

COMING EVENTS

Mental Deficiency.—Dr. J. VAN DEN BOSCH, of the Netherlands Instituut voor Praeventieve Geneeskunde, Leyden, will lecture at University College, London, on February 7 at 5 p.m. (in the eugenics lecture theatre). His subject will be "A Mental Deficiency Syndrome in a Dutch Family."

Radio.—"Children in Hospital" in the B.B.C. series "Parents and Children," February 10, 7 p.m. in Network Three.

Medical Art Society.—Sixteenth annual exhibition at Walker's Galleries, 118, New Bond Street, London, W.1, February 13 to March 5, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, Saturdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Hunterian Society.—Annual dinner, February 13, at the Savoy Hotel, Strand, W.C.2. Tickets (35s.) from Mr. GEORGE QVIST, F.R.C.S., 72, Harley Street, W.1.

Reticuloendothelial Society.—Second symposium, August 29–31, at Rapallo, Italy. Proposed titles of papers from intending participants, with a short summary in English, should be sent before March 15 to Dr. ALBERTO MARMONT, Clinica Medica Universitaria, Viale Benedetto XV, Genova, Dr. Marmont will also receive applications for attendance as observers.

Faculty of Medicine, Barcelona.—Second course on asthma and allergy, March 20–27. Details from Dr. J. FARRERONS-Co, 343, Consejo de Ciento, Barcelona.

NEW ISSUES

SPECIALIST JOURNALS AND ABSTRACTS

All the journals listed below are obtainable from the Publishing Manager, B.M.A. House, Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1.

Medical and Biological Illustration.—Issued quarterly (£3 annually). The new issue, Vol. 8, No. 1, includes:

THE TRAVELLING EXHIBIT. P. Hansell, H. Grayshon Lumby, and C. R. Brecknell.

THE KODAK SHORT RUN COLOUR SYSTEM OF LITHOGRAPHY. Robert Ollerenshaw.

PHOTOMICROGRAPHY BY ELECTRONIC FLASH. Ronald Plummer.

CLEAN ANATOMICAL SPECIMENS. David Brown.

AN ENDOGASTRIC CAMERA. Arthur Smalowski and Paul O'Sullivan.

Abstracts of World Medicine.—Issued in the first week of each month, this journal contains abstracts of important papers selected from the current medical literature of the world. Annual subscription £4 4s.

SOCIETIES AND LECTURES

A fee is charged or a ticket is required for attending lectures marked ●. Application should be made first to the institution concerned.

Monday, February 10

GUY'S HOSPITAL.—5 p.m., Endocrine Demonstration: Diabetes Insipidus. Guest speaker, Dr. O. Garrod.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—4 p.m., Professor J. McMichael: Heart Failure.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON.—At Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Gower Street, W.C.2. 5.30 p.m., special university lecture in physiology by Professor A. Szent-Györgyi (Massachusetts): Bioenergetics—(1) General Principles.

Tuesday, February 11

B.B.C. TELEVISION.—9.30 p.m., "Your Life in Their Hands," No. 1—The Breath of Life, from the Churchill Hospital, Oxford.

BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Professor J. M. Yoffey: Some Problems of Lymphoid Tissue.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. R. W. Riddell: Differential Diagnosis of Mycotic Diseases of the Skin.

MANCHESTER MEDICAL SOCIETY: SECTION OF SURGERY.—At Small Theatre, Clinical Sciences Building, York Place, Manchester, 8 p.m., Thoracic Evening. Mr. J. F. Dark: Air-traps following Operations on the Neck; Mr. K. Douglas: Some Aspects of Cardiospasm; Mr. J. S. Glennie: Value of a Chest X-ray.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL COLLEGE.—5 p.m., Sir Francis Fraser: Practice of Medicine: Past, Present, and Future.

ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY.—At Physiology Lecture Theatre, 6 p.m., Professor A. S. Prophet: Infections of the Mouth.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Wright-Fleming Institute Theatre, 5 p.m., Mr. D. J. MacRae: Films demonstrating (1) Forceps Delivery; (2) Replacement Transfusion; (3) Normal Labour; (4) Caesarean Section.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON.—At Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Gower Street, W.C.2. 5.30 p.m., special university lecture in physiology by Professor A. Szent-Györgyi (Massachusetts): Bioenergetics—(2) Applications.

WEST END HOSPITAL FOR NEUROLOGY AND NEUROSURGERY.—5.30 p.m., Mr. J. Minton: Ocular Manifestations in Clinical Neurology (Part I).

Wednesday, February 12

BEDFORD COLLEGE.—5.15 p.m., public lecture by Dr. D. M. MacKay, Ph.D.: The Human Brain—The Brain as an Information System (Illustrated).

●INSTITUTE FOR THE STUDY AND TREATMENT OF DELINQUENCY.—At St. George's Institute, 7.30 p.m., Mr. Peter Kuenstler, M.A.: Employment Problems.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. O. L. S. Scott: Genetic Principles.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Mr. W. P. Cleland: Benign Intra-thoracic Tumours.

INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY.—4.30 for 5 p.m., Mr. H. G. Hanley: Disorders of Micturition in Females.

LONDON UNIVERSITY.—At Guy's Hospital Medical School, 5 p.m., special university lecture in human anatomy and morphology by Professor C. H. Waddington, F.R.S.: Evolutionary Adaptation to Environmental Stress.

MANCHESTER MEDICAL SOCIETY: SECTION OF PATHOLOGY.—At Large Anatomy Theatre, Manchester University, 4.30 p.m., Presidential Address by Mr. H. Varley: Corticosteroids—Their Determination and Clinical Significance.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—2 p.m., Lecture by Dr. H. Lehmann.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH.—3.30 p.m., Professor F. A. R. Stammers: Mechanical Factors in Post-gastrectomy Problems.

ROYAL FACULTY OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW.—5 p.m., Walker Lecture by Professor Claude Rimington, D.Sc., F.R.S.: Some Aspects of Haemoglobin Biosynthesis and Their Importance to Medicine.

Thursday, February 13

ALFRED ADLER MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11, Chandos Street, W., 8 p.m., Dr. I. Frost: Sulphonamide Aids to Psychotherapy.

BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Professor A. Neuburger, F.R.S.: Enzymes in Health and Disease.

GLASGOW UNIVERSITY AND ROYAL FACULTY OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW.—At Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, 3 p.m., conference on obstetrics and gynaecology. Dr. J. Hewitt, Dr. H. Stirling, and Dr. W. C. Armstrong: Operative Treatment of Prolapse.

●HUNTERIAN SOCIETY.—At Savoy Hotel, Strand, W.C., 7 for 7.30 p.m., annual dinner.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. O. L. S. Scott: Genodermatoses.

LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION.—8 p.m., joint meeting with Liverpool Society of Anaesthetists. Dr. J. W. Dundee: Man-made Maladies.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5 p.m., Marc Danicls Lecture by Dr. A. L. Cochrane: Meaning of the X-ray Classification of Coal-workers' Pneumoconiosis.

ROYAL MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION: (1) CHILD PSYCHIATRY SECTION.—At 11, Chandos Street, W., 6 p.m., Dr. H. Durnore Hunter and Dr. R. F. Barbour: Advantages or Otherwise of the Physical Examination of a Child Patient by His Psychiatrist. (2) PSYCHOTHERAPY AND SOCIAL PSYCHIATRY SECTION.—At 11, Chandos Street, W., 8 p.m., Sister Mollie Clark: Role of the Charge Nurse in the Mental Hospital.

ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY.—At Lecture Theatre, Physiology Department, Queen's College, Small's Wynd, Dundee, 5 p.m., Professor R. E. Tunbridge: So-called Collagen Diseases.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON: DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY.—At Physiology Theatre, Gower Street, W.C.2, 5 p.m., public lecture by Dr. F. H. C. Crick: Nucleic Acids—(1) Structure.

Friday, February 14

●INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. W. N. Goldsmith: clinical demonstration.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Dr. F. H. Scadding: Clinical demonstration.

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOTOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Mr. W. McKenzie: Stapes Mobilization.

MIDLAND CENTRE FOR NEUROSURGERY, Holly Lane, Smethwick, near Birmingham.—8 p.m., Professor Alfred Meyer: Fact and Myth in Prefrontal Leucotomy.

PLYMOUTH MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Greenbank Road Hospital, 8.30 p.m., clinical evening. (Cases from 8 p.m.)

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—(1) 10 a.m., Mr. Norman Tanner: Diagnosis and Treatment of Oesophageal Bleeding. (2) 4 p.m., Dr. A. Rae Gilchrist: Heart Block.

ROYAL INSTITUTION.—9 p.m., Professor J. Z. Young, F.R.S.: Structure of Cells.

ROYAL MEDICAL SOCIETY, EDINBURGH.—8 p.m., dissertation by Mr. A. Milne: Peliomylitis.

SOCIETY OF MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH (WELSH BRANCH).—At B.M.A. House, 195, Newport Road, Cardiff, 6.30 p.m., Dr. F. Marie Richards: Perinatal Mortality.

Saturday, February 15

BIOCHEMICAL SOCIETY.—At Beveridge Hall, Senate House, University of London, 10.30 a.m. symposium: Glutathione.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

BIRTHS

Eton.—On January 22, 1958, at the Maternity Hospital, Cambridge, to Ilse (formerly Ursell) and Bruce Eton, M.D., M.R.C.O.G., a son—David Alexander.

Jackson.—On January 15, 1958, to Eileen, M.B., B.S., wife of John W. Jackson, M.Ch., F.R.C.S., of "Cressingham," Marsham Way, Gerrards Cross, Bucks, a son—Adam John Greenwood.

DEATHS

Buchan.—On January 19, 1958, at 57, Clarke Grove Road, Sheffield, Yorks, William Taylor Buchan, M.B., Ch.B.

Chamberlain.—On January 20, 1958, at The Rectory, Dun Laoghaire, Eire, George Harry Amyrald Chamberlain, M.D., M.R.C.P.I., D.P.M., aged 38.

Fraser.—On January 13, 1958, Robert Gibson Fraser, M.B., Ch.B., of 223, Birchfield Road, Handsworth, Birmingham, Warwick.

Grant.—On January 10, 1958, at 57, Druids Lane, Birmingham, Warwick, May Isabella Turner Grant, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.

Hallowes.—On January 20, 1958, at Ashwood, Hartington Street, Leeks, Staffs, Arthur Collis Hallowes, M.C., M.B., B.Ch., aged 72.