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### Coming Events

**United Hospitals Athletic Club.**—Centenary year championships and dinner, 3 June. Championships at Motpur Park, Surrey, 1.30 p.m. Dinner Café Royal, 8 p.m. for 8.30 p.m. Tickets 35s. (25s. for students) from Honorary Steward, C. M. SUTTON, Abernethian Room, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London E.C.1.

**College of General Practitioners (East Anglia Faculty)** in conjunction with **University of Cambridge Postgraduate Medical School.**—Symposium, "Facts and Facets of General Practice," 3-4 June, Department of Human Ecology, Fenner's, Gresham Road, Cambridge. No registration fee. Doctors wishing to attend should notify Dr. A. S. PLAYFAIR, 20 Long Road, Cambridge (Telephone 46136).

**Invalid Children's Aid Week.**—11 to 17 June. Details from Invalid Children's Aid Association, 126 Buckingham Palace Road, London S.W.1.

**Cambridge Graduates' Medical Club.**—Annual general meeting and dinner, 30 June, Emmanuel College. Cost of dinner, £2 10s. Notice of intention to dine to Dr. H. H. E. BATTEN, 67 Bridge Street, Cambridge, by 20 June.

**Biochemical Society.**—Meeting, 22-23 June, University of St. Andrews. Programme will include a discussion forum on "Mechanisms of Action of Steroids" and a colloquium on "The Inter-relationships of Proteins and Carbohydrates in Connective Tissue."

**International College of Surgeons (British Section).**—Annual meeting, 23 June, London. Details from Mr. PATRICK CLARKSON, 107 Harley Street, London W.1.

**Indian Medical Service.**—Annual dinner, 23 June, East India and Sports Club, St. James's Square, London S.W.1. Applications to Dr. PHILIP H. ADDISON, Medical Defence Union, Tavistock House South, Tavistock Square, London W.C.1.

**Pavia Committee on Electromyography.**—International meeting on electromyography and clinical neurophysiology, 28 June to 1 July 1967, Glasgow. Details from Professor J. A. SIMPSON, Department of Neurology, Glasgow University.

**Summer School in Health Physics.**—(Radiation Protection), 3-14 July. Applications to Registrar, Imperial College, London S.W.7.

### 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, 29 May

**WESTERN INFIRMARY, GLASGOW.**—At Lecture Theatre, Surgery Department, 5 p.m., Dr. J. M. McKenzie (Montreal): The Long-acting Thyroid Stimulator.

#### Tuesday, 30 May

**B.M.C.—1 TELEVISION.**—11.15 p.m. (approx.) medicine today: Inspection of the Newborn Baby. (Sponsored by A.S.M.E.)

**ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—(1) 4 p.m., Mr. A. Monro: Recurrent and In-cisional Herniae. (2) 6 p.m., lecture by Dr. M. H. Hawk and Dr. D. W. Maas (California).

**ROYAL STATISTICAL SOCIETY: MEDICAL SECTION.**—At Manson Theatre, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5 p.m., Mr. W. Brass and Mr. J. F. Osborn: An Exploration of the Relations of Parity and Birth Concentration to Still-birth Rates.

**WESTMINSTER MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—At Meyerstein Lecture Theatre, 5.15 p.m., surgical conference by Mr. L. C. Oliver: Surgery of Parkinson's Disease.

#### Wednesday, 31 May

**BRITISH COUNCIL FOR REHABILITATION OF THE DISABLED.**—At H.Q.S. Wellington, Temple Stairs, Victoria Embankment, London W.C., 3 p.m., Founders' memorial lecture by Professor W. J. E. Jessop: Community Aspects of Rehabilitation.

**INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.**—5 p.m., Dr. M. C. Joseph: Chest Diseases in Children.

**INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGY.**—5.30 p.m., Professor M. Polak (Argentina): Neoplasms of the Nervous System—Cajal's and Herges's Contribution.

**INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY.**—At Queen Charlotte's Hospital, 9.45 a.m., Professor F. J. Huntingford: Twins. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from the Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London S.W.3.)

**OXFORD UNIVERSITY.**—At Nuffield Maternity Home Lecture Theatre, Radcliffe Infirmary, 5 p.m., Professor D. Greene (New York): Left Ventricular Volume.

**ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—(1) 10.15 a.m., medical staff round. (2) 11.45 a.m., clinicopathological conference. (3) 2 p.m., Professor A. P. Waterson: Slow Infection of the Nervous System—a Virologist's View.

**SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES OF LONDON.**—5.30 p.m., Osler lecture by Dr. A. White Franklin: An Image for Osler.

**STOKES MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL.**—(1) 12.15 p.m., Dr. T. I. Berry (Pennsylvania): The Hand as a Mirror of Systemic Disease. (2) 6 p.m., Dr. M. Wheatley Price: Drug Eruptions.

**WHITTINGTON HOSPITAL ACADEMIC CENTRE.**—At Archway Wing, London N., 11.30 a.m., Dr. J. Batten: Cystic Fibrosis.

#### Thursday, 1 June

**ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—(1) 4 p.m., Professor P. A. Bastenie (Brussels): Pathogenesis of Spontaneous Myxoedema. (2) 4 p.m., Mr. J. Calnan: Reconstructive Surgery in Rheumatoid Arthritis of the Hand.

**ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY.**—At Physiology Department Lecture Theatre, Queen's College, Dundee, 5 p.m., Lord Cohen: Clinical Methodology.

**ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—At Wright-Fleming Institute Theatre, 5 p.m., Dr. C. M. B. Pare: Aftermath of Termination of Pregnancy for Psychiatric Reasons.

#### Friday, 2 June

**ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.**—10.15 a.m., symposium: Melanoma.

**ROYAL SOCIETY OF HEALTH.**—At Town Hall, Oxford, 10 a.m., Dr. I. F. Warin: An Evaluation of Whooping Cough Vaccination in Oxford.

**WEST SUFFOLK HOSPITALS POSTGRADUATE CENTRE.**—At Drummond Hall, West Suffolk General Hospital, 12.30 p.m., Dr. D. G. Bratherton: What Can Be Done With Isotopes.

#### Sunday, 4 June

**ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL, LONDON.**—10 a.m., Dr. D. Geraint James: clinical conference.

### Appointments

**SOUTH-WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.**—P. Knipe, M.B., F.R.C.S. (consultant general surgeon, Yeovil/Sherborne areas (joint appointment with the Wessex Regional Hospital Board)); J. T. Smyth, M.B., M.R.C.P., M.R.A.C.P. (consultant chest physician, Devon and Exeter Clinical Area); J. G. Kenney, M.B., D.M.R.D. (consultant radiologist, South Somerset Clinical Area); J. R. S. Barton, M.B., F.R.C.S. Ed., D.O. (consultant ophthalmologist, South Somerset Clinical Area); W. E. Strachan, M.B., F.R.C.S. Ed. (consultant neurosurgeon, Plymouth, Exeter, and West Cornwall Areas); G. D. Middleton, M.B., M.R.C.P. (consultant physician, Devon and Exeter Clinical Area (Torquay)).

## Universities and Colleges

### LIVERPOOL

**PH.D.—In the Faculty of Medicine:** Rita McConn.

**DIPLOMA IN TROPICAL MEDICINE AND HYGIENE.**—M. M. Ahmad, M. Ahmed, O. U. Ahmed, S. K. Ahuja, A. T. M. S. Alam, A. M. Al-Refai, Y. M. Al-Shahwani, R. M. Al-Shamma, N. M. Amin, Antonia F. Bagshawe, Helga Berg, I. B. Chakma, D. S. Chaudhury, L. N. Chaudhury, K. K. Chowdhury, N. C. Das, R. Doshi, A. N. Dutta, F. W. Georgis, S. S. Goyal, M. M. Haque, M. M. Haroon, K. J. Hero, M. H. Hoque, M. A. Hossain, J. Iqbal, A. H. C. Joachim, A. H. Jones, Kochu T. Joseph, M. A. K. Lodhi, M. T. Mahmood, M. R. Mazhar, P. N. Mehrotra, K. B. Misra, B. K. Mondal, B. C. Netrabukkana, K. R. Patel, R. W. Pattinson, M. B. Rahman, S. A. Rauf, S. C. Roy, M. Ruangtrakool, N. N. Sabharwal, D. S. Saluja, G. H. Shah, B. R. Singh, T. Sreedharan, A. A. Tejuoso, W. M. G. Tunbridge, J. M. Walker.

### SHEFFIELD

The following lecturers to be senior lecturers in the subjects indicated in parentheses: Dr. D. J. Goldstein (human biology and anatomy); Dr. A. J. Smith (pharmacology and therapeutics).

**Appointments.**—Dr. N. T. James (full-time assistant lecturer in human biology and anatomy); Dr. G. T. Walker (full-time temporary demonstrator in human biology and anatomy); Dr. A. M. Ward (full-time lecturer in pathology); Mr. D. E. Markham (part-time honorary clinical tutor (orthopaedics)); Dr. J. C. Pease (part-time honorary postgraduate clinical tutor (Nottinghamshire)); Mr. J. Lari (temporary assistant lecturer in surgery); Dr. Felicity A. Moore (research assistant in psychiatry); Dr. R. M. Riley (research assistant in physiology).

### Corrections

**The Family—Changing Patterns of Medical Care.**—We regret an error in the reporting of Dr. Cicely Williams's contribution to the Golden Jubilee Conference of the Medical Women's Federation (20 May, p. 503). The second sentence of this should have read: "Contraception alone was not enough to stop the increase, whereas education in maternity and child welfare led to a reduction in the infant mortality rate—and this was followed by a fall in birth rate, whether there was a campaign for birth control or not."

**Insulin Antibodies.**—Dr. Rolf Richards, one of the authors of the article on "Simple Test for Insulin Antibodies in Sera, using <sup>125</sup>I-insulin and Ethanol Precipitation" (25 March, p. 719), wishes to point out that his travel grant for the project came from the Wellcome Trust Foundation and not from the British Council.

**Summer and Death from Neuroblastoma.**—We regret a printing error in the paper by Professor J. A. H. Lee (13 May, p. 404). The footnote to Table II should have read as follows: "The numbers of deaths by single calendar months vary irregularly."

**Pressurized Aerosols in Asthma.**—In the list of references accompanying the letter by Dr. R. Munro Ford (6 May, p. 375) two were included in error. The letters of Professor B. Gandevia (*Med. J. Aust.*, 1966, 381) and of Professor J. Read (*Ibid.*, 1966, 2, 475) were both critical of Dr. Munro Ford's views on pressurized aerosols in asthma, and not in support, as implied. We apologize to them for this mistake, which was our error.

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