

## 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.

## Friday, 3 April

**MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL.**—At National Institute for Medical Research, London N.W.7, 4.30 p.m., Professor L. Hayflick (Stamford University): Cultured Human Cells and the Biology of Senescence.

## Monday, 6 April

**HUNTERIAN SOCIETY.**—At Royal College of Surgeons of England, 8.30 p.m., Hunterian oration by Dr. O. Garrod: Hibernation.

**INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOTOLOGY.**—5.30 p.m. Clinicopathological conference.

**INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY.**—At Queen Charlotte's Hospital, 11.15 a.m., Mr. G. B. Finker, Mr. R. Lloyd-Jones: Management of Pre-eclampsia and Hypertension. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London, S.W.)●

**ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.**—5.15 p.m., Mr. J. A. P. Marston: Diagnosis and Management of Intestinal Ischaemia; 6.30 p.m., Mr. D. Innes Williams: Some Aspects of Paediatric Urology.●

**SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CARE.**—At the Spastics Society, 12 Park Crescent, London W.1, 7 p.m., Miss Constance Bamford: Comparison of Nursing Staffing Needs in Eastern Europe, United Kingdom and North America.●

## Tuesday, 7 April

**ADLERIAN SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN.**—At Alliance Hall, Palmer Street, London S.W.1, 7.30 p.m., Dr. H. Beric Wright: Adapting to Stress in Modern Business.

**BOLTON AND DISTRICT MEDICAL SOCIETY.**—At Bolton Medical Institute, 8.15 p.m., Dr. J. Bath: Prognosis after Myocardial Infarction.

**GWENT POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.**—At Royal Gwent Hospital Newport, Mon., 8 p.m., R.C.G.P. meeting, Dr. J. Hughes: Anxiety.

**INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY.**—At Chelsea Hospital for Women, 3 p.m., Professor J. M. Tanner: Physiology of Puberty. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London, S.W.)●

**ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.**—5 p.m., Arris and Gale Lecture by Mr. G. A. Kune: Influence of Structure and Function in Surgery of Biliary Tract; 6.15 p.m., Dr. K. V. Sanderson: Pathological Guide-lines in Surgery of Skin Carcinoma.●

## Wednesday, 8 April

**GWENT POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE.**—At Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, Mon., 2.15 p.m., gynaecology and obstetrics meeting; 2.15 p.m., medical meeting.

**INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH.**—5.30 p.m., Professor A. J. Moss (California): Natural History of Ventricular Septal Defect.

**ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.**—5 p.m., Lister oration by Sir Michael Woodruff F.R.S.: Biological Aspects of Individuality; 6.15 p.m., Professor G. W. Taylor: Differential Diagnosis and Management of Digital Gangrene.●

## Thursday, 9 April

**CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SOCIETY.**—At Wycombe General Hospital, High Wycombe, 8.30 p.m., clinical meeting.

**ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.**—5 p.m., Cecil Joll lecture by Professor A. W. Kay: Research in Medicine—the Surgeon's Opportunity, Commitment and Contribution; 6.15 p.m., Professor I. D. A. Johnston: Metabolic Basis of Surgical Care.●

## Friday, 10 April

**ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.**—5.15 p.m., Dr. J. S. Macdonald: Lymphography and Surgery; 6.30 p.m., Mr. D. M. Wallace: Diagnosis and Management of Tumours of Kidney.●

**ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—10 a.m., Staff round; 11 a.m., profile on Biological Properties of Foreign Materials; 2 p.m., meeting with Section of Surgery, Royal Society of Medicine: short papers.

## Appointments

**MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.**—D. C. Beton, M.B., D.M.R.E., D.M.R.D. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant radiologist, Wythenshawe and North Cheshire group); L. P. Connolly, M.B., F.R.C.S. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant traumatic and orthopaedic surgeon, Ashton, Hyde and Glossop group); R. J. Farrand, M.B.,

M.R.C.P. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant pathologist, Salford group); M. I. Hashmi, M.B., D.M.R.E., D.M.R.D. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant radiologist, Oldham and District group); J. P. O'Loughlin, M.B., M.R.C.P. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant physician, Bolton and District group); D. M. Somerville, M.B., D.O. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant ophthalmologist, Blackburn and District group); P. G. Wells, M.B., D.P.M., D.C.H. (whole-time or maximum part-time consultant psychiatrist, Parkside group).

**NATIONAL HOSPITAL FOR NERVOUS DISEASES.**—E. M. P. Brett, D.M., M.R.C.P. (consultant paediatric neurologist, Hospital for Sick Children, National Hospital for Nervous Diseases and Queen Mary's Hospital for Children, Carshalton).

**SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.**—Pamela E. Daly, M.B., F.F.A.R.C.S. (consultant in anaesthetics, Woolwich group); S. G. Elkington, M.D., M.R.C.P. (consultant in general medicine, Woolwich group); E. R. Herst, M.D., D.P.M. (consultant in psychiatry, Bexley and Woolwich groups); V. J. E. D. Lobo, M.B., F.R.C.S.Ed. (consultant in E.N.T. surgery, Central Kent, Medway and Gravesend groups); J. G. Scott, M.B., F.F.A.R.C.S. (consultant in anaesthetics, Bromley group); P. C. Shaw, M.B., F.R.C.S. (consultant in orthopaedic surgery, Bromley group); C. W. E. Smith, M.B., M.R.C.P. (consultant in geriatrics, Isle of Thanet and Canterbury groups); P. J. Stevens, M.D., M.R.C.Path. (consultant in pathology, Tunbridge Wells group); R. M. S. Terry, M.B., D.M.R.D. (consultant in radiology, Medway and Gravesend group); P. Wright, M.B., F.R.C.S., D.O. (consultant in ophthalmology, Bromley group).

**WESSEX REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.**—R. M. Barnes, M.B., M.R.C.P.Ed., M.R.C.Path., D.T.M. and H. (deputy director, Regional Blood Transfusion Service); N. Conway, M.B., M.R.C.P. (consultant cardiologist, Southampton, and University of Southampton); J. T. Furnival, M.R.C.S., D.M.R.D. (consultant in radiology, West Dorset); J. M. Shepherd, M.B., F.R.C.S.Ed., F.F.R. (consultant in radiotherapy, Southampton).

**NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.**—M. A. E. Symonds, M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P. Consultant Venereologist to Hackney Group of Hospitals).

**EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.**—J. D. George, M.B., M.Ch., F.R.C.S.Ed. (consultant surgeon, Norfolk and Norwich clinical area).

## Universities and Colleges

## OXFORD

The Brian Johnson prize in pathology for 1969 has been awarded to D. C. Mears (St. John's College).

## LONDON

M.D.—A. R. Tanser.  
PH.D.—In the Faculty of Medicine: Narayana K. Achari, S. A. Ahmed, D. Dwuma-Badu, Joan R. Parker, R. A. M. Williams, S. K. Bosher, J. P. M. Finberg, Ma Hui Kyu, A. Liakos.  
M.Phil.—In the Faculty of Medicine: M. G. T. Webb.

## BIRMINGHAM

Dr. Walter T. Smith, reader in neuropathology, has been appointed to a chair of neuropathology established for one tenure, from 1 April.

Dr. P. B. Bradley, who holds the personal title of professor of experimental neuropharmacology, has been appointed to the newly-established chair of preclinical pharmacology in the new division of pharmacological studies, from 4 March.

The title of reader in pathology has been conferred on Dr. D. H. Wright, senior lecturer in the department of pathology.

The title of university clinical lecturer has been conferred on Mr. A. D. Barnes for the duration of his appointment as consultant surgeon (transplant) to the United Birmingham Hospitals.

The title of honorary lecturer in the department of pathology has been conferred on Dr. R. G. F. Parker for the duration of his appointment as consultant pathologist to the East Birmingham Hospital.

The title of honorary research fellow has been

conferred on Dr. C. G. Theodoridis for the period of his work in the Institute of Child Health.

**Appointments.**—Dr. A. Buhagiar-Duke (lecturer, department of obstetrics and gynaecology); Dr. D. N. Challacombe (lecturer, department of paediatrics and child health); Dr. Olga Hudlicka (senior research fellow, department of physiology); Dr. D. I. Rushton (senior lecturer, department of pathology).

## ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON

At a meeting of the College held on 23 March Sir Max Rosenheim was re-elected president for the ensuing year.

## Corrections

## Unheard Voices

In a letter by Dr. R. C. King (28 March, p. 882) the third sentence of the first paragraph should have read: "A recent survey by the Regional Hospitals Consultants' and Specialists' Association revealed that of those contacted 92.4% were dissatisfied with their representation. . . ."

## Approach to Clinical Endocrinology

In the book review by Dr. R. I. S. Bayliss (21 March, p. 740) there was a printer's error in the last sentence of the first paragraph. This should have read "It may not appeal to the run-of-the-mill medical student, but will find enthusiastic support from the able student, from the postgraduate, from the general physician, and not least from the endocrinologist."

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