

CRUYDON MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Mayday Hospital, 8.30 p.m., Mr. J. C. Watts: Accident Surgery.

DUNDEE UNIVERSITY.—At Physiology Department Lecture Theatre, 5 p.m., Dr. K. P. Duncan: Some Problems in Early Care of Radiation Casualties.

FACULTY OF HOMOEOPATHY.—5 p.m., Dr. Johanna E. G. Brieger: The Significance of Pain.

HORDER CLUB.—At Medical Centre, Royal Northern Hospital, London N., 8.30 p.m., Mr. G. Blackburn: Carcinoma of the Thyroid.

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11 Chandos Street, London W., 8.15 p.m., Rabbi Dr. S. Gaon: Maimonides.

LONDON UNIVERSITY.—At School of Pharmacy, Brunswick Square, 5.30 p.m., lecture on the prostaglandins—I, by Professor B. Samuelsson (Stockholm): Chemistry and Methods of Analysis.

LONDON UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.—At Physiology Theatre, 5 p.m., Professor E. Antonini (Rome): Reactions of Myoglobin and Haemoglobin with Ligands—II.

NEATH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Neath General Hospital, 4.30 p.m., Dr. Hawkins: Use of Radioisotopes in Medicine.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5 p.m., Lumsden lecture by Dr. C. Bruce Perry: The Natural History of Acute Rheumatism.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—5 p.m., Dr. D. F. Hawkins: Progesterone Therapy in Habitual Abortion.

SHEFFIELD UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Royal Infirmary, 8 p.m., B.M.A. lecture by Professor Keith Simpson: The Doctor at the Scene of Crime.

Friday, 28 February

BROOK GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON.—At Postgraduate Centre, 2 p.m., Dr. J. H. G. Brodribb: Radiological Investigations of the Alimentary Tract.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., lecture by Dr. N. C. Oswald.

KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES MEDICAL CENTRE.—In Gynaecology Outpatients Department, Kingston Hospital, 2.30 p.m., Mr. G. Rigby-Jones: Orthopaedic case demonstration.

LONDON UNIVERSITY.—At School of Pharmacy, Brunswick Square, 5.30 p.m., lecture on the prostaglandins—II, by Professor B. Samuelsson (Stockholm): Biosynthesis and Metabolism.

NORTHAMPTON MEDICAL SOCIETY.—8.30 p.m., talk by Professor G. W. Taylor.

NORTH STAFFS MEDICAL INSTITUTE, SECTION OF PSYCHIATRY.—At Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent, 8 p.m., Professor F. A. Jenner: Biochemistry and Psychiatry.

NUTRITION SOCIETY: SCOTTISH GROUP.—At Royal (Dick) School of Veterinary Studies, Summerhall, Edinburgh, 11 a.m., symposium: Nutritional Disorders of Ruminants.

PLYMOUTH MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At North Friary House, 8.45 p.m., Dr. T. Wilson: Psychogeriatrics.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—(1) 10.15 a.m., Department of surgery: Research in Progress; (2) 4 p.m., Professor T. Crawford: Pathology of Ischaemic Heart Disease.

Saturday, 1 March

BRITISH ALLERGY SOCIETY.—At Royal Society of Medicine, 9.30 a.m., symposia on Allergy in Diseases of the Eye and Gastrointestinal Tract.

NUFFIELD DEPARTMENT OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY.—At Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre, Headington, Oxford, 8.30 a.m., Dr. C. Woods: Pathological Aspects of Malignant Bone Tumours; 9.45 a.m., Dr. F. Ellis: Radiation Therapy in Musculo-skeletal Tumours.

TUNBRIDGE WELLS POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.—At Kent and Sussex Hospital, 10.30 a.m., all-day symposium: Geriatrics. Speakers: Dr. R. S. Stevens, Dr. J. C. Brocklehurst, Dr. R. E. Irvine.

WEST SUFFOLK POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.—At West Suffolk General Hospital, Bury St. Edmunds, 11 a.m., cases presented by Dr. I. E. Evans.

Sunday, 2 March

EDGWARE POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Edgware General Hospital, 10.30 a.m., Dr. J. S. Malpas: Chemotherapy of Leukaemia.

ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL, LONDON.—10.30 a.m., clinical conference by Mr. E. E. Philipp: Obstetric and Gynaecological Abnormalities.

Universities and Colleges

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON

At a quarterly meeting of the College held on 30 January, with the president, Sir Max Rosenheim, in the chair, the following appointment and reappointments of College representatives were confirmed:

Sir Arthur MacNalty (Committee of Management of the Royal Medical Benevolent Fund), Dr. R. Bolton (Court of the University of Surrey), Dr. A. M. Cooke (examiner in medicine to the Faculty of Radiologists).

Licences

Licences to practise were conferred upon the following candidates:

K. P. Adamson, J. N. B. Allen, P. Allen, W. Amoo-Gottfried, J. E. Andrews, M. J. Baldson, D. A. G. Barford, S. R. Brennan, D. F. Brown, Susan V. Brown, D. S. Brownridge, Julia A. Brydson, P. S. Burge, A. J. Campbell, A. C. Carr, F. M. C. Carter, T. L. Chambers, D. T. L. Chang, G. J. Charlwood, Patricia M. Cheshire, D. J. M. Choat, G. McL. Cochrane, N. P. W. Coe, R. F. P. Copland, G. A. Corbett, W. A. Cottier, R. E. Cowan, Beatrice C. Crowther-Smith, Josephine M. Cushnie, J. C. Cutting, P. J. Davenport, Stephanie S. Davies, J. B. Day, T. H. W. Deane, Judith A. Dixon, R. R. Dyke, C. S. F. Eason, J. P. Edmunds, Caroline M. J. Edwards, Christine J. Endersbee, D. M. Evans, Pamela W. Ewan, R. J. S. Fairbairn, R. J. Fairhurst, A. S. Ferguson, M. A. Fikree, J. D. Frank, W. H. Franklin, I. D. Fraser, Sandra Goodey, C. A. Grafton, P. J. Gravett, Jacqueline M. Green, Judith K. F. Greenacre, I. T. Grimble, J. M. Gugenheim, P. Hall, Judith R. Harlock, G. M. Hart, P. B. Havelock, J. R. Haydon, D. G. Healey, Maswyn L. Hewitt, D. J. Hibbert, M. J. Higgs, F. Hirst, T. R. G. Howard, Jill H. Howell, E. G. Humphrey, S. E. Ikerionwu, D. J. Jolley, C. H. W. Jones, G. Jones, Jacqueline A. Jones, P. R. Jordan, S. P. Julien, J. B. L. Kabuubi, Karla E. Karel, R. D. Kelso, J. B. Kelyack, V. Ketharanathan, T. T. Khonje, Judith M. Kirby, A. C. Kneath, M. P. Lamb, R. N. Lee, M. S. Leonard, T. Lepard, D. Lillystone, D. J. Lipscomb, P. N. Longmore, T. M. Lynch, T. P. McCarthy, Elisabeth A. Macdonald, R. J. Machel, K. D. McKeown, G. A. Mackinlay, M. H. Maclean, Elizabeth R. McLeish, C. G. Male, J. Malek, A. R. Maryon-Davis, J. S. G. Mary, Jane E. Mathie, Ann C. Miller, K. L. G. Mills, Diana Morris, E. M. Moul, Frances M. B. Neal, R. A. Nunn, D. Ogilvie, W. J. Owen, Susan F. Pearsall, G. M. Pell, N. B. M. Pereira, Brenda J. Pettifer, M. J. Pick, J. Pitkin, J. G. Proud, R. C. Quinell, D. J. Rainford, A. B. N. Rao, R. G. Rawbone, Susan E. C. Read, S. M. Rezaian, Antoinette B. Roe, A. M. Seal, Margaret M. Sealey, R. S. Settatree, D. F. Shelley, O. R. C. Smales, R. B. Stern, Angela R. V. Stow, R. D. Sturrock, G. W. H. Stygall, Diana Swan, A. K. Tanswell, M. H. Thomas, Thelma M. Thomas, A. R. Timothy, M. C. W. Treplin, P. S. L. Tugwell, Hilary Tucker, Teresa M. van den Berg, M. F. Vere, F. R. Vicary, C. M. A. Vincent, A. J. Wadon, Elizabeth J. Ward, P. J. Webb, Judith A. Wheeler, P. J. Whorwell, I. E. C. Wilkinson, Anne Willard, Joan R. Wilson, T. E. Withers, M. R. Wood, J. Woodland, A. Wu.

Diplomas

Diplomas were granted, jointly with the Royal College of Surgeons of England, as follows:

DIPLOMA IN ANAESTHETICS.—K. J. Finegan.

DIPLOMA IN INDUSTRIAL HEALTH.—Chan Jee Swee, Carolyn H. Dearlove, D. A. Evans, J. J. Giglio, R. W. Hart, H. R. Kemble, M. Kyaw, C. J. Lewthwaite, D. S. Ling, J. L. A. McVicker, I. J. Miller, G. E. Morley, F. O'Connor, Alida M. Oosthuysen, N. L. Owen, J. Quinn, G. D. Repin, A. J. Vassallo.

DIPLOMA IN LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLGY.—L. G. Chew, P. J. Falconer, G. C. Fox, S. B. Gokhale, M. Hampaiar, M. H. M. Ho, J. S. Jassal, B. U. Jazbi, Amarajit Kukreja, L. F. Lan Hing Ming, C. K. Lun, A. R. Pashmi, M. R. Peacock, L. D. Richards, S. M. Seth, S. C. Shah.

DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC HEALTH.—V. A. Aazem, A. K. Al Hashimi, Pauline J. Begley, Elizabeth A. Bruce-Konvah, Rosemary L. Dart, Mary B. Dastgir, J. G. Dawe, J. A. Howell, A. K. Pal, Caroline R. F. Port, G. T. Van Twest.

DIPLOMA IN PSYCHOLOGICAL MEDICINE.—E. Aihie, N. Alam, B. H. Anstee, T. L. Avery, G. F. Bartram, S. Bhanji, Dorothy J. Bicknell, Dorothy F. M. Black, I. J. Black, D. M. Blend, J. Candy, J. F. Connolly, Joy Davies, A. J. N. M. De Campos, M. Entwistle, W. Falkowski, A. B. Fieldsend, Ruth Fleming, Eleanor K. Frazer, Ann M. G. Gath, S. S. Ghatak, R. B. Ghosh, D. M. Hessegrave-Jackson, D. H. G. Hopkins, J. Hurst, D. C. Ingham, D. A. W. Johnson, Felicity A. Judelsohn, A. N. Kamenos, A. A. Keane, Moim-ul-Haq Khan, Diana R. Knight, J. B. Labia, D. E. H. Lawrence, P. S. Lewis, S. Q. Liddawi, R. Maitra, A. A. Malik, M. B. Matthews, L. G. Measey, J. Meiak, N. H. N. Mills, P. Mills, Mary Morison, J. H. Morris, E. A. Moses, J. C. Mougne, J. Muhandi, T. U. K. Nasir, D. J. Panayotopoulos, G. N. Pattison, Danuta E. Pollard, Audrey U. Price, A. K. M. Qamaruzzaman, M. Quasim, F. Rahman, D. G. Reid, A. R. Rennie, G. G. C. Rwegeleera, C. E. Ryan, U. A. Siddiqui, G. Silverman, A. N. Singh, D. Steinberg, G. G. Stimpson, J. I. Teoh, W. Urwin, S. L. Vohra, P. C. Whybrow, D. D. R. Williams, H. E. Williams, P. Williams, C. R. M. Wilson, S. T. Wong, F. M. Yasin, Miss Zakia.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

At a meeting of the Council on 13 February, with Sir Hedley Atkins, president, in the chair, the election of Dr. O. T. Clagett, of the Mayo

Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota, U.S.A., to the honorary fellowship was reported.

The Cecil Joll Prize for 1969 was awarded to Professor Andrew Watt Kay in recognition of his outstanding contributions to gastroenterology and in particular the indications for surgery in peptic ulceration; and of his exceptional contributions to the advancement of surgical research, in which he is an acknowledged leader, upholding the fine traditions established by his predecessors as regius professors of surgery in the University of Glasgow.

Mr. H. B. Torrance (Manchester) was elected to the fellowship *ad eundem*.

The award of the John Tomes prize for 1966-8 to Dr. David Poswillo for his work on teratology was reported.

The Hallett prize was awarded to Dr. P. C. A. Ratnatunga (University of Ceylon).

The Hancock prize was awarded to Dr. Susan F. Pearsall (St. Bartholomew's Hospital Medical College).

Sir Hedley Atkins, president, was appointed as the representative of the College on the Council of the International Federation of Surgical Colleges for the ensuing year from June 1969.

A diploma of fellowship was granted to G. Patrikos.

After the meeting a Hunterian lecture was delivered by Professor E. J. Newton on "Syringomyelia as a Manifestation of Defective Fourth Ventricular Drainage."

Correction

Medical Assistant Grade

In the letter from Dr. J. D. Capel (8 February, p. 384) the address given for Dr. David Lewis no longer applies. His present address is Rookwood Hospital, Cardiff.

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