

this element of the Health Service was now costing. Last July it was said to be £100m. a year. Was the Minister satisfied that the patient was getting the maximum benefit from this reduction? Mr. POWELL said he could not give the total cost off-hand, but the reduction in price since the new scheme came into effect was about £4m. a year. None of the reductions had operated to the dissatisfaction of any patient; the contrary was probably the case.

Vaccination Fees

Mr. PAVITT asked the Minister on May 18 what action he proposed to take to reimburse general practitioners in cases where they had given vaccinations on the understanding that a payment of 5s. per vaccination would be made for all categories of patient, only to find that no payment or payments for restricted categories would be made. Miss PITT: "None."

Mr. PAVITT asked what recent change had been made in the position whereby local health authorities paid a fee of 5s. to a general practitioner in respect of each vaccination notified. Miss PITT said there had been no change. Subject to any general requirements, each local health authority decided the categories of vaccination for which it asked general practitioners to supply individual records. A fee of 5s. was payable by the authority for each such record. Mr. PAVITT also asked whether the sums deducted from the general practitioners' central pool in respect of fees received from local health authorities were refunded to those authorities making the original payments. Miss PITT: "No."

Vaccination Deaths in Smallpox Contacts

Commander J. S. KERANS (The Hartlepoons, Con.) asked the Minister of Health on May 7 how many of those who recently died of smallpox in the United Kingdom had been vaccinated in the last three years. Miss FIFTH PITT, the Parliamentary Secretary, stated that two immigrants died, both of whom held on arrival valid international certificates of recent vaccination. Of the 24 United Kingdom residents who died, none had been vaccinated or revaccinated within the previous three years, except eight who were vaccinated or revaccinated after contact with smallpox.

Maternity Service Regulations

Dr. ALAN GLYN (Clapham, Con.) asked the Minister what proposals he had to amend the terms of service of general practitioners providing maternity medical services. Mr. POWELL: "In presenting consolidating regulations shortly I propose to take the opportunity to eliminate the specification of certain detailed clinical requirements. The change will not affect the doctor's obligation to provide all necessary services."

Universities and Colleges

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

The following have been elected or re-elected to Membership of the Senate for the period 1962-6, beginning on May 8: *Faculty of Medicine*, Dr. E. R. Boland and Dr. H. B. May. *General Medical Schools*, Professor W. J. Hamilton, F.R.S.Ed. (in place of Dr. Katharine G. Lloyd-Williams).

The following have been reappointed, or nominated for appointment or reappointment, as representatives of the University on the governing bodies of the institutions indicated in parentheses: Professor H. T. Flint (Bedford College); Sir Francis Fraser (Queen Elizabeth College); Professor R. S. F. Schilling (Slough Industrial Health Service, Council of Management).

Dr. S. E. Dicker has been recognized as a Teacher of the University in Physiology and Pharmacology at Chelsea College of Science and Technology.

Dr. I. H. Mills has been appointed to the Readership in Medicine, tenable at St. Thomas's Hospital Medical School, from April 1, 1962.

Mr. G. R. Seward has been appointed to the Readership in Oral Surgery, tenable at London Hospital Medical College, from April 1, 1962.

Correction.—The announcement in the *University of London Gazette* (February, 1962) concerning Dr. A. D. Morgan should have read as follows: The title of Professor of Morbid Anatomy in the University has been conferred on Dr. A. D. Morgan in respect of his post at Westminster Medical School.

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Correction.—The list of candidates printed in the *British Medical Journal* of May 12 (p. 1352) as having passed the examination of M.B., B.Ch. was published in error. The names given were of those due to take their final examinations in June.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON

At a quarterly comitia of the College held on April 26, with the President, Sir Charles Dodds, in the chair, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth, The Queen Mother, was nominated an Honorary Fellow.

Fellowship

The following were elected Fellows of the College:

B. B. Yodh, M.B. (India), J. D. Procter, M.D. (Nottingham), J. C. Banerjee, M.B. (India), I. S. M. Norris, M.D. (Hertfordshire), S. W. Hardwick, M.D. (Kent), J. C. Heather, M.D. (Warwickshire), E. J. S. Woolley, O.B.E., M.B. (Derby), W. H. Gillespie, M.D. (London), W. M. Macleod, M.B.E., M.B. (Hampshire), R. D. Teare, M.D. (London), C. S. Darke, M.D. (Sheffield), J. M. Bonnin, M.D. (S. Australia), K. P. Ball, M.D. (London), C. G. Riley, M.B. (New Zealand), Constance E. Field, M.D. (Hong Kong), R. H. Mole, B.M. (Oxford), G. A. Kiloh, M.D. (Chestre), G. R. Fearnley, M.D. (Gloucester), J. A. Fisher, M.D. (Belfast), Sheila T. E. Callender, M.D. (Oxford), C. G. Phillips, D.M. (Oxford), G. Watkinson, M.D. (Leeds), J. M. Lipscomb, M.D. (Kent), J. V. Wilson, M.D. (Yorks), T. J. Arius-Ferrante, M.D. (Malta), W. R. Gauld, M.D. (Aberdeen), L. A. Liversedge, M.D. (Lancashire), C. S. Nicol, M.D. (London), J. A. Strong, M.B.E., M.D. (Edinburgh), A. J. Thomas, M.D. (Dinas Powis), J. Vallance-Owen, M.D. (Newcastle upon Tyne), T. Farrington, M.D. (Northamptonshire), A. G. Spencer, G.M., M.D. (London), L. Guttman, C.B.E., M.D. (Buckinghamshire), Hung-Chiu Ho, M.B. (Hong Kong), J. F. Pantridge, M.D. (Belfast), P. C. Reynell, D.M. (Bradford), H. S. De Silva, M.B. (Ceylon), R. M. Mason, D.M. (London), A. J. Rook, M.D. (Cambridge), A. H. M. Halim, Diploma Kitchener School of Medicine (Sudan), F. S. Jackson, M.B. (Newcastle upon Tyne), J. P. D. Mounsey, M.D. (London), O. H. Wolff, M.D. (Birmingham), F. S. W. Brimblecombe, M.D. (Devon), E. C. Hutchinson, M.D. (Newcastle under Lyme), C. D. Calnan, M.B. (Middlesex), Veiva Schrire, M.B. (South Africa), W. Fox, M.D. (London), T. A. J. Pranker, M.D. (Surrey), J. Anderson, M.D. (London), R. B. Hunter, M.B.E., M.B. (Dundee), R. S. F. Schilling, M.D. (London), Sir Brian W. Windeyer, M.B., F.R.C.S. (London), Sir Stewart Duke-Elder, G.C.V.O., M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.S. (London), L. S. Penrose, M.D., F.R.S. (London), V. M. Syngé, M.D., F.R.C.P.I. (Dublin), P. D. White, M.D., F.A.C.P. (U.S.A.).

The appointment of Dr. L. G. Norman as College Representative at the Conference of the Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene to be held in October, 1962, was confirmed.

Membership

The following, having satisfied the Censors' Board, were elected Members of the College:

B. C. Allan, M.B., F. M. Andrews, M.B., P. W. Blower, M.B., M. J. Chamberlain, M.B., A. E. Davis, M.B., I. A. D'Cruz, M.D., M. A. De Kock, M.B., V. Dubowitz, M.D., D. H. Friedlander, M.B., A. C. Graham, M.B., L. Hall, M.B., A. H. Henderson, M.B., R. L. Hewer, M.B., Joyce Hinton, M.B., B. I. Hoffbrand, B.M., H. A. N. Insaif, M.B., E. Jackson, M.B., R. E. Kendall, M.B., C. K. Leong, M.B., R. G. Luke, M.B., I. A. McGregor, O.B.E., L.R.C.P.&S.Ed., T. S. Matthews, M.B., J. Meecham, M.B., C. G. Miller, M.B., Shams-ud D. Mohamed, M.B., D. T. Pearson, M.B., J. Perkins, M.B., B. K. Samtani, M.B., H. Spencer, M.D., Eileen N. Thompson, M.B., P. Turner, M.B., A. A. Young, M.B.

Licences

Licences to practise were conferred upon the following successful candidates who have passed the final examination in medicine, surgery, and midwifery of the Conjoint Board, and who have complied with the by-laws of the College:

P. I. Adnitt, L. Alexander, R. F. Andrew, G. A. C. B. Anteson, F. M. Arthur, C. J. Atkins, Ann J. Ault, V. O. Awosika, J. H. M. Axton, J. T. Baker, B. R. Ballinger, D. C. Banks, N. Bark-Jones, R. Bayer, P. R. Beckett, E. P. Bedessee, A. R. Beebejaun, H. A. Beecham, J. D. F. Bellamy, J. P. Bennett, B. B. Bhagat, D. O. Bird, T. R. L. Black, N. P. Blakeney-Edwards, R. A. Bloom, R. E. Blundell, D. F. Boddie, Ann Boulton, A. J. D. Brass, A. J. Broadhead, Ewa M. Brookes, Elizabeth A. E. Brown, J. C. Brown, Henrietta Bullard, N. J. Burbridge, Gillian A. Byerley, K. G. Callum, Anne K. Carruthers, I. E. Carter, G. O. Cochran, P. Collins, G. W. Cook, Susan G. Cotton, Diane Y. A. Crabb, K. W. E. Craven, C. D. Crawford, J. O. Crosse, M. T. Cwynarski, I. J. T. Davies, Margaret R. Davies, M. S. Davies, P. Davies, G. Deane, M. J. Dillon, B. Donovan, H. Edwards, R. J. Elliott, T. A. H. English, S. A. En-Nimri, J. E. M. Evans, Margaret Evans, Judith E. Evershed, Angela Fairney, Gisella M. C. Ferraris, J. N. Fisher, F. W. Ford, Kathleen Fosler, R. Frampton, Margaret S. Frankel, D. French, J. R. T. Gabriel, A. G. Gilchrist, P. L. Golding, Gillian S. Green, J. H. Grime, C. J. Guerrier, W. R. Hain, A. J. Hall, Margaret Hall, R. R. Hall, Elizabeth A. Harrison, N. Harrison, R. Hartwell, June M. Hawkins, I. D. C. Hay, J. T. D. Hayden, A. D. Heath, Winifred M. Hester, D. Hewson, Patricia M. M. Hicks, Jane R.