**H.M. Forces**

A Supplement to the London Gazette has announced the following awards:

**Second Clasp to the Territorial Efficiency Decoration.**—Major R. H. Ramsay, T.D., R.A.M.C.

**First Clasp to the Territorial Efficiency Decoration.**—Major A. T. Merson, T.D., R.A.M.C.

Efficiency Decoration (Territorial and Army Volunteers).—Commander (Major W. V. Agnew, Captains A. Austin and G. N. B. Talbot), R.A.M.C.

ROYAL NAVY

Surgeon Lieutenants H. Simpson and N. A. Malcolm-Smith to be Surgeon Lieutenant-Commanders.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

**ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS**

Captain (Acting Major) W. V. James has been granted the acting rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

**Association Notices**

### Diary of Central Meetings

**FEBRUARY**

17 Tues. Working Party on Speech Therapy (Board of Science and Education), 2 p.m.

17 Tues. Vocational Training and Continuing Education Subcommittee (G.M.S.), 2 p.m.

17 Tues. Chairman’s Subcommittee (Occupational Health Committee), 2 p.m.

18 Wed. General Purposes Committee, 10.30 a.m.

18 Wed. Practice Premises and Organization Subcommittee (G.M.S.), 2 p.m.

18 Wed. Finance Committee, 2.30 p.m.

18 Thurs. General Medical Services Committee, 10 a.m.

19 Thurs. Central Committee for Hospital Medical Services, 10 a.m.

19 Thurs. Panel on Medical Education (Board of Science and Education), 2.30 p.m.

25 Wed. Compensation and Superannuation Committee, 11 a.m.

25 Wed. Nuffield Library Panel (Board of Science and Education), 2 p.m.

**MARCH**

2 Mon. Armed Forces Committee, 2 p.m.

3 Tues. Council, 2 p.m.

4 Wed. Council, 10 a.m.

5 Thurs. Rural Practices Subcommittee (G.M.S.), 10.30 a.m.

5 Thurs. Joint Formulary Committee—Editorial Committee, 10.30 a.m.

5 Fri. Planning Unit, 4 p.m.

10 Tues. Board of Science and Education, 9.45 a.m.

10 Tues. Annual Meeting of Representatives of Advisory Councils on Occupational Health, 11 a.m.

11 Wed. T.B. and Diseases of the Chest Group Committee, 2 p.m.

13 Fri. Public Health Subcommittee, 10 a.m.

18 Wed. Scottish General Medical Services Committee (at Drumhugh Gardens, Edinburgh), 10.15 a.m.

18 Wed. Journal Committee, 2 p.m.

18 Wed. Charities Committee, 2.15 p.m.

18 Wed. Central Advisory Committee (B.M.A. Emergency Treatment Service), 4 p.m.

21 Sat. Junior Members Forum (at Queen Margaret Hall, University of Glasgow).

22 Sun. Junior Members Forum (at Queen Margaret Hall, University of Glasgow).

**Branch and Division Meetings to be Held**

Members proposing to attend meetings marked ☉ are asked to notify in advance the honorary secretary concerned.

**BELFAST DIVISION.**—At 609 Ormeau Road, Thursday, 19 February, 8.30 p.m., jointly with Medical Society and R.C.G.P., sherry reception, junior members’ forum.

**BISHOP AUCKLAND DIVISION.**—At Bishop Auckland General Hospital, Tuesday, 17 February, 8 p.m., Professor D. C. Millar: “Effects of Obstetric Complications on Intellectual Development of Children.”

**BRIGHTON AND SUSSEX DIVISION.**—(1) At Sussex Postgraduate Medical Centre, Brighton General Hospital, Wednesday, 18 February, 8.30 p.m., joint meeting with Veterinary Society, Mr. H. William-Smith: “Toxoplasmosis” (Preceded by informal dinner, 6.30 for 7 p.m. ☉). (2) At Top Rank Suite, Brighton, Friday, 20 February, 8 p.m., and junior members’ forum.

**CAMBRIDGE AND HUNTINGDON BRANCH.**—At Old Addenbrooke’s Hospital, Tuesday, 17 February, 8.30 p.m., jointly with University Medical Society, Mr. P. F. Wolff: “Worthwhile Projects in Bioengineering.” Ladies are invited.

**Correction**

**Annual Meeting**

The Annual Meeting of the British Medical Association in Harrogate from 25 June to 3 July will be the Association’s 138th Annual Meeting and not the 168th, as misprinted in the Provisional Programme (Supplement 31, January p. 23).