

who was satisfied by the staff sister's evidence that the proper routine for sterilizing the equipment used and the proper aseptic precautions in administering the injection were carried out. Mr. Justice Sellars held that the probable cause of the trouble was that Mrs. Thomas's nose or throat was infected, that in those few days after the birth the infection got into the blood stream and attacked the tissues damaged by the injection. That would arise with no negligence on the part of the defendants whatsoever. Judgment was accordingly given for the defendants, the hospital management committee.

Universities and Colleges

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

Leave of absence and dispensation from statutory duties has been granted to R. R. Macintosh, D.M., Fellow of Pembroke College, Nuffield Professor of Anaesthetics, for three months from January 1, 1955, in order that he may visit Africa under the Nuffield Scheme for Dominion Demonstratorships and Clinical Assistantships.

In Congregation on November 20, 1954, the following degree was conferred:

D.M.—C. B. Wynn-Parry.

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

In Congregation on November 27, 1954, the following degrees were conferred:

M.A.—A. D. Dickson, M.B., B.Ch., University Demonstrator in Anatomy; Christopher Parish, F.R.C.S., Associate Lecturer in Thoracic Surgery; L. M. Rouillard, F.R.C.S.Ed., Associate Lecturer in Plastic Surgery.

M.D.—G. Hildick-Smith, P. J. Wormald, H. G. Mather, P. F. D. Naylor.

M.B., B.CHR.—R. J. Vince.

M.B.—R. K. Gilbert, R. N. Galloway, F. L. Johnstone, M. R. K. Plaxton, R. G. D. Smail.

*By proxy.

UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN

At a Graduation Ceremonial on December 15, 1954, the following degrees were conferred:

M.D.—W. H. R. Auld (with honours), L. A. Wilson (with honours), I. W. Caldwell, J. K. W. Morrice, J. H. S. Whyte.

M.B., Ch.B.—Helen C. Brown, T. G. Hamilton, A. N. Hepburn, J. Hepburn, G. B. Knox, K. J. Mackay, W. J. Macrae, R. Mair, J. M. Munn, D. R. Pratt, R. MacD. Rowland, M. A. Shields, A. N. B. Stott, Catherine H. Tullett (formerly Park).

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

At a Graduation Ceremonial on December 17, 1954, the following degrees and diplomas were conferred:

M.D.—G. S. Kilpatrick, J. W. Lusk (*in absentia*), G. M. Maxwell (highly commended for thesis).

Ph.D.—*In the Faculty of Medicine*: S. M. Ghosh, M.B., B.S.

M.B., Ch.B.—A. J. Bennet, A. A. H. Brown, J. A. Brown, C. F. M. Caird, P. G. Coffey, R. W. Davidson, H. P. Davie, G. F. Davis, P. G. Drummond-Smith, W. D. Fanner, A. Ford-Hunter, D. A. K. Geldenhuys, H. C. R. Hinwood, P. Y. Kyle, M. H. Lea, Kian Poen Lim, A. G. Mackinnon, D. G. McHie, D. Moore, Sheila M. L. Moore (*in absentia*), D. R. Oliver, W. F. Parrott, Shirley A. Peacock, W. H. Rabie, J. L. Smith, A. T. Thomason, R. A. P. Whitelaw, J. Wood, I. F. Young.

DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC HEALTH.—D. F. Baxter.

DIPLOMA IN MEDICAL RADIODIAGNOSIS.—W. N. Boyd, R. F. Cant, J. H. Greig, A. H. Morris, A. A. Wild.

DIPLOMA IN PSYCHIATRY.—J. G. Henderson, P. J. Zeck.

The following fellowship, scholarship, bursaries, and prizes were awarded in the Faculty of Medicine: *George Guthrie Research Fellowship in Child Health*, J. F. L. Collins. *Hastilow Research Scholarship in Rheumatism*, W. R. M. Alexander. *Andrew Graham Ritchie Bursaries*, Rosemary McCredie, A. W. McKenzie, A. Ramsay, *Mackie Bursaries*, J. C. Macintosh, J. G. Westerman. *E. B. Jamieson Prizes in Anatomy*, H. A. Crispin, J. S. Munro, D. O. Oliver.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

SCHOOL OF PHYSIC, TRINITY COLLEGE

The following degrees were conferred on December 2, 1954:

M.D.—R. S. Crone, W. G. Keane, T. J. C. Warriner.

M.Chr.—D. F. V. Lane.

M.A.O.—H. McVey.

M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.—D. A. Akintonde, W. Bottomley, T. P. Cairns, R. Chesney, A. G. P. Cotter, W. S. Crawford, Dorothea H. M. Dalling, R. I. Dankyi, G. P. O. Fenton, V. Gouws, S. W. D. Hall, M. M. Haniff, A. N. Henry, D. N. Johnstone, Anne J. Kevany, E. L. Kostick, J. G.

Leather, W. McGuinness, O. A. Ojo, W. McN. Orr, J. E. Parker, P. J. P. Pillar, Danuta E. Pollard (formerly Kolodziejka), J. W. Redmond, A. A. Skuce.

L.MED., L.C.H., and L.A.O.—T. J. Stack.

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

FINAL M.B., B.Chr.—P. R. D. Black, Jean R. Ellis, Marie M. Johnston, M.D.—K. Campbell.

FINAL M.B.—D. L. Kelly.

FINAL B.Chr.—A. C. A. Hempel (with second-class honours), Margaret H. S. Clements.

FINAL B.A.O.—G. A. Weaver, I. B. Sangmuah.

UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM

In Congregation on December 18, 1954, the following degrees were conferred:

M.B., B.S.—A. L. Brown, P. J. Burnett, Mary Campbell, J. R. Clark, J. F. Colville, G. S. Cowin, Joan A. Davison, F. Duran, Florence Farrow, J. F. Fenby, A. L. Ferguson, W. Granger, C. B. Hackett, Susan E. A. Hart, N. C. Haswell, C. A. Nutt, Bridget A. W. Osselton, S. Phinn, P. F. W. Rowell, Jean C. Russell, Elizabeth J. Studdy, F. Thompson, B. R. Tindle, S. V. J. Watson, Pamela Willis, and Fook Kwee Chai (*in absentia*).

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

The following degrees were awarded by the Senate on November 17, 1954:

M.D.—C. I. Levene.

M.S.—B. A. Ward.

The following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

THIRD M.B., B.S.—¹ D. N. Cons, ¹ R. C. O. Eruchalu, ¹ W. W. Holland, ¹ Mary P. Mearman, ¹ ³ Kathleen C. Morton, ¹ ⁴ Freda Newman, ¹ ³ P. J. Taylor, Jean M. Adams, R. J. W. Adamson, S. J. P. Adcock, A. M. O. Akinjaguna, M. R. Alderson, A. B. Allen, A. Allibone, D. A. Ampofo, G. H. Anderson, D. A. Andrews, F. M. Andrews, I. S. Audu, B. S. Baker, Elizabeth S. M. Barnes, A. A. Barton, A. E. Bashford, Norma A. Beardwell, R. W. R. Beasley, Felicity M. Bedford, D. L. Bee, N. L. Beisly, J. G. Benjafield, D. A. Bennett, G. Berks, R. V. Berry, H. R. Bissoon Dath, A. A. Black, M. W. Black, J. Blake, R. S. Blewett, P. Bliss, M. Bloom, Diana Bovill, Patricia M. Boyd, P. S. Boyne, M. G. Bridger, L. R. Bromwich, W. E. Brooke, D. K. Brooks, Daphne J. Broughton, A. M. Brown, D. P. Brown, M. Brown, P. H. Browne, A. J. Bruce, Patricia Burne, M. F. Cameron, B. R. T. Carroll, A. P. Carter, R. H. Castle, W. B. Castle, J. F. Catchpool, Norah B. A. Chase, A. R. Christmas, R. Chynoweth, K. A. Clare, Margaret A. Clark, J. G. Cochrane, Sheila E. Coggins, J. A. Collings-Wells, B. B. Collins, R. A. Cooper, P. S. V. Cox, Anne S. Crabtree, D. F. Crapps, Caroline J. Cranston, Anne M. Davies, Dilys K. Davies, J. L. Davis, C. F. Day, J. M. M. de Mowbray, P. J. Denvir, E. J. A. Dodds, J. Downes, P. Drummond, A. H. Dunkley, R. G. Dunning, M. O'N. East, W. M. Easther, Marian S. Edwards, B. Ekins, M. Entwistle, F. A. Fairweather, H. P. L. Falla, J. V. Farman, C. D. Farrer, C. I. Finn, Lorna O. A. Fletcher, H. Forbes, Y. N. P. Forget, Julia M. Fourman, Patricia J. Fowler, R. M. Franklin, Patricia F. Frisby, P. C. Fulford, Celeste U. Furlong, Beatrice J. Gambell, A. B. Gardiner, A. H. M. Gaze, S. A. A. George, D. A. Gill, Pauline M. Gledhill, J. S. Goodall, G. C. L. Goss, G. Gover, M. A. H. Graham, S. T. Guest, P. M. Gurkin, Elizabeth W. Hall, G. S. Hall, L. Hall, J. Harrison, D. R. W. Hartley, R. J. Hawkins, G. A. Heasman, L. Heffler, W. T. Henry, G. H. Herd, Margaret Hooper, P. J. Horniblow, Margaret W. Hughes, A. B. Hugo, R. J. Hunter, H. Inceman, P. B. C. B. Ivory, D. C. O. James, K. S. Jap, Muriel L. Jones, J. W. Jordan, A. N. Kalra, J. H. Keen, A. E. M. Kirk, J. L. H. Laity, R. Lakin, P. Lallah, N. Landau, Patricia A. Laslett, Diana E. Lathbury, R. H. J. Laurence, J. E. Leaney, W. M. Lennox, Pamela A. Lidstone, D. C. Linahan, Miriam D. Lindsay, Ann H. List, J. R. Lockwood, C. Lowson, A. H. Macdonald, J. McKenna, Agnes M. Maclean, L. R. MacLean, Margaret E. Macpherson, A. R. Mainwaring, R. E. W. Manley, B. H. Markham, K. D. F. Martin, Richenda M. Martin, Pamela Matheson, C. D. May, G. W. E. Mears, A. P. Melgrave, R. LI. Meyrick, Joan M. Montague, C. E. G. F. Morris, R. N. Morris, Patricia E. Moul, Margaret Muller, A. W. Murphy, Rachel E. Need, V. A. Ngu, D. W. Norton, P. E. I. Nwabuoku, D. B. A. Ofomata, M. I.-M. Ogbeide, P. O'Gorman, R. A. Onifade, R. O. Ormerod, R. A. Osborn, M. J. Ostime, D. C. Ower, R. T. Pagan, Catherine Parry, Pamela B. Passmore, M. B. Pepper, M. V. Perkins, J. O. Peskett, K. D. Phillips, D. S. Pickup, G. K. Pidsey, J. A. Pollock, D. S. Porter, Muriel E. Postons, R. E. Price, W. L. G. Quinlivan, J. K. Radnor, G. D. Råmsden, A. G. Ratcliffe, G. S. Rawson, P. B. Read, Pamela A. M. Rendell, E. G. Reynard, P. C. G. A. Reynolds, C. J. Rhodes, A. R. Rizk, D. J. C. Roberts, J. G. Robertson, L. Robertson, M. S. Robertson, T. J. F. Rockey, P. S. Rolland, L. C. Rose, G. Ross, S. M. Ross, B. C. Roughton, C. A. Rushmer, Patricia M. Russell, S. Sackwood, G. J. Sadow, A. A. Said, H. J. Salter, C. M. Samuel, T. G. Scott, E. R. R. Scrivener, A. S. Shalom, M. S. Shalom, J. Sherliker, K. I. Shimmings, Geraldine M. Shire, J. R. Silver, L. Sinclair, A. Skarbek, T. G. Skinner, A. G. Slark, J. I. Sloane, Margaret H. Smith, A. Smithies, W. G. Sodipe, J. A. B. Spalding, G. T. Spencer, J. S. G. P. Stableford, P. S. Stack, P. Stanesby, M. H. Staunton, E. B. Stephens, A. Taylor, D. E. Taylor, R. C. Taylor, D. E. H. Tee, A. P. Thatcher, M. A. Theeman, D. P. Thomas, Pauline M. A. Thomas, T. M. Tibbets, Patricia A. Topham, H. M. D. Utidjan, L. Valentine, Alice van Waterschoot, A. H. C. Walker, Angela M. Wallace, K. H. Warden, A. B. Watson, I. Watts, Hilary F. West, Joan M. Wetherall, J. Weyland, B. R. Wheeler, W. White, Rosemary Whitemore, J. D. W. Whitney, Helen M. Wilkinson, P. N. Williams, Rosemary J. Willing, A. S. Willis, Doreen M. Wilson, E. G. Wilson, J. R. Wilson, Sheila A. Wood, E. J. Wrigley, S. E. A. Wyner.

¹With honours. ²Distinguished in pathology. ³Distinguished in medicine. ⁴Distinguished in applied pharmacology and therapeutics. ⁵Distinguished in obstetrics and gynaecology.

The degree of M.S. was awarded to G. J. Hadfield on October 20.

UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER

The following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

FINAL M.B., Ch.B.—N. M. Bailey, J. T. Binless, M. A. Bloomfield, Margaret A. E. Boyce, J. D. Bradshaw, J. J. Burke, R. A. Butler, Alison M. Carrie, D. F. G. Clegg, Jean C. M. Collins, K. M. Dickinson, H. E. Godfrey, H. L. Green, S. F. Greenwood, G. E. B. Grove, Jane Hargreaves, I. S. Ingleby, Gwyneth M. Jones, J. D. Knight, P. Lomax, J. Potter, Margaret J. Pybus, I. Ramage, E. Roditi, R. Schofield, Betty West, G. A. Willcock, D. B. Wooldridge.

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

In Congregation on December 17, 1954, the following degrees were conferred:

M.B., Ch.B.—Y. Asirifi, P. H. Astill, Joyce E. Bailey, Patricia A. Bramley, J. Bullock, E. P. C. Hadley, Olga R. Harbron, Ella E. L. Holt, J. W. P. Jarrams, D. Learmont, A. P. Mayne, E. T. Melley, W. K. Merifield, K. Middleton, J. D. Nicholas, P. A. North, L. J. T. Pearson, A. Sutherland, Elizabeth M. Tilson, D. Wright, R. A. Yeomans.

UNIVERSITY OF LIVERPOOL

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

M.D.—E. F. B. Cadman, B. R. Frisby, S. Gillis, G. Hughes, D. E. Paterson, G. W. Storey, E. H. Wilson.
M.Ch.ORTH.—B. S. Jones, M. A. Vali

M.B., Ch.B.—J. D. Agnew, J. A. Barlow, I. K. Brown, B. J. Charlck, G. O. Dubourg, T. R. Evans, Patricia O. Grundy, P. A. Harrison, T. R. T. Hughes, R. A. Johnson, J. L. Mason, W. V. N. Pugh, Mary E. Shepherd, D. Taylor-Robinson, R. A. Yorke.

DIPLOMA IN RADIOTHERAPY (RADIOLOGY).—Part II: P. K. Ganguli.

DIPLOMA IN TROPICAL MEDICINE AND HYGIENE.—B. A. Chaudhary, J. Ghosh, June H. Green, B. A. Johnson, A. J. Jones, G. P. Lowther (recommended for the Milne Medal in Tropical Medicine), M. L. Magotra, A. M. Maiden, B. C. Onyeabo, D. J. Patel, B. Prasad, C. I. Somaya, J. K. N. Yearsley.

DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC HEALTH.—*Part I*: Jessie I. Anderson, S. M. Bieber, Sheila C. Blackburn, Barbara Briggs, R. D. Choudhury, Diana Daniel, Phyllis J. Disney, O. L. Evans, R. G. Hendry, Irene Lynch, C. A. McKeagney, R. S. Male, T. O'Shea, F. Seymour, J. M. Sword, J. C. Taylor, A. H. Wilde.

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

Mr. C. R. Berkin has been appointed Senior Registrar and Tutor in Orthopaedic Surgery from a date to be arranged for the period ending December 31, 1955, in the first instance.

UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD

At a meeting of the University Council on November 19, 1954, Dr. C. E. Davies was appointed part-time Lecturer and Clinical Teacher in Medicine and Dr. Isabella G. Monypenny part-time Instructor in Anaesthetics.

Dr. Margaret M. Platts was appointed to the J. G. Graves Medical Research Fellowship and Dr. R. Kilpatrick to the James Morrison Research Fellowship.

The following full-time appointments are announced: Mr. O. Daniel, Senior Lecturer in Surgery; Dr. D. Balducci, Research Assistant in Bacteriology and Virus Diseases.

Mr. P. A. King, Tutor in Surgery, has resigned his appointment.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF EDINBURGH

At the annual meeting of the College held on December 2, 1954, Professor L. S. P. Davidson was re-elected President, Dr. A. Rae Gilchrist was elected Vice-President, and the following were elected Members of Council: Dr. E. R. C. Walker, Dr. W. Lindsay Lamb, Dr. I. Simson Hall, Dr. J. G. M. Hamilton, and Dr. Thomas Anderson.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH

At a meeting of the College held on December 15, 1954, with Professor Walter Mercer, President, in the chair, the following were admitted Fellows after having passed the requisite examinations:

W. A. Baker, G. T. F. Braddock, G. K. Chaudhuri, J. N. de Clerk, C. J. Dewhurst, J. B. Doss, J. M. du Toit, M. M. El Fiki, H. Fine, W. D. Graham, J. J. Ironside, A. J. A. McCormick, G. T. Mair, K. P. P. B. Menon, M. J. Meter, D. P. Misra, G. F. Murnaghan, B. V. Nabar, J. S. Pathak, J. Piggot, N. B. Reddy, W. C. Robinson, R. S. Krishna, P. K. Sethi, G. Sinha, R. G. D. Taylor.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF IRELAND

The following candidates were admitted to the Licence of Medicine and Midwifery of the College on December 3, 1954:

P. Barnes, I. D. Bosman, P. J. Browne, I. W. Browne, P. J. Campbell, D. Eloff, A. A. Endelman, V. B. Gautama, J. W. D. Hand, R. J. Hayes, D. P. McCarthy, W. F. McCourt, B. G. Nanji, Anne T. Nolan, B. M. Nolan, M. C. Ongley, D. E. Page, L. G. K. Quarcoo, G. I. Roberts, S. K. Roy, A. P. Ryan, W. T. Salmon, T. A. Scully, S. Sugerman, N. H. Webb.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNAECOLOGISTS

At a meeting of the Council of the College held on November 27, 1954, with the President, Mr. Arthur A. Gemmell, in the chair, it was reported that a further gift of £5,000 from Mrs. Margaret Black to the Sims-Black Travelling Professorship Fund has been received.

The following awards were made for 1955: *Leverhulme Research Scholarships*, Professor I. Donald, Dr. J. Gardiner, Dr. F. H. Leckie, and Dr. M. L. Paterson. *Bernhard Baron Travelling Scholarship*, Professor S. L. Townsend (Melbourne). *Green-Armytage Short-term Travelling Scholarship*, Dr. J. W. F. Scrimgeour.

The Council acknowledged a further grant for research from the British Empire Cancer Campaign.

The following candidates were admitted to the Membership: R. K. Banerjee, K. Das Gupta, W. G. McBride, and L. H. Wilson.

The following candidates have been awarded the Diploma in Obstetrics:

Mavis J. Allanson, Barbara D. Allen, D. L. Archer, R. Armatage, W. M. Baird, C. E. Ballance, A. P. Barter, S. G. A. Bartlett, D. A. V. Bearblock, W. M. Beatley, F. X. Bencini, B. R. A. Binnewald, Ethel A. L. Blake, R. A. T. Boland, J. M. Bolton, G. M. P. Boyes, D. S. N. Brierley, R. C. Brookes, T. Brown, Jennifer Browne, J. C. Bryce, D. Budge, A. R. Burnett, Margaret H. Butler, A. P. Camilleri, Kathleen M. Carruthers, D. Cavanagh, A. F. Champion, J. Chapman, B. Chatcerjee, H. D. Chomse, T. K. Chong, Agnes Clark, I. M. Clark, A. G. Clews, Winifred J. Coates, Sheila M. Cochrane, R. L. K. Colville, E. Cooper, K. Coventry, W. H. A. C. Cox, A. V. Craig, D. O. Craig, D. S. Craig, A. A. Craigen, D. J. Cross, L. Crouch, S. H. Dallas, D. D. Davies, R. Davis, G. R. C. Deacon, P. A. De Ravee, R. F. Dingley, Marjorie J. Duckworth, Sheila G. F. Duncan, I. M. Duthie, A. E. Elliott, Cathleen M. Elliott, Mary A. Elsdale, L. A. J. Evans, Noreen M. H. Evans, F. H. Evasion, P. G. Fildes, A. G. Findlay, Anna L. Frenkiel, C. J. Friendship, Margaret P. Gardner, N. S. C. Gent, A. K. Ghosh, J. G. O. Gill, R. M. H. Gompertz, C. J. Goosen, A. C. Gow, Dorothy M. Grattan, June H. Green, P. J. Guly, Frances M. W. Hamilton, J. N. Harkness, N. B. Harris, J. D. Harte, Charlotte Hartstein, Kathleen F. Hastings, D. B. Hawkins, W. P. Hayne, J. H. Heard, K. R. Heber, E. R. Herst, J. McL. Hill, Barbara M. Hitch, K. S. Holmes, E. T. R. Holt, Helena E. Hughes, K. R. Hughes, Muriel M. Hughes, H. A. Hurwood, Jane C. Iles, A. Ingram, Doreen L. Ireland, E. P. James, G. Jayaswal, D. S. Jeffery, A. H. John, M. Johnstone, R. S. Johnstone, D. R. Jones, E. W. P. Jones, J. S. Jones, R. D. Jones, Catharina J. Joubert, P. J. Joubert, Victoria K. Kelly, D. M. Kirkwood, Ethel E. D. Knowles, K. B. Lazarus, W. E. Lewis, W. G. Lewis, J. F. Lowe, S. J. H. Lowry, I. B. Lyon, I. S. Macdonald, Jean M. Mackay, Frances E. A. McVeay, Doreen E. Mallagh, F. D. Marples, A. E. B. Matthews, J. S. Y. Mathewson, M. D. Matuk, J. I. Maxwell, B. McHra, V. G. Milne, D. B. Minton, W. P. L. Morrison, Maureen E. Murphy, G. T. Nelson, P. G. N. Watson, J. O. Newman, Jean J. S. Nicolson, H. R. H. N. Oaten, J. F. O'Keeffe, K. L. Oldershaw, Joyce E. A. Owens, J. Palmer, M. D. Parker, W. N. B. Parker, F. J. Partington, Myrtle T. Pateman, J. H. Pauffey, C. L. Perry, L. A. Pike, H. B. Polak, Clare E. Poundall, P. H. Pullen, Sheila M. Purchase, R. Puri, Jenny Pym, Norah P. Raitt, Carmen M. Rant, R. D. H. Reddy, Barbara A. Renwick, B. W. Richards, T. A. Richards, C. C. Riley, T. M. F. Roberts, M. Rohatgi, R. A. Rowan, A. W. Russell, F. W. Russell, P. S. B. Russell, Annie P. Ryan, Alice L. Scott, J. H. Scudamore, Muriel J. Seaman, D. A. Seaton, A. M. Semmence, Jean M. Sharpe, G. D. H. Shephard, Hilary J. Shimmin, D. N. Sinclair, W. N. Sloan, G. L. Smith, M. A. Smith, M. G. Smith, M. S. Smyth, P. B. Sparke, R. A. Stark, J. F. Stephen, J. A. B. Stewart, H. M. Strathern, Pamela M. Sutherland, P. H. Swinhoe, Eva S. Szemulewicz, Elsie G. Taylor, G. B. Taylor, Patricia I. Thomas, P. R. V. Tomson, Molly E. Towell, B. A. Tudgay, Kathleen D. Tulloh, M. G. S. Vercoe, R. W. Wallis, Cynthia M. Ward, Evelyn D. Watkins, J. L. Weeks, K. J. S. Whight, H. J. White, Ingeborg R. Wiernik, Margaret A. Wilson, Margaret T. Wood, J. H. Woolf, Dorothy M. Wreford-Smith, F. R. H. Wrigley, N. Young.

ROYAL MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

The following candidates were successful at the November examination for the Diploma in Psychological Medicine:

D.P.M.—Part I: Mary J. Collins, W. J. H. Collins, M. S. De Mowbray, Dorothy I. Ogden, A. Raman, D. Sherret, W. D. Wilson. **Part II**: L. N. Cook, J. Mukerjee, G. S. Stirling.

Vital Statistics

Census of Scotland

The population of Scotland enumerated in the 1951 census¹ was 2,434,358 males and 2,662,057 females, an increase on the 1931 census of 4.7% for males and 5.7% for females. The excess of births over deaths shows that during the intercensal period the loss by migration was 4.7% for males and 4.4% for females. The population of 10 of the 33 counties was smaller in 1951 than in 1931. In the counties the largest percentage increases in population during 1931–51 were 9.5 in Kincardine, 9.1 in Moray, and 8.7 in Clackmannan; the

COMING EVENTS

Hunterian Festival Dinner at the Royal College of Surgeons.—The Hunterian Festival Dinner will be held this year on Monday, February 14. Normally admission is by invitation, but this year, as the dinner will be held for the first time in the new Great Hall of the College, it will be possible to admit, on payment, up to 100 Fellows and Members. Will any Fellow or Member of the College who wishes to attend please write immediately to Mr. W. F. DAVIS, Deputy Secretary, Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, W.C.2 (HOL : 3474), enclosing a cheque for £2 15s. to cover the inclusive cost of the dinner. Evening dress and decorations will be worn.

Chronic Rheumatic Diseases.—Concentrated week-end course at the Rheumatism Unit, St. Stephen's Hospital, Chelsea, S.W.10, on March 19 and 20. Details from the secretary, Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine, 1, Wimpole Street, London, W.1.

Royal Institute of Public Administration.—The Edinburgh and East of Scotland Regional Group is holding a conference on "Health Services" at Peebles on March 31 and April 1 and 2. The general theme is "Working Together—Progress and Prospects." Fee one guinea. Details from hon. sec., 245 High Street, Edinburgh, 1.

Congress on Urinary Lithiasis.—At Evian, France, from September 2 to 4, under the presidency of Professor L. DE GENNES and Professor J. CIBERT. Details from Professor C. LAROCHE, 16, rue Christophe-Colomb, Paris, 8.

NEW ISSUES

British Heart Journal.—The new issue (Volume 17, No. 1) will be available in a week's time. The contents include:

VECTOCARDIOGRAMS OF NORMAL AND PREMATURE BEATS IN DIFFERENT LEAD SYSTEMS. W. Den Boer, H. C. Burger, and J. B. Van Milaan. MYOCARDIAL CHANGES OCCURRING IN POTASSIUM DEFICIENCY. P. M. McAllen.

THE DISTINCTIVE ELECTROCARDIOGRAM OF CORONARY ARTERIOSPASM. William Evans. SECONDARY R WAVES IN RIGHT CHEST LEADS. Fulvio Camerini and L. G. Davies.

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Saturday, January 8
E.G. SOCIETY.—At National Hospital, Queen Square, W.C., 10.30 a.m., scientific papers.

Monday, January 10
ASSOCIATION OF CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTS (SOUTHERN REGION).—At University College Hospital, 3.15 p.m., annual general meeting. 4.30 p.m., scientific papers.

INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. E. Stengel: lecture-demonstration.

Tuesday, January 11
BRITISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION: WOLVERHAMPTON AND DISTRICT SECTION.—At Star and Garter Hotel, Wolverhampton, 6.30 for 7 p.m., informal meal; at Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton, 8 p.m., Professor J. M. Webster: Forensic Aspects of the Teeth and Lower Jaw. Members of South Staffs Division, B.M.A., are invited.

CHELSEA CLINICAL SOCIETY.—At Rembrandt Hotel, Thurloe Place, S.W. 8.30 p.m., discussion to be opened by Sir Charles Petrie and Mr. E. D. O'Brien: Some Problems of Modern Diplomacy.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. R. G. Cochrane: Leprosy.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5 p.m., Watson Smith Lecture by Dr. G. B. Dowling: Scleroderma and Dermatomyositis.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—3.45 p.m., Imperial Cancer Research Fund Lecturer by Dr. J. Bamforth: Early Beginnings of Carcinoma.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Wright-Fleming Theatre, 5 p.m., Dr. P. L. Mollison: The Rhesus Factor.

Wednesday, January 12

INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY.—4.30 for 5 p.m., Mr. J. D. Fergusson: Prostatic Cancer.

MIDLAND MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Birmingham Medical Institute, 154, Great Charles Street, 8.15 p.m., Dr. Robert Forbes: Recent Developments in Medical Litigation.

NOTTINGHAM MEDICO-CHIRURGICAL SOCIETY.—8.30 p.m., Sir Charles Dodds, F.R.S.: Influence of Chemistry on Medical Practice.

ROYAL STATISTICAL SOCIETY: STUDY SECTION.—At E.L.M.A. Lighting Service Bureau, 2, Savoy Hill, London, W.C., 6 p.m., joint meeting with Study Circle on Medical Statistics. Dr. R. H. Thouless: Statistics in Parapsychology.

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ALFRED ADLER MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11, Chandos Street, W., 8 p.m., Dr. A. A. Marion: Use of Hypnosis in Skin Disorders.

LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION.—8 p.m., discussion to be opened by Dr. R. Kemp and Dr. I. Harvey Flack: Medical Education in Patient and Public.

NUFFIELD ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRE.—At Wingfield-Morris Orthopaedic Hospital, 8.30 p.m., Major L. C. Hollister: Internal Splinting of Fractures.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—5 p.m., Hunterian Lecture by Mr. C. P. Wilson: Lateral Cysts and Fistulae of the Neck of Developmental Origin.

ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY.—At Physiology Department, Medical School, Small's Wynd, Dundee, 5 p.m., Dr. T. Cecil Gray: Anaesthesia in the Age of Stress.

SURREY INTER-HOSPITAL PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION.—At St. Ebba's Hospital, Epsom, 7.30 p.m., clinical meeting.

Friday, January 14

●**INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.**—5.30 p.m., clinical demonstration by Dr. R. G. Cochrane: Leprosy.

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY.—3.30 p.m., Mr. S. A. Beards: Headaches of Nasal and Sinus Origin.

●**ROYAL FACULTY OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW.**—5 p.m., Mr. Arthur H. Jacobs: Surgical Approach in Surgical Pathology of the Kidney.

ROYAL MEDICAL SOCIETY, Edinburgh.—8 p.m., Mr. A. W. McKenzie: Addison's Disease.

Saturday, January 15

BIOCHEMICAL SOCIETY.—At King's College, Strand, W.C., 2 p.m., scientific papers.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SCHOOL.—10.30 a.m., Symposium: Dermatology.

APPOINTMENTS

BETTS, J. WOODROW, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S., Consultant Surgeon to Lincoln County Hospital, John Coupland Hospital, Gainsborough, and the Grace Swan Memorial Hospital, Spilsby, under the Sheffield Regional Hospital Board.

BRITISH RAILWAYS (LONDON MIDLAND REGION)—J. F. Kelly, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H., and J. Haydn Williams, M.B., B.S., Assistant Medical Officers.

DOYLE, WILLIAM J., M.B., B.Ch., B.Sc. (Public Health), D.P.H., County Medical Officer of Health for Devon, following the retirement of Dr. L. Meredith Davies in May, 1955.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

MARRIAGES

Mulcahy—Hanton.—On December 30 1954, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Wexford, Risteárd Mulcahy, M.D., M.R.C.P., to Aileen Hanton.

DEATHS

Dicks.—On December 20, 1954, at Lanin, Warren Edge Road, Southbourne, Bournemouth, Hants, Eustace James Carey Dicks, M.B.E., M.D., late of Ealing, London, W.

Eland.—On December 14, 1954, Arthur John Charles Eland, M.D., of Filkins, Lechlade, Glos.

FitzGerald.—On December 21, 1954, at his home, Penhabour, Greystones, Co. Wicklow, Eire, FitzGerald Gabbett FitzGerald, C.B., D.S.O., L.R.C.P.&S.I., Major-General, late R.A.M.C., retired, aged 76.

Hardwick.—On December 16, 1954, at Island House, Newquay, Cornwall, Arthur Geoffrey Patteven Hardwick, M.C., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

Henderson.—On December 18, 1954, George Henderson, M.B., C.M., of Haddeney, Foley Road, Clavgate, Surrey, aged 83.

Lomas.—On December 17, 1954, at 1069, Manchester Road, Castleton, Rochdale, Lancs, Alfred Lomas, M.B., Ch.B., aged 80.

Morris.—On December 21, 1954, at Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, John Rutherford Morris, L.R.C.P.&S.Ed., late of Sedbergh, Yorks.

Mullally.—On December 19, 1954, the result of an accident, Joseph Gerard Pius Mullally, M.B., B.Ch., of St. Anne's, Ridge Way, High Wycombe, Bucks.

Rau.—On December 21, 1954, at Wanstead Hospital, Bantwal Narasingha Rau, M.B., B.S., of 5, Hermon Hill, Wanstead, London, E., aged 60.

Rosa.—On December 21, 1954, at 4, Bellevue Crescent, Edinburgh. Albert Frederick Rosa, M.D.

Sellar.—On December 20, 1954, at The Bield, Juniper Green, Edinburgh. Thomas McCall Sellar, M.C., M.B., Ch.B.