked ● a fee is charged or a ticket is required. Applications should be made first to the institution concerned.

Monday, 2 February
BLAIR BELL RESEARCH SOCIETY.—At Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, 5.30 p.m., ordinary meeting, papers will be read.
INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLGY.—5.30 p.m., Clinicopathological conference.
LONDON MEDICAL GROUP.—At Westminster Medical School, 5.45 p.m., symposium: When is Death?

Tuesday, 3 February
BOLTON AND DISTRICT MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Bolton Medical Institute, 8.15 p.m., B.M.A. lecture by Professor R. H. Girdwood: Disorders due to Drugs and Doctors.
CROYDON MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Mayday Hospital, 1 p.m., talk by the pathologists: Tropical Problems in Darkest Surrey.

GWENT POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, Mon., 8 p.m., R.C.G.P. meeting, Mr. L. P. Thomas: Minor Surgical Problems—Pilonidal Sinus, Ingrowing Toenails, and Venous Ulcers.

LONDON MEDICAL GROUP.—At Royal Free Hospital School of Medicine, 5.45 p.m., Dr. D. W. Vere: Testing Drugs.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—5 p.m., Hunterian lecture by Professor J. E. A. Wickham: A Method of Regional Renal Hypothermia.

Wednesday, 4 February

GWENT POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, Mon., 2.15 p.m., combined round; 5 p.m., surgical meeting, clinical research report by Mr. L. P. Thomas.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Dr. H. Nicholson: Aspergillosis in Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

INSTITUTE OF ORTHOPAEDICS.—At Great Portland Street, London, W.1, 9.30 a.m.-12 noon, 6 p.m.-7 p.m., and 8.15 p.m., instructional course: Growth and Metabolic Disorders.

INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. I. M. Marks: Flooding and Desensitization in Treatment of Phobic Disorders.

INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY.—5 p.m., Dr. R. C. B. Pugh: Pathology of Urothelial Malignancy.

MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL.—At National Institute for Medical Research, London, N.W.7, 4.30 p.m., Professor J. M. Ghuysen (Liege): Biochemistry of Bacterial Walls in Relation to the Membrane.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY.—At Radcliffe Infirmary, 5 p.m., Professor R. F. Jacox (New York): Possible Role of Emotions in Rheumatoid Arthritis.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5.15 p.m., Tudor Edwards memorial lecture by Professor J. G. Scadding: Lung Biopsy in Diagnosis of Diffuse Pulmonary Disease.

ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL.—5.15 p.m., Dr. Celia Oakley: Infective Endocarditis.

BROOK GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON.—At Postgraduate Medical Centre, 8.15 p.m., Dr. R. S. Kocen: Epilepsy and other Causes of Loss of Consciousness.

ASSURANCE MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11 Chandos Street, London W.1, 5 p.m., Professor C. T. Dollery: Prognosis of Treated Hypertension.

Thursday, 5 February

CENTRAL MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL.—12 noon, Special guest lecture by Professor W. Peart, F.R.S.: Transplantation.

CHILTERN MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Wycombe General Hospital, High Wycombe, 8.30 p.m., clinical meeting.

LONDON MEDICAL GROUP.—At Guy's Hospital Medical School, 5.45 p.m., Dr. J. Read: Beliefs and their Effect on Students and their Parents.

NORTHAMPTON MEDICAL SOCIETY.—8.30 p.m., Wing Commander P. Stevens: Forensic Aspects of Fatal Flying Accidents.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—5.30 p.m., otolaryngology lecture by Mr. J. E. Wright: Proptosis.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE.—6 p.m., Nuffield lecture by Professor M. Polanyi, F.R.S.: Science and Man.●

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Wright Fleming Institute Theatre, 5 p.m., Dr. Elizabeth Stanley: Psychosexual Disorders.

Friday, 6 February

BROOK GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON.—At Postgraduate Medical Centre, 2 p.m., general medicine, Dr. W. E. Mahon will show cases.

CROYDON MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Mayday Hospital, 1 p.m., Dr. A. Graham: Psychiatric Assessment of Suicidal Risk.

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. L. Sinclair: The Child's Face.

NUFFIELD DEPARTMENT OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY.—At Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre, Headington, Oxford, 6.30 p.m., Mr. N. W. Nisbet: On the Introduction of Immunological Tolerance.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH.—3 p.m., Professor I. D. A. Johnston: Late Results of Surgery for Peptic Ulceration.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—10 a.m., Staff round; 11 a.m., Mr. K. C. McKeown: Carcinoma of the Oesophagus (and film); 12 noon, discussion by Mr. R. H. Franklin.

Saturday, 7 February

NUFFIELD DEPARTMENT OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY.—At Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre, Headington, Oxford, 8.30 a.m., Mr. N. W. Nisbet: Delayed Hypersensitivity States and Autoimmunity; 9.45 a.m., Dr. J. G. G. Ledingham: Musculoskeletal Problems in Renal Transplantation.

BRITISH SOCIETY OF AUDIOLOGY.—At Royal Society of Medicine, London W.1, 10.30 a.m., meeting: Oral Communication in the Deaf.

Appointments

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—M. Fanning, M.B., F.F.A. R.C.S. (Consultant Anaesthetist to the South Essex Group of Hospitals); D. P. Winstanley, M.B., M.R.C.P.; M.C.Path. (Consultant Pathologist to Brentwood Group of Hospitals).

Universities and Colleges

ABERDEEN

M. D. *In absentia.*—D. P. Dhali (with commendation), D. Femi-Pearse.

GLASGOW

M. D.—*I. A. Chisholm, *O. O. Hunponu-Wusu, *J. A. Thomson.

Ph.D.—*In the Faculty of Medicine:* A. Lang, Helen Thomou.

M.B., Ch.B.—W. R. Cook, H. A. A. G. Fleming, Barbara J. Forgan, C. M. Kesson, Fiona MacK. Key, R. K. J. Mackinnon, R. P. O'Hare, Anne G. Robb, R. B. Stoney, A. R. T. Thompson.

* With commendation.

DUNDEE

Appointment.—Dr. P. M. Ford (lecturer in medicine).

CAMBRIDGE

Ph.D.—*In the Faculty of Medicine:* E. P. Wraight.

M.B.—I. A. H. Sitwell.

Corrections

Progress in Medical Genetics

The last paragraph of Dr. R. T. C. Pratt's review of Vol. 6 of *Progress in Medical Genetics* (10 January, p. 100) should have read: Human genetics have been well served with the publication of these volumes.

Anticholinergic Drugs in Diarrhoea

A letter on this subject from Dr. Joseph Zelmanowits (10 January, v. 114) was wrongly titled "Purgatives." The letter dealt with the treatment of diarrhoea.

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