surgery of the heart, by Professor Charles Bailey and Professor Joseph Imbriglia will doubtless add to the appeal of this edition by reminding us of the fascinating enterprises of modern cardiovascular surgery. Apart from the authors of the five new chapters, the book retains the distinguished contributors to the first edition; their chapters have been brought up to date (1958) and reset in smaller type; the double-column page is preserved, with the disadvantage that this sometimes makes subdivision awkward. Professor Jesse Edwards deals, as before, with congenital malformations in a masterly section of some 200 pages.

Illustration is profuse and excellent throughout, but the colour plates pairing with Figs. XV.37 and XV.39 are superfluous, and Fig. III.28 could also be deleted without loss. Bibliographies are comprehensive; and misprints are virtually absent—"venosus" (p. 269) and "brain" (p. 872) were the only two noted. The index is a little disappointing-for example, anomalous right subclavian artery is not listed.

Undoubtedly this book is the most complete and authoritative work on the subject in the English language. It is also the heaviest $(6\frac{1}{2} \text{ lb.})$ and the most expensive (£13). Inevitably there is overlapping, several conditions being dealt with twice or more; even so, one would like some elaboration of subjects like disseminated lupus, carcinoid heart disease, and spondylitic aortitis. Not everyone will agree with the summing up of the aetiology of calcific aortic valve disease nor of cardiac myxoma.

All engaged in cardiovascular work must have access to, if not possession of, this fine book. Professor Gould and his colleagues are to be congratulated, as are the publishers. May one hope for some reduction in the size and cost of future editions by closer integration of the contributions, and possibly some vigorous pruning, especially of non-pathological material?

R. E. B. HUDSON.

John Langton, who died in 1910, compiled the index for the first thirty-one volumes of the Transactions of the Medical Society of London because, he said, though it contained valuable contributions to medical science, he thought these were "in the condition of an unworked mine which needed only systematic labour to make its buried treasures available for the common good." The treasures of the present volume of Transactions running from October, 1958, to May, 1959, are by no means buried, though some are necessarily more sparkling than others. The Lettsomian Lectures on "Sense and Sensibility," for instance, do not compete with the opening of a discussion on "Carcinoid Tumors"—the facets are simply cut for a different purpose. The Presidential address on "Trends in Medicine 1939-1958" gives an attractive feeling of perspective to a volume that covers the value of routine checks, obesity, malingering, life in a hot climate, the practice of dermatology—for connoisseurs of the irresistible imperative this communication demands that you should "consider the dermatological hazards of Nomadic tribes, particularly in the Middle East "-collagen disease, cerebral arterial disease, and the Annual Oration: "Our Benefactors"—a fascinatingly diverse collection of men and women. The clinico-pathological meeting is noted but no more. Even so, it whets one's curiosity and makes one wish that the Transactions could have included pictures of "X-ray Appearances of the Spine of a Mummy, Two to Three Thousand Years Old" or "300 Year Old Arawak Indian Skull (Flatted Frontal part due to head binding in infancy)." (The Medical Society of London; pp. 193 + lxi; index.)

BOOKS RECEIVED

REVIEWS

Review is not precluded by notice here of books recently received.

Complications in Surgery and their Management. Edited by Curtis P. Artz, M.D., F.A.C.S., and James D. Hardy, M.D., F.A.C.S. With contributions by sixty-nine authorities. (Pp. 1,075) +xliv; illustrated. £8 1s.) Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1960.

Theoretical and Practical Problems of Medicine and Biology in Experiments on Monkeys. Edited by I. A. Utkin. Translated from the Russian by Ruth Schachter, M.Sc. (Pp. 276+vii; illustrated. 63s.) Oxford, London, New York, Paris: Pergamon Press. 1960.

Diabetes Mellitus. A Clinical and Pathological Study of 2,529 Cases. By E. T. Bell, M.D. (Pp. 67+viii; illustrated. 30s.) Springfield, Illinois: Charles C. Thomas. Oxford: Blackwell Scientific Publications Ltd. 1960.

Delinquent and Neurotic Children. A Comparative Study. By Ivy Bennett, M.A., Ph.D. (Pp. 532+xii. 45s.) London: Tavistock Publications. 1960.

Preparing for your Baby. Advice for all Expectant Mothers including Relaxation and Exercises for Natural Childbirth. By Dr. Raymond Gerard Cross and Dr. Dermot Roden. (Pp. 27; illustrated. 5s.) Dublin, Belfast, and London: C. J. Fallon Ltd. 1960.

A Short Guide to Social Survey Methods. (Pp. 24. 2s. 6d.) Published for the National Old People's Welfare Council by the National Council for Social Service (Inc.). 1960.

The Year Book of Medicine (1960-1961 Year Book Series). Edited by Paul B. Beeson, M.D., Carl Muschenheim, M.D., William B. Castle, M.D., Franz J. Ingelfinger, M.D., and Philip K. Bondy, M.D. (Pp. 740; illustrated. 60s.) Chicago: The Year Book Publishers. London: Interscience Publishers Ltd.

Mental Retardation in Infants and Children. By Abraham Levinson, M.D. (deceased) and John A. Bigler, M.D. (Pp. 308; illustrated, 60s.) Chicago: The Year Book Publishers. London: Interscience Publishers Ltd. 1960.

Advances in Internal Medicine. Editors William Dock, M.D., and I. Snapper, M.D. Volume X. (Pp. 390; illustrated. 79s.) Chicago: The Year Book Publishers, Inc. London: Interscience Publishers Ltd. 1960.

Internal Medicine. A Physiologic and Clinical Approach to Disease. By Robert P. McCombs, B.S., M.D., F.A.C.P. Second edition. (Pp. 750+xxiii; illustrated. 79s.) Chicago: The Year Book Publishers, Inc. London: Interscience Publishers Ltd. 1960.

Radioactive Isotopes in Biochemistry. By Engelbert Broda. With a Preface by G. de Hevesy. (Pp. 376+x; illustrated. 57s.) Amsterdam, London, New York, Princeton: Elsevier Publishing

Emotion. A Comprehensive Phenomenology of Theories and their Meanings for Therapy. By James Hillman. (Pp. 318+x. 40s.) London: Routledge and Kegan Paul Ltd. 1960.

Family and Class in a London Suburb. By Peter Willmott and Michael Young. (Pp. 187+xiii. 21s.) London: Routledge and Kegan Paul. 1960.

Grundriss der Medizinischen Mykologie. By Dr. med. Georg Schabinski. (Pp. 183+viii; illustrated. DM. 34.20.) Jena: Veb Gustav Fischer Verlag. 1960.

Die Operative Gallengangsendoskopie. By Prof. Dr. med. Hans Wildegans. (Pp. 105+iv; illustrated. DM 36.) Munich, Berlin: Verlag von Urban und Schwarzenberg. 1960.

Augenheilkunde. Ein Lehrbuch für Studium und Praxis. By F. Rintelen, (Pp. 455+xxvii; illustrated. S.Fr. 65.) Basle, New York: S. Karger. 1960.

Malaysian Parasites XXXV-XLIX. Edited by W. W. Macdonald. Studies from the Institute for Medical Research, Federation of Malaya. (Pp. 251+vii; illustrated. No price.) Printed at the Government Press by B. T. Fudge, Government Printer, Federation of Malaya. 1960.

A Handbook of Tropical Diseases with Treatment and Prescriptions. By J. C. Banerjea, B.M.(Cal.), M.R.C.P.(Lond.), and P. B. Bhattacharya, M.B., D.T.M.(Cal.). Sixth edition. (Fp. 515+xi; illustrated. £2 5s.) Calcutta: Academic Publishers. 1960.

admit that barrier creams might do good and could not do harm, and in that way its provision had been given an exaggerated importance, especially in the courts. He continued that the only proof of the value of barrier cream must come from properly conducted trials carried out under industrial conditions and followed eventually by an assessment of the incidence of dermatitis, and said that good evidence of this kind of the value of barrier creams had seldom or never been produced and that their value was still based upon theory and upon the specious claims of those who manufactured and sold them. He summed up the position by saying that the practical value of a barrier cream in preventing dermatitis due to cement or oil had not been proved by scientific evidence and was a matter only of presumption. and added that there were some, both dermatologists and industrial officers, who considered that barrier creams did more harm than good."

Universities and Colleges

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

The Raymond Horton-Smith Prize for 1959-60 has been awarded to Dr. A. M. Barrett.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

The title of Reader in Medicine in the University has been conferred on Dr. P. H. Sanderson in respect of his post at St. Mary's Hospital Medical School.

UNIVERSITY OF WALES

In Congregation on December 19, 1960, the following degrees were conferred:

M.B., B.CH.—Elizabeth R. M. Archer, P. G. Cunningham-Davis, D. G. Daniels, B. E. Deere, M. D. Edwards, J. N. P. Hughes, R. H. Hughes, C. D. Isaacs, K. Jayasinghe, Marlene M. Jones, T. T. Jones, Margaret M. L. Lord, S. N. Nirsimloo, M. J. C. Povey, B. A. Stratford, A. C. Williams.

WELSH NATIONAL SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

At a Congregation held on December 17, 1960, the following degrees were conferred:

M.D.—C. P. Seager. M.CH.—G. E. Heard (with distinction).

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY OF BELFAST

At a Graduation ceremony on December 20, 1960, the following degrees were conferred:

M.D.—D. A. Blair, D. McC. Boyle, W. E. Glover, C. A. J. Macafee, E. S. Mitchell, Betty Nicholl, S. D. Roberts, J. Willis. M.B., B.CH., B.A.O.—C. M. Craythorne, A. P. F. Frank, W. H. K. Haslett, John Joon Hai Ho, D. W. Hunter, Barbara E. A. McMaster, M. R. O'Neill, R. H. Rickaby, Maureen E. A. Thompson.

UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL

The following candidates have been approved at the examination indicated:

FINAL M.B., CH.B.—L. M. Ajabor, Frances N. Burton, Belinda R. Davies, W. O. Gbajumo D. D. Kennedy, W. T. Morris, J. J. Nicholas, G. H. Robb, H. Ruhomaully, R. M. Sykes.

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES OF LONDON

The following candidates, having completed the final examination, have been granted the diploma of L.M.S.S.A.:

J. J. Aitken, W. K. Blenkinsopp, J. Brown, M. H. Chu, R. N. Drepaul, H. M. Gillespie, F. D. Habib, C. S. Jayakumar, J. M. Lilwall, R. Marris, B. R. Middleton, G. Z. Shenouda, P. Singh, I. G. Strang, J. Swallow, A. Thomas, I. A. Tuncer, C. R. S. M. Wynne-Roberts.

The following candidates have been awarded the diploma of Mastery of Midwifery: R. M. Burton, F. L. W. Collings.

Vital Statistics

Influenza

At the end of last week influenza was still prevalent in the Midlands and in parts of the North-western Region. Influenza virus A had been isolated from a number of cases in the Midlands. In England and Wales generally new claims to sickness benefit increased by about 8% and were relatively high in the Midlands and North-west. During the week ending January 14 there were 246 deaths from influenza (150 in the previous week) in England and Wales:

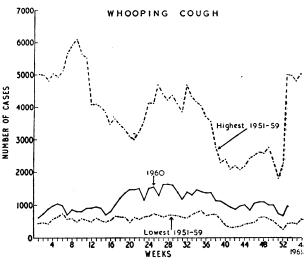
most of them occurred in the areas where influenza was prevalent and were restricted almost entirely to middle-aged or elderly persons. There was little change in the number of deaths from pneumonia (1,149) and a slight rise in the deaths from bronchitis (1,371), though both figures were substantially higher than in the same week last year. During the week ending January 10 applications (1,490) to the Emergency Bed Service for London fell a little compared with the previous week, but were about 300 more than in the corresponding week last year.

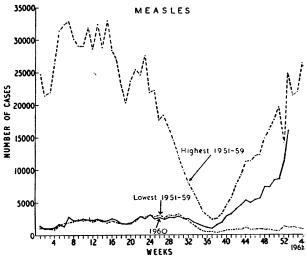
Births and Deaths in 1960

Live births registered in England and Wales in 1960 (according to provisional figures given by the Registrar-General) amounted to 782,673—32,290 more than in 1959 and the highest figure since 1947. The rate per 1,000 population was 17.1, the highest rate since 1948. Deaths numbered 526,278, giving a rate of 11.5 per 1,000 population (11.6 in 1959). The death rate of infants under 1 year of age fell to the low figure of 21.7 per 1,000 live births (22.2 in 1959 and 29.6 in 1950). The stillbirth rate was also low—19.7 per 1,000 live and stillbirths (21 in 1959 and 22.7 in 1950)

Graphs of Infectious Diseases

The graphs below show the uncorrected numbers of cases of certain diseases notified weekly in England and Wales. Highest and lowest figures reported in each week during the years 1951-9 are shown thus -----, the figures for 1960-1 thus ——. Except for the curves showing notifications in 1960-1, the graphs were prepared at the Department of Medical Statistics and Epidemiology, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.





NEW ISSUES OF SPECIALIST JOURNALS

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

BRITISH HEART JOURNAL

The Effects of Synthetic Angiotensin and Noradrenaline on Blood Pressure and Renal Function. E. G. McQueen and R. B. I. Morrison.

The Design of a Cardiac Defibrillator. R. J. Shephard.

Papilliferous Tumours of the Heart Valves. D. Heath, P. V. Best, and B. T. Davis.

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Isolated Hypoplasia of the Right Ventricle and Tricuspid Valve in Siblings. W. E. Medd, H. N. Neufeld, W. H. Weidman, and J. E. Edwards, Gout in Cyanothe Congenital Heart Disease. Jane Somerville.

Sub-clinical Rheumatic Carditis. R. Lannigan.

Maternity and Myocardial Failure in African Women. Harold Seftel and Mervyn Susser.

Pulseless Disease: A Report on Five Cases. R. A. Caldwell and E. W. Skinsel.

Skipper.

A Current Concept of the Regulation of Blood Volume. James W. Pearce. The Radiological Changes in Pulmonary Venous Hypertension, with Special Reference to the Root Shadows and Lobular Pattern. H. R. S. Harley. Incisional Aneurysms of the Left Ventricle. W. F. Kerr, D. E. L. Wilcken, and R. E. Steiner.

Case Reports:

Coronary Artery Embolism. M. R. P. Hall and W. C. D. Richards.

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Fatal Myocardial Infarction in a Youth of 15 Years. J. Syme and
W. S. A. Allan.
Fallot's Tetralogy with some features of Marfan's Syndrome and
Survival to 58 Years. A. S. Abraham, M. Atkinson, and W. M.

Volume 23, No. 1. (Bi-monthly; £4 4s. annually.)

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Heredity in Gastroenterology: A Review. R. B. McConnell. Clinical and Genetic Problems in Familial Intestinal Polyposis. A. M. O.

Clinical and Genetic Problems in Familial Intestinal Polyposis. A. M. O. Veale
The Distribution of Ulcerative Colitis and Regional Enteritis in United States Veterans, with Particular Reference to the Jewish Religion.
E. D. Acheson.
An Assessment of the Value of Serum Cholinesterase as a Liver Function Test and in the Diagnosis of Jaundice. William Burnett.
Serum Albumin, Pseudocholinesterase, and Transaminases in the Assessment of Liver Function Before and After Venous Shunt Operations.
Alan H. Hunt and Hermann Lehmann.
Aneurysm of the Splenic Artery. P. D. Bedford and Brian Lodge.
A Case of Spontaneous Rupture of the Normal Large Bowel Causing Haemoperitoneum. C. T. Howe.
The Use of Soframyclin (Framycetin Sulphate) for Intestinal Sterilization.
N. E. Stidolph and J. M. Alston.
The Augmented Histamine Test with Special Reference to Achlorhydria. Some Factors in the Assessment of Gastric Antisecretory Drugs by a Sampling Technique. J. B. Bingle and J. E. Lennard-Jones.
The Effect of an Adrenal Inhibitor (SU 4885) on Gastric Secretion in Dogs.
J. W. McIntosh, N. Anderson, H. L. Duthic, and A. P. M. Forrest. Intraocsophageal Adenocarcinoma. O. G. Dodge.
New Methods for Diagnosis and Research
Percutaneous Transhepatic Cholangiography. Michael Atkinson, Margaret G. Happey, and Francis G. Smiddy.
Radiological Investigation of the Small Intestine by Small Bowel Enema Technique. F. Pygott, D. F. Street, M. F. Shellshear, and C. J. Rhodes.
Gastroenterological Society of Australia.
Index to Volume 1, No. 4. (Quarterly; £3 annually.)

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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, January 30

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—4 p.m., Dr. J. F. Goodwin: Bacterial Endocarditis

Tnesday, January 31

REITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Dr. H. E. M. Kay: Transplantation of Haemopoletic Cells.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. G. C. Wells: Tumours Arising in the Dermis, Excluding Moles and Melanomata.

ROYAL STATISTICAL SOCIETY: MEDICAL SECTION.—At Manson Theatre, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., sherry party; 6.15 p.m., Mr. D. J. Newell: Demand for Hospital Beds.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Lecture Theatre, Wright-Fleming Institute, 5 p.m., Dr. A. W. Franklin: Care of the Premature Baby.

Wednesday, February 1

ASSURANCE MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Medical Society of London, 5 p.m., Presidential Address by Dr. H. Neil Collier: If Not Accuracy, At Least Consistency.

Consistency.

BIRMINGHAM MEDICAL INSTITUTE: MIDLAND MEDICAL SOCIETY SECTION.—
At 36 Harborne Road, Edgbaston, 8.30 p.m., Dr. E. G. L. Bywaters:
Neuropathic Joint Diseases and Rheumatoid Neuropathies.
INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. H. Haber: The Eosinophilic Granulomas of the Skin.
INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Dr. F. P. Lee Lander:

Cross-infection.

Postgraduate Medical School of London.—2 p.m., Dr. F. G. J. Hayhoe:
Cytology of Leukaemic Cells.

Thursday, February 2

BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Dr. C. E. Ford, Ph.D., D.Sc.: Inter-relationship of Nucleus and Cytoplasm.

Liverpool Medical Institution.—Joint meeting with Liverpool Psychiatric

Club.

**MUFFIELD ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRE.—At Wingfield-Morris Orthopaedic Hospital.

Oxford, 8.30 p.m., Mr. F. W. Holdsworth: Injuries to the Spine.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND AND INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY

AND OTOLOGY.—At Royal College of Surgeons of England, 5.30 p.m.,

Otolaryngology Lecture by Professor V. F. Lambert: Malignant Melanoma

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ROYAL SOCIETY.—4.30 p.m., Professor W. D. M. Paton, F.R.S.: Theory of Drug Action Based on the Rate of Drug-receptor Combination.

St. Andrews University.—At Physiology Department Lecture Theatre, 5 p.m., Dr. W. M. Court Brown: Cytogenetic Studies in Human Leukaemias.

St. George's Hospital Medical School.—5 p.m., Dr. Maurice Partridge:

postgraduate demonstration in psychiatry.

Friday, February 3

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY: SCHOOL OF CLINICAL RESEARCH AND POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL TEACHING.—At Radiotherapeutic Centre, 4.15 for 4.30 p.m., Dr. P. J. Randle and Dr. R. M. Ehrlich: Diagnosis and Treatment of

Dr. P. J. Randle and Dr. R. M. Ehrlich: Diagnosis and Treatment of Pituitary Dwarfism.

GALENICALS.—At Royal Fort, Bristol, 5.30 p.m., Mr. G. M. FitzGibbon: Some Cosmetic Aspects of Plastic Surgery.

JINSTITUTE OF DEPMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. J. S. Pegum: clinical demonstration.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST .- 5 p.m., Dr. K. M. Citron: clinical demonstration

demonstration.

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY.—3.30 p.m., clinical discussion for general practitioners. Mr. K. McLay: Surgical Treatment of Deafness. NORTH-WESTERN THORACIC SOCIETY.—At Clinical Sciences Building, York Place, Manchester, 4.30 p.m., Dr. J. P. Anderson: Smoking; Mr. G. D. Jack: Oesophageal Hiatus.

PLYMOUTH MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Freedom Fields Hospital, 8.30 p.m.,

PLYMOUTH MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Freedom Fields Hospital, 6.30 p.m., clinical evening.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—(1) 10 a.m., Dr. David C. Sabiston, jun.: Surgical Aspects of Coronary Artery Disease. (2) 4 p.m., Professor J. McMichael.

WHIPPS CROSS HOSPITAL MEDICAL SOCIETY.—8.30 p.m., Mr. D. L. Stevenson: An Inquiry into the Causation of Human Disease in General. and Cancer in Particular.

Saturday, February 4

MIDLAND THORACIC SOCIETY.—At Birmingham Medical Institute, 3 p.m., Mr. L. D. Abrams and Dr. W. A. Hudson: Heart Block and its Manage-

APPOINTMENTS

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—K. D. Allanby, M.D., M.R.C.P., Consultant Physician, Peterborough and Stamford Hospital Group; R. G. Gold, M.B., B.S., M.R.A.C.P., Senior Registrar in Cardiology, Regional Cardiological Centre, Papworth Hospital; A. D. George, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.Ed., F.R.F.P.S., Surgical Registrar, West Norfolk and King's Lynn General Hospital; G. E. Dimopoulos, M.B., Ch.B., Surgical Registrar (Casualty), Peterborough Memorial Hospital; B. V. Suryanarayana, M.B., B.S., F.R.F.P.S., D.T.M.&H., Medical Registrar, Peterborough Hospital Group; S. N. Budhraja, M.S., Surgical Registrar, North Cambridge shire Hospital, Wisbech; A. R. Khan, M.B., B.S., D.T.M.&H., Registrar in Geriatric Medicine, South-west area of the Region; Judith J. Cuthill, M.B., B.Ch., Registrar in Psychiatry, Suffolk Mental Hospitals.

HUNTER, RICHARD A., M.D., M.R.C.P., D.P.M., Assistant Physician (Consultant status) in Department of Psychological Medicine, National Hospital, Queen Square, London, W.C.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

Cole.—On December 17, 1960, to Margaret (formerly Whitham), M.B., Ch.B., and Brian W. Cole, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of Carr House, Nottingham Road, Ripley, Derbyshire, a son—Andrew John.

Johnstone.—On December 4, 1960, at the Churchill Hospital, Oxford, to Sheila (formerly Godden), M.C.S.P., and Frederick C. Johnstone, B.M., B.Ch., a son—David Charles.

Smith.—On January 18, 1961, to Dr. Dorothy Lindsay (formerly Grieve), wife of Dr. Ian Inglis Smith, 15 Mansionhouse Road, Edinburgh 9, a son.

DEATHS

Adam.—On January 1, 1961, John Law Adam, M.B., F.R.C.S., of Far End, France Hill Drive, Camberley, Surrey, aged 94.

Broomhall.—On January 2, 1961, at Redlynch, Salisbury, Wilts, Benjamin Charles Broomhall, F.R.C.S., aged 85.

Denning.—On December 31, 1960, at his home, Birchington, Kent, Arthur Ffolliott William Denning, M.B., B.S.

Dowling.—On December 29, 1960, at his home, 388 Wilmslow Road. Withington, Manchester, Stephen Gerald John Dowling, M.B., Ch.B., also of Leaf Square, Pendleton, Lancs, aged 69.

Foskett.—On January 4, 1961, at Colorado Springs, U.S.A., Rev. Samuel Foskett, M.D., of Queen Anne's House, Taplow, Bucks, formerly of Harrogate, Yorks.

Fox.—On December 23, 1960, in hospital, William Allan Nesbitt Fox, F.R.C.S.I., of 70 Castle Park Road, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, late of Purley, Surrey.

Francis.—On January 2, 1961, at Boscombe Hospital, Douglas Ernest Francis, M.B., Ch.B., of 20 Bure Close, Mudeford, Christchurch, Hants. Gregorson.—On January 20, 1961, Albert William Gregorson, M.D., R.F.P.S., of 17 Forestadle, Southgate, London N., and 20 Aubery Crescent, Largs, Ayrshire.

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Moriarty, D.S.C., L.R.C.P.&S.I. and L.M., Lieutenant-Colonel, R.A.M.C., retired, aged 83. Morton.—On December 29, 1960, Eva Morton, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. Smith.—On December 17, 1960, at Reading, Berks, Neville Hardcastle Smith, D.S.C., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of Buckhold Grange, near Pangbourne, Berks.