on periodicals. The latter is divided into 44 parts and names 284 journals, giving their frequency and cost. The booklet may be obtained from the Library Association, Ridgemount Street, London, WC1E 7AE, price £1 (80p to Library Association members).

#### Medical Care in 1974: Scotland

The Organisation of a Medical Advisory Structure is the title of a report just published by a Scottish joint working party under the chairmanship of Mr. N. G. C. Hendry.

## **COMING EVENTS**

Christian Medical Fellowship.-Meeting medical practitioners and their wives, "Medicine in a Lawless Society—What is Right and What is Wrong?" 28 March, 8.15 p.m., London W.C.2. For details see advertisement on page xiv.

"Endocrinology in Obstetrics and Gvnaecology."—Day teaching course, 29 March, St. Thomas's Hospital, London. Fee £2. Applications to Dr. M. G. Brush, Department of Gynaecology, St. Thomas's Hospital Medical School, London SE1 7EH. (Tel. 01-928 9292, extn. 2462.)

National Society for Clean Air. - Seminar "The Internal Combustion Engine and Pollution," 3-4 April, Oxford. Details from the Society, 136 North Street, Brighton, BN1 1RG. (Tel. 0272 26313.)

Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland.—Annual meeting, 4-6 April, Aberdeen. Fee £10 (medical guests £12). Details from the secretary of the association, at Royal College of Surgeons of England, 35/43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN.

"Diagnosis of the Lung."—5th International diagostic course in Davos, 5-11 April, sponsored by the European Association of Radiology. Details and application forms from Professor A. Rüttimann, I.D.K.D., P.O. Box 159, CH-8033 Zurich, Switzerland.

Glasgow Orthopaedic Training Programme. Copies and details of the programme, 7 April-16 June, are obtainable from the University Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Western Infirmary, Glasgow, G11 6NT.

23rd Lindau Psychotherapy Weeks .-- 30 April-12 May, Lindau, Germany. Details from the secretary, Lindau Psychotherapy Weeks, Adalbert-Stifter-Strasse 31, D-8 Munich 81, Germany (FR).

8th Congress of the European Society for Experimental Surgery.—2-5 May, Oslo. Application forms and details from Dr. H. F. Klingenberg, Congress Department, P.O. Box 87, Oslo 1, Norway.

2nd European Conference of Internal Medicine.—3-5 May, Bonn-Godesberg, Western Germany, organized by the European Association of Internal Medicine. Details are obtainable from the secretary, A.E.M.I.E., rue des Eburons 75, B/1040 Brussels, Belgium.

Association of Anaesthetists of Great Britain and Ireland.—Annual Scientific Meeting, 27-28 and Ireland.—Annual Scientific Meeting, 27-28 September, Bristol. Closing date for submission of papers Monday, 30 April. Details from the Honorary Secretary of the Association, Room 126, Tavistock House North, Tavistock Square, London, WC1H 9JR. (Tel. 01-387 4782).

## SOCIETIES AND LECTURES

For attending lectures marked \* a fee is charged or a ticket is required. Applications should be made first to the institution concerned.

#### Monday, 12 March

Institute of Laryngology and Otology.—
5.30 p.m., Professor H. Umezawa: Antitumour Antibiotics—Bleomycins and Phleomycins.
ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF EDINBURGH.—
5 p.m., Gibson lecture by Professor J. N. Morris: Epidemiology of Coronary Health.
ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—2 p.m., Dr. B. T. Donovan: Neuroendocrinology of Pituitary Releasing Factors.

#### Tuesday, 13 March

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INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—4.30 p.m., Professor
J. A. Dudgeon: Virus Diseases of the Skin.

INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYMAECOLOGY.—At
Hammersmith Hospital, 2 p.m., Mr. D. Fraser:

Ectopic Pregnancy. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and
Gymaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London, S.W.3.)

St. Charles's Hospital, London.—12 noon, Dr.
L. A. Price: Recent advances in Drug Treatment
of Malignant Diseases.

St. Thomas's Hospital, London.—5 p.m., Professor J. Hoet: Fetal Adaptation to Diabetic
Pregnancy.

WESTMINSTER MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Page Street

Pregnancy.
WESTMINSTER MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Page Street lecture theatre, 5.15 p.m., Mr. H. Piggott: Gastrin and Duodenal Ulcer.

#### Wednesday, 14 March

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CARDIOTHORACIC INSTITUTE.—At Institute of Diseases of the Chest, 5 p.m., Dr. S. W. Clarke: Cough and Sputum in Chronic Bronchitis.

INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGICAL SCIENCES GLASGOW.—
9.45 a.m., Professor G. S. Brindley, F.R.S.: Implantable Neurological Prostheses.

INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY.—At Queen Charlotte's Maternity Hospital, 11.15 a.m., Mr. J. Bonnar: Essential Hypertension in Pregnancy; 2 p.m., Professor P. Curzen: Assessment of Placental Function. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London, S.W.3.)

INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY.—5 p.m., Mr. R. H. Whittaker: Non-neoplastic Disorders of Testis.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY.—At Radcliffe Infirmary, 5 p.m., Litchfield lecture by Professor D. F. N. Harrison: Head and Neck Cancer—a Lethal Disease?

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ROYAL COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNAECOLOGISTS.—5.30 p.m., Dr. R. E. Cotton: Early Carcinoma of the Cervix.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—At Bedford Medical Institute, Ampthill Road, Bedford, 6 p.m., Arris and Gale lecture by Mr. J. I. H. Hadfield: Functional Anatomy of Venous Valves in the Legs.

ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL.—5.15 p.m., Dr. A. Guz: A Neurophysiological Analysis of Dyspnoea.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—2 p.m., Bacteriology guest lecture.

WHITTINGTON HOSPITAL, LONDON.—11.30 a.m., Professor B. E. C. Nordin: Osteoporosis.

## Thursday, 15 March

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5 p.m.,
Milroy lecture by Dr. D. J. Bauer: Antiviral
Chemotherapy—the Final Decade.
ROYAL SOCIETY OF TROPICAL MEDICINE AND
HYGIENE.—At Royal Army Medical College, 7.30

p.m., laboratory meeting.

# Friday, 16 March

Institute of Laryngology and Otology.—5.30 p.m., Mr. V. T. Hammond: Surgical Management of Chronic Suppurative Otitis Media. Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.—At Chelsea Hospital for Women. 11.15 a.m., Mr. D. Roberts: Plastic Tubal Surgery; 3 p.m., Mr. J. Newton: Hormone Assay in Gynaecology. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London S.W.3)

London Society of Family Planning Doctors.—At Royal Society of Medicine, London W.1., 8.15 p.m., meeting: Current Trends in Intrauterine Devices.

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Devices.
ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH.—4.30
p.m., Alexander Welsh lecture by Professor B.
Jennett: The Surgeon in the Seventies—Technologist, Manager, Scholar.
SOCIETY OF MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH.—At
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine,
London W.C.1., 5.30 p.m., Dr. J. H. Coulson:
Student Health.
ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—11 a.m.,

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—11 a.m., Mr. G. K. McKee: Hip Replacement.

# Saturday, 17 March

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Addenbrooke's Hospital, 10 a.m., day symposium: Eye Diseases.\* SCHOOL.—At

## B.M.A. NOTICES

#### Diary of Central Meetings

#### MARCH

Public Health Committee (Scotland) (at 7 Drumsheugh Gardens, Edin-13 Tues

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Journal Committee, 2 p.m.
Constitution Subcommittee (G.M.S.), 21 Wed.

2 p.m. General 22 Thurs. Medical Services Com-

working Party for Services for the Elderly (Board of Science and Education), 10.30 a.m. 23 Fri.

Subcommittee on Postgraduate
Training (C.C.H.M.S.), 2 p.m.
Consulting Pathologists Group
Committee, 10.30 a.m.
Consulting Pathologists Group 23 Fri.

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2 p.m. 29 Thurs.

29 Thurs.

2 p.m.
Negotiating Subcommittee (C.C.H.M.S.), 10 a.m.
Scottish General Medical Services Committee (at 7 Drumsheugh Gardens, Edinburgh), 10.15 a.m.
Joint Negotiating Committee for Hospital Medical Services, 2.15 p.m.
Annual Conference of Honorary Secretaries, 10.30 a.m. 29 Thurs. 30 Fri.

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M.D.-M. D. Rawlins, Rosemary A. Mulligan, F. G. Rooth.

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PH.D.—In the Faculty of Medicine: E. R. Elias,
D. Manghani, R. W. Kilkes, P. York.
M.Sc.—In the Faculty of Medicine: J. Schlicht,
J. I. Hogan, S. O'Hickey.
M.PHIL.—In the Faculty of Medicine: P. Lee,
L. W. Poulter.

Appointment.—Dr. R. C. L. Orme (consultant/senior lecturer in paediatrics in the postgraduate medical institute).

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND

F.R.C.S.I.—H. Bheenick, F. E. Dowling, C. J. Garvan, V. Kijanit, D. G. Shanik, R. J. Fitzgerald.

# APPOINTMENTS

North-East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board.—Dr. S. Freedman (consultant physician, Enfield group); Dr. N. Sampson (consultant anaesthetist, Enfield group); Mr. A. B. W. Thomas (consultant surgeon, Chelmsford group); Mr. R. Hartwell (consultant obstetrician and gynaecologist, Harlow group).

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