

SOCIETIES AND LECTURES

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

Wednesday, 4 July

INSTITUTE OF ORTHOPAEDICS—6 pm, Mr J C H Strachan: Pathological fractures. 7 pm, Mr L W Lowe: Ender nailing.

INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGY (QUEEN SQUARE)—12.30 pm, Dr A Kertesz (Western Ontario): Localisation of lesions in cognitive disorders.

Thursday, 5 July

LONDON ASSOCIATION OF THE MEDICAL WOMEN'S FEDERATION—At Medical Society of London, 8.30 pm, agm. (Preceded by buffet supper 7.30 pm.)

ONCOLOGY CLUB—At Royal Marsden Hospital, 6.30 pm, discussion/debate "Adjuvant treatment of breast cancer."

BMA NOTICES

Trainees Subcommittee of the General Medical Services Committee

Following the resignation of the regional representative an election is to be held for a representative of doctors training for general practice in region 11 (South-western).

Eligibility for nomination for election as representative to the subcommittee is restricted to those in training either on a vocational training course, irrespective of whether they are in the hospital or general practice component, or as a trainee under the Trainee Practitioner Scheme.

Nominations are hereby invited for the election to the subcommittee as the representative for the above region to serve for the remainder of 1979-80 session. Nomination forms may be obtained from the Secretary, British Medical Association, BMA House, Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9JP, and returned to the Secretary not later than *Monday, 16 July 1979*. Nominations must be proposed and seconded by two members of the electorate, which consists of those doctors in training, either on a vocational training course, irrespective of whether they are in the hospital or general practice component, or under the Trainee Practitioner Scheme.

Nominations are also being sought from the local medical committees in the above region.

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Secretary

Division Meetings

Members proposing to attend meetings marked * are asked to notify in advance the honorary secretary concerned.

Bury—At Bolholt Residential Club, Thursday, 5 July, 7.30 pm, joint meeting with the local Law Society, Mr Keith Buckler: "A surgeon visits Thailand," followed by dinner.*

Northallerton—At Rugby Club, Friday, 6 July, 8 pm, barbecue.* (Guests are invited.)

Wolverhampton—Meet at Ravensholt Hotel, Wednesday, 4 July, 5.15 pm, visit to Ludlow Festival.*

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

CAMBRIDGE

MD—D P de Bono, T A Lister, S Moss.
M Chir—M J S Hubbard, D A Lloyd, C G Marks.

BRISTOL

Dr K W Heaton has been promoted to reader in medicine.

ABERDEEN

Dr J M Stowers has been promoted to a clinical professorship in diabetes and endocrinology.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

At an ordinary meeting of the council of the Royal College of Surgeons of England held on 14 June with president, Mr R S Murley, in the chair, the death of Sir Cecil Wakeley, past president and patron of the college, was reported with deep regret.

The H J Windsor prize for 1979 was awarded to Mr R J Lusby. The appointment of Professor J Marquet as Joseph Toynbee memorial lecturer for 1980 was noted; and Dr C W I Douglas was appointed the first Burghard research scholar.

Professor A J Harding Rains and Mr R M Kirk were reappointed editor and assistant editor of the *Annals of the Royal College of Surgeons of England* for five years from 1 July 1979.

Mr J I Burn, Mr R M Kirk, Mr R A Payne and Professor J H Peacock (general surgery), and Professor D W Hill (ophthalmology) were re-elected to the court of examiners for a further period of three years; and Professor J D Hardcastle, Mr A N Henry, and Professor R Shields were elected for three years from 12 July 1979.

Mr David Heath and Mr M Naunton Morgan were appointed college surgical tutors, for five years in the first instance; and Mr J V H Kemble was appointed college surgical tutor, for two years in the first instance.

Dr J A Sholto Forman (general practice), Mr J C Ballantyne (otolaryngology), Mr L Fison (ophthalmology), Mr T L T Lewis (obstetrics and gynaecology), and Professor R E Steiner (radiology) were co-opted as members of council representing the specialties indicated for the ensuing year.

Diplomas of fellowship were granted to R J Bond, P J Benjamin, A R Grant, and Jenny S Ackroyd.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PSYCHIATRISTS

The following candidates were successful in the May 1978 membership examination—M Arshad, S A Backett,

Rawya A-R Bader, D G J Battin, S J Baugh, Maureen G Beacham, Helene C Belford, Jeanette C Best, Radha A Bhat, Anne S Bird, M O P Bourke, R E Britchford, Louie M Calvert, S Chatterjee, Elizabeth A Christie, S D Cohen, Mary B Corkery, P J Cowen, Eva Cybulska, Susan L Davenport, L Davidian, Mutuwa S L de Silva, R A H de Zoysa, Susan E Dinnick, Carolyn Dorr, Rosemary E Draper, D E Dyer, Jenny Eastwood, P M P Edwards, G F Estafanos, A F Fairbairn, C J A G Fairburn, J B Ferguson, S N Fernando, D P Frost, S J Frost, D P C Galhenage, J Gallagher, V Gangoli, A H Garas, Catherine A Gillespie, Ann E Goldingay, M D A P Goonatileke, Jean A Gray, M P Greenberg, S H Habib, Alyson Hall, D S Hamilton, R F Hill, M Hirahall, *M J D Hobbs, R Horgan, S Islam, I Jamal Abu-Ali, Francesca A James, Sossamma John, Elizabeth A Kerr, Y-T N Kung, R W Latham, C Lewis, R F Lister, Rhianon Lloyd, D J McLean, R H C Meller, N Mendis, G R Mir-Sepassi, P Mohan Das, T Molnar, Edith E Munro, T J C Murphy, Margaret J Nettleship, Eleanor T Neville, M Neville, Caciata S M O'Hanlon, Mary G O'Sullivan, J K Pasterski, H Petrusson, K C Piaggio, Susan E Proctor, N Punukollu, F A Randeree, D W Rankin, Indira Rikh, K J B Rix, B L Roberts, M Roberts, Mary M Robertson, Jane E Rowden, W J Ryan, K Saeidi, Ruth Sagovsky, J N Scott, G M Selvakone, B U Shetty, M D A Sinason, S V Singh, M A Sipple, G E D Smith, Teresa K Szulecka, Margaret J J Thompson, N J Tower, P J Tucker, A Ubeyssekara, K V S Unni, J W Vermeulen, J A Vicinco, R Wall, P W O Wendiggensen, P J Wigg, A Wijeyekoon, R Williams, D N Wilson, J P Wyndowe, M N Zaman, P Zikis.

*Awarded the Laughlin prize.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PATHOLOGISTS

The following were successful in the final examination April/June and have been admitted to membership of the college—C R Abbott, S G R Aparicio, J P Astley, B S Azadian, S G Ball, A Bhamjee, B F Boyce, N M Browning, W R Dunham, Rosemary A Eames, F E A El Seed, B J Farrell, T A Flaherty, A P Gillett, J R Goepel, P J Gravett, Anne Green, N Y Haboubi, R Hardie, Jean F Harrison, R B Hartley, B M Hill, I P Hopper, Jill M Hows, R D Hutton, A M Jackson, A M Jasim, J Jip, V M Joglekar, P S Johnson, J Jones, A M Kambal, M A Khan, Sarah Knott, W Landells, M F Leahy, Andrea M Lightwood, G G Menon, Amarjeet K Missan, Mallika Mohanraj, N S Nirodi, V E Oxley, J Piris, A J C Potts, Angela Rankin, Christina M Roxby, Amtulkarim N Saleem, C J Seneviratne, Gauri Sinha, J V Soames, S Sobolewski, Vasanthamala Sriskandavarman, Carol M Starkie, T R Tickner, F Toolis, R I Vanhegan, Frances G Williams, R A M Williams.

Correction

GMC election 1979: BMA-sponsored candidates

We apologise that in the entry for Dr C J Wells (23 June, p 1726) his date of qualification was incorrectly given as 1953. Dr Wells qualified in 1937.

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