bypass much that is of value to psycho-analysts in the understanding of the infant. These matters are discussed, but not finally settled. A student could use this reading in making a first approach to Bowlby's claims in regard to psycho-analytic errors of theoretical formulation. One thing about Bowlby is his deliberate attempt to be fair to other writers and to quote fully and fairly, so that the reader may judge for himself. Naturally he cannot always succeed even in this, because in psychology there is no place for simple statements of highly complex matters.

Jeanne Lampl-de-Groot writes on adolescence, and draws attention to the importance of adolescence itself, whereas adolescence is sometimes referred to as if it were no more than a passing phase in a child's development. Phyllis Greenacre, whose contributions are always rich in both clinical material and theoretical discussion, gives a paper on fetishism and its relation to normal phenomena. A simultaneous analysis of a mother and a child is described, and many other problems that are of interest to the student of child development are discussed.

The reader of these volumes always gets his money's worth, and nearly every psychotherapy clinic in the world has the complete set on its shelves.

D. W. WINNICOTT.

# **RENAL DISTURBANCES**

Clinical Disturbances of Renal Function. By Abraham G. White, M.D., F.A.C.P. (Pp. 468+x; illustrated. 73s. 6d.) Philadelphia, London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1961.

This book is concerned with more than primary disorders of the kidney, and indeed only about one half is devoted to the nephritides, the nephrotic syndrome, hypertensive renal disease, acute renal failure, and surgical disorders of the kidneys. The remaining half discusses the clinical manifestations-in so far as they affect the kidney-of congestive cardiac failure, hepatic cirrhosis, endocrine disorders, pregnancy, and inborn Dr. White is, quite rightly, errors of metabolism. interested in renal dynamics and devotes much space to considering the interrelated mechanisms which cause oedema in the various syndromes discussed. Many of these "clinicophysiological correlations" are, of course, unproved, but they do point the way to rational therapy, though the sections on treatment are perhaps the least detailed or convincing.

Dr. White is an American; he reads American journals (seemingly exclusively), and writes in a personal style with little economy of words which is unattractive to the English ear—for example, "It is with the group of disorders comprising primary renal dysfunction that this chapter deals." Despite such shortcomings the book is a monument to Dr. White's great industry and enthusiasm.

R. I. S. BAYLISS.

## **BOOKS RECEIVED**

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

*Eye Symptoms in Brain Tumors.* By Alfred Huber, M.D. Foreword by H. Krayenbühl. Translated by Stefan van Wien, M.D. Foreword to the English translation by Derrick Vail, B.A., M.D., D.Oph.(Oxon.), F.A.C.S., F.R.C.S.(Hon.). (Pp. 329; illustrated. £6.) St. Louis: C. V. Mosby Company. London: Henry Kimpton. 1961.

When to Call the Doctor. By John Vincent. (Pp. 157. 2s. 6d.) London: Pan Books. 1961.

An Atlas of Detailed Normal Pneumoencephalographic Anatomy. By Giovanni di Chiro, M.D. (Pp. 328+xii; illustrated. £7 12s.) Springfield, Ill.: Charles C. Thomas. Oxford: Blackwell Scientific Publications. 1961.

An Introduction to Blood Group Serology: Theory, Techniques, Practical Applications. By Kathleen E. Boorman and Barbara E. Dodd, M.Sc., Ph.D. Second edition. (Pp. 336+x; illustrated. 50s.) London: J. and A. Churchill. 1961.

*Enzymes in Clinical Chemistry.* Proceedings of the Second International Symposium on Enzymes in Clinical Chemistry. (Pp. 383-512; illustrated. 60s.) London; Butterworths, 1962.

Birmingham Children's Hospital Vade Mecum. (Looseleaf, 10s. 6d.; paper back, 5s.) Fourth edition. Birmingham: The Children's Hospital. 1961.

Klinische Chirurgie für die Praxis. In Four Volumes. Vol. II, Part 4. Edited by O. Diebold, H. Junghanns, and L. Zukschwerdt. (Pp. 951-1096; illustrated. DM. 4.80.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme Verlag. 1961.

Notes on Ophthalmology. Syllabus and Memoranda for the Use of Students. By J. Jameson Evans, M.D., F.R.C.S. Revised by P. Jameson Evans, M.D., F.R.C.S. (Pp. 76.) Birmingham: E. F. Hudson, Ltd. 1961.

The Training of Biochemists. Edited by K. S. Dodgson. (Pp. 43. 2s. 6d.) London: The Biochemical Society. 1961.

'Stroke' Illness-Help for Patient and Family. By N. P. R. Clyde, M.B., Ch.B. (Pp. 70. 5s.) London: Chest and Heart Association. 1961.

Occupational Accidents and Compensation. By Gerald Machanik, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.(W'Rand). (Pp. 109. No price.) Capetown: Central News Agency. 1961.

Klinische Physiologie und Pathologie. By Ferdinand Hoff. Sixth edition. (Pp. 1,105+xvi; illustrated. DM. 88.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme Verlag. 1962.

Comment Prescrire les Médications des Affections Thyroidiennes. By Gilbert-Dreyfus and Marcel Zara. (Pp. 85. NF. 11.) Paris: Expansion Scientifique Française. 1961.

Comment Prescrire la Médication Toni-Cardiaque. By Camille Lian. (Pp. 79. NF. 9.60.) Paris: Expansion Scientifique Française. 1961.

A Dictionary of Speech Pathology and Therapy. Compiled by Samuel D. Robbins, A.M. (Pp. 112. 30s.) London: Peter Owen, Ltd. 1962.

Report of the Technical Meeting on Nutrition in Food Policy and Planning in Asia and the Far East. Bangkok, Thailand, June 6-13, 1960. (Pp. 49. 2s. 6d.) Rome: F.A.O. London: H.M. Stationery Office. 1961.

Die Rheumafibel. By Klaus Michlke. Foreword by Professor R. Schoen. (Pp. 101+viii; illustrated. D.M. 14.80.) Berlin, Gottingen, Heidelberg: Springer-Verlag. 1961.

Handbuch der Speziellen Pathologischen Anatomie und Histologie. Edited by O. Lubarsch and F. Henke. Volume I, Part 3A: Cytologie und Lymphadenitis. By Karl Lennert. (Pp. 605+xv; illustrated. D.M. 305.) Berlin, Gottingen, Heidelberg: Springer-Verlag. 1961.

The Fight Against Cancer. By Charles Oberling. Translated by Eric Mosbacher. Introduction by Sir Cecil Wakeley, Bt., K.B.E., C.B., LL.D., F.R.C.S. (Pp. 164. 18s.) London: Andre Deutsch. 1961.

Why Can't We Have a Baby? By James Henry Ferguson, M.D. (Pp. 127; illustrated. 2s. 6d.) New York: Pyramid Books. 1961.

Proceedings of the Medico-Legal Society of Victoria. 1957-1959. Edited by G. H. Lush, LL.B., Q.C., and Bryan Gandevia, M.D., M.R.A.C.P. Volume VIII. (Pp. 193+ix.) Melbourne: Brown, Prior, Anderson. 1961.

**Transactions of the Medical Society of London.** Volume 77. Edited by Cuthbert E. Dukes, O.B.E., M.Sc., M.D., F.R.C.S. (Pp. 212+lxii; illustrated.) London: Printed for the Society by F. J. Milner and Sons. 1961.

Index to Volumes XXXII-LXXV of the Transactions of the Medical Society of London, 1909-1979. (Pp. 128.) London: Printed for the Society by F. J. Milner and Sons. 1961.

A Handbook for Ambulance Room Attendants. By C. E. Watson, M.A., M.B., B.Chir., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. Foreword by A. C. White Knox, C.B.E., M.C., M.B., Ch.B. (Pp. 120: illustrated. 5s. 6d.) London: Baillière, Tindall and Cox. 1961.

Harveian Society.-Professor R. JANKER, Professor K. J. FRANKLIN, F.R.S., Mr. D. MARTIN, "Cineradiography and Photography in Medicine," February 21, 8.15 p.m., 11 Chandos Street, London W.1.

Indian Psychiatric Society .- Annual general meeting, March 15-17, Mental Hospital, Agra, U.P., India. Psychiatrists visiting the country then will be welcome. Details from Dr. K. C. DUBE, at the hospital.

### 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 JOURNAL OF OPHTHALMOLOGY

the Ophthaimic Artery. Part I. S. Singh Hayreh and R. Dass. Choroldal Circulation in Glaucoma. Part I. G. Cristini, D. Forlani, and

Choroldal Circulation in Glaucoma. Part I. G. Cristini, D. Forlani, and C. Scardovi. Marfan's Syndrome. J. M. Pahwa and D. P. Gupta. Cardiac Slowing During Strabismus Surgery. H. Reed and T. McCaughey. Ocular Sparganosis in an African Woman. D. W. Ellis Jones. Clioma of the Optic Nerve. N. S. Jain.

Volume 46, No. 2. (Monthly; £6 annually; with Ophthalmic Literature and Index, £9.)

### **BRITISH JOURNAL OF INDUSTRIAL MEDICINE**

- The Size of Cotton Dust Particles Causing Byssinosis : An Environmental and Physiological Study. C. B. McKerrow, S. A. Roach, J. C. Gilson, and R. S. F. Schilling.
  Byssinosis : The Acute Effect on Ventilatory Capacity of Dusts in Cotton Ginneries, Cotton, Sisal, and Jute Mills. J. C. Gilson, H. Stott, B. E. C. Hopwood, S. A. Roach, C. B. McKerrow, and R. S. F. Schiller, S. Status, S. S. McKerrow, and R. S. F. Schiller, S. Schiller, S. S. McKerrow, and R. S. F. Schiller, S. Schiller, S. S. Schiller, S. S. Schiller, Schilling.
- The Pharmacological Activity of Extracts of Cotton Dust. Anne Davenport and W. D. M. Paton.
- Some Pharmacological Actions of Cotton Dust and Other Vegetable Dusts.
- P. J. Nicholls. Contact Eczema Caused by True Teak (*Tectona grandis*). H. K. Krogh. A Swiss Manufacturer Sees the Industrial Revolution in England. Heinrich Buess.
- The Attack Rate of Progressive Massive Fibrosis. A. L. Cochrane. Ventilatory Capacity in Miners. A Five-year Follow-up Study. I. T. T. Higgins and P. D. Oldham.
- Miscellanea.

Obituary. Book Reviews.

Notes.

Volume 19, No. 1. (Quarterly; £3 annually.)

## **ARCHIVES OF DISEASE IN CHILDHOOD**

Con Real and Apparent External Bleeding in the Newborn. W. S. Craig.
 Bronchlectasis. A Long-term Follow-up of Medical and Surgical Cases from Childhood. C. Elaine Field.
 Serum Enzyme Activity in the Normal Newborn Infant. J. King and M. Brenda Morris.
 Serum Enzyme Activity in Prematurity and in Haemolytic Disease of the Newborn. M. Brenda Morris and J. King.
 Electrolyte Patterns in Bantu Bables Born Spontaneously and by Caesarean Section. E. U. Rosen.
 Arginingsuccinic Aciduria. B. Levin. Helen M. M. Mackay, and V. G.

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Oberholzer. Low Birth Weight Dwarfism. John Black. Risk of Dual Occurrence of Mongolism in Sibships. J. M. Berg and B. H.

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Idiopathic Thrombocytopenic Purpura in Childhood. John H. Walker and William Walker.
Ectromelia. E. A. Scligman.
Pulmonary Oedema in Acute Glomerulonephritis. J. G. Wilson.
Isonlazid in Primary Tuberculosis in Infancy. John Lorber.
British Paedlatric Association Proceedings.
Book Review.

Index.

Volume 36, No. 190. (Bi-monthly; £4 4s. annually.)

### 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 5

INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. E. J. Moran Campbell: The Neurology of Breathlessness.
 POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—4 p.m., Sir Robert Platt, P.R.C.P.: Genetics in Clinical Medicine.
 SOCIETY FOR MEDICAL AND DENTAL HYPNOSIS.—At Royal Society of Medicine, 8 p.m., symposium.

### **Tuesday**, February 6

- Tuesday, February 6 BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hvgiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Professor T. Russell Fraser: Human Growth Hormone. COLLEGE OF GENERAL PRACTITIONERS: SOUTH LONDON FACULTY.—At Anatomy Theatre, Guy's Hospital, 8.30 p.m., Dr. J. C. McDonald and Dr. Joha Woodhall: Virus Diseases; The Present Position. INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. G. C. Wells: The Connective Tissue of the Dernis. LONDON UNIVERSITY UNION SOCIALIST SOCIETY MEDICAL GROUP.—7 p.m., Mr. T. C. Thomas and Dr. G. R. Rogers: The Drug Industry. ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL COLLEGE.—5 p.m., Professor Maurice Ewing: Actiology of Gallstones.

- ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5 p.m., Milroy Lecture by Dr. R. F. L. Logan: Quality of Medical Care.
   ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—4.15 p.m., Arnott Demonstra-tion by Professor G. V. R. Born: Research on Glutination Thrombosis.
   ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Wright-Fleming Institute Theatre, 5 p.m., Mr. Clifford Simmons: The Treatment of Carcinoms Corporis Uteri.

- Wednesday, February 7 ASSURANCE MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11 Chandos Street, Cavendish Square, London W., 5.30 p.m., Dr. D. Stafford-Clark: The Psychiatric Patient as an Insurance Risk. BIRMINGRAM MEDICAL INSTITUTE: MIDLAND MEDICAL SOCIETY SECTION.— At General Hospital, 8.30 p.m., clinicopathological conference. INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. G. C. Wells: Connective Tissue Disorders in the Skin.

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  INSTITUTE OF DISASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Mr. D. Barlow: Surgery for Pulmonary Tuberculosis.
  INSTITUTE OF LASKAGO AND OTOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. I. Friedman, Dr. D. A. Osborn: clinical pathological conference.
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  INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY.—5.00 p.m., Dr., Litchfield Lecture by Professor Jan Waldenström: Natural History of Myeloma and Macro-globulinaemia.
  POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—2 p.m., Professor K. R. Hill: Hepatic Venous Occlusion; Studies of the Natural and Experi-mental Disease.
  ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL.—5.15 p.m., Dr. Aaron B. Lerner (Yale University):
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- ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS.—2.30 p.m., Armstrong Memorial Lecture by Professor John Yudkin: Diet and the Nation's Health.

### Thursday, February 8

- 1 nursday, February 8 ALFRED ADLER MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11 Chandos Street, London W., 8 p.m., Mr. I. Bierer: Emotional Problems in Gynaecology. BRITISH GERIATRICS SOCIETY, SOUTH WALES GROUP.—At the Graig Hospital, Pontypridd, 7.30 p.m., Mr. R. A. Mogr: Some Geriatric Problems in Urology. BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Dr. I. MacIntyre: Magnesium Metabolism.
- INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY .- 5.30 p.m., Dr. R. W. Riddell: Trichophyton Infections.
- INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY. -- 5.30 p.m., Dr. Samuel Rosen (New York): The Result of Hearing Tests of a Noise-free Population. LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION. -- At Newsham General Hospital, Liver-

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- Friday, February 9 BIOCHEMICAL SOCIETY.—At Chester Beatty Research Institute, Fulham Road, S.W., 10 a.m., 413th meeting. CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY: SCHOOL OF CLINICAL RESEARCH AND POSTGRADUATF MEDICAL TEACHING.—At Addenbrooke's Hospital, 4.15 for 4.30 p.m., Professor A. B. Lerner (Yale University): Hormonal Control of Pigmentation.
- CLINICAL SOCIETY OF BATH.—At Teaching Department, Royal United Hospital, 8 for 8.30 p.m., Dr. John Naish: Management of Acute Ulcera-tive Colitis and Crohn's Disease. INSTITUTE of DERMATOLOGY.—4.30 p.m., Dr. William B. Reed (California):
- Tuberous Scierosis. INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Dr. F. H. Scadding: clinical demonstration.
- clinical demonstration. INSTITUTE CF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Mr. William McKenzie: The Surgery of the Stapes. KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL.—8 p.m., clinical meeting. PLYMOUTH MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At North Friary House, 8.30 p.m., short papers by Dr. J. N. Montgomery, Dr. D. Razzak, and Dr. W. Homer

- papers Smith. OSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—(1) 10 a.m., Mr. D. L. Griffiths: Some Vascular Aspects of Orthopaedic Surgery. (2) 4 p.m., Dr. Aubrey Leatham: Auscultation in Congenital Heart Disease.

Saturday, February 10 SCOTTISH RADIOLOGICAL SOCIETY.—At Maurice Bloch Lecture Theatre, Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow, 3 p.m., Second McGibbon Memorial Lecture by Mr. John Scott, F.S.R.: Automation and Electronic Photography in the X-ray Department.

# BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

### BIRTHS

Clarke-Williams.—On January 7, 1962, to Shirley, wife of Dr. Michael Clarke-Williams, of Linden House, Eye, Suffolk, a sister for Marion. Adam, and Jeremy—Jane Elizabeth.

### DEATHS

- ee.—On January 4, 1962, at Makerere College, Kampala, Uganda, Allan Gordon Bee, L.R.C.P.&S.Ed., L.R.F.P.S., Surgeon Commander, R.N., retired
- retired. Bruce.—On January 8, 1962, in hospital, George Robert Bruce, O.B.E., M.D., D.P.H., of St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex, aged 87. Cheatle.—On January 9, 1962, at Burford, Oxon, Cyril Thomas Cheatle. M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., aged 80. Cotching.—On January 8, 1962, in hospital, Eva Cotching, O.B.E., M.D., formerly of Ferndown, Dorset. Dent.—On January 8, 1962, at 160 Holland Park, London W., John Yerbury Dent, L.M.S.S.A., aged 73. Young.—On January 2, 1962, at his home, Brandon Hill, Conduit Head Road, Cambridge, James Anderson Young, M.C., M.B., Ch.B., aged 72.