

patients each) and imposed a fine of £1 on each, with no order as to costs. The Bench may have had in mind, among other authorities, the case of *Jutson v. Barrow* (1936), in which the use of the words "manipulative surgeon" by an unregistered person were held by the High Court to be a breach of the Medical Act.

## Universities and Colleges

### UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

In a Congregation held on Aug. 3 the following medical degrees were conferred:

M.D.—*In person*: A. M.-M. Payne, G. E. Burton, P. T. Cooper, R. McL. Todd, K. G. Bergin, A. C. Thackray, E. M. Darmady, J. Murray.  
M.B., B.Ch.—*By proxy*: G. L. Leathart, W. D. Mail, J. S. Rivers, O. C. A. Scott, H. C. Churchill-Davidson, P. S. Davis, E. C. Glover, M. K. Towers, J. Vallance-Owen, R. J. Williams, W. R. Wardill, J. R. B. Dixey, T. C. Gibson, K. E. Jefferson, R. Rhodes, I. W. Whimster, A. G. Jessiman, S. Vakili, D. M. C. Ainscow, W. McC. Edgar, J. B. Frost, M. Hemming, E. M. James, D. V. Milward, D. R. Smith, D. R. Wallace-Jones, D. B. Wallis, H. Whitmore, E. H. W. Burt, D. J. Crockett, L. Haas, P. S. Hall, D. R. Morgan, H. W. Trusted, A. C. Franks, J. G. Selwyn, M. Shirley, W. van't Hoff, J. W. Coleman, K. E. Marsh, R. J. D. Temple, D. K. Briggs, A. W. I. Hall, J. S. Swallow, G. S. Andrew, W. J. Hay, C. McIver, E. P. G. Mitchell, D. T. Milnes, A. H. Littlewood. *In person*: A. V. G. Bibby, B. H. Brock, P. L. M. Hartley, P. M. R. Hemphill, I. M. Ormerod, H. B. Whitmore, J. A. Bulleid, L. W. Clarke, R. W. J. Maclure, D. E. Cullington, C. E. D. Taylor, R. Randall, I. F. J. Churchill-Davidson, S. L. Hetherington, J. D. Lever, R. H. G. Lyne-Pirkis.

Titles of degrees were conferred by diploma on the following members of Girton and Newnham Colleges during July: C. M. E. Jones, M.B., B.Ch. (Girton); G. A. Meigh, M.B., B.Ch., Mrs. M. H. Miller, M.B., B.Ch., and Mrs. A. M. P. Pantin, M.B., B.Ch. (Newnham).

The E. G. Fearnside's Scholarship has been awarded to Lionel Wolman, M.B., B.Ch.

### UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

Richard White Bernard Ellis, M.D., F.R.C.P., director of the Department of Child Health at Guy's Hospital, has been appointed to the Edward Clark Chair of Child Life and Health in the University, in succession to Prof. Charles McNeil, M.D., F.R.C.P., who is due to retire on Sept. 30.

### UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

Ian Aird, Ch.M., F.R.C.S.Ed., has been appointed to the University Chair of Surgery tenable at the British Postgraduate Medical School as from Oct. 1.

Benjamin Stanley Platt, M.Sc., Ph.D., M.B., Ch.B., has been appointed to the Chair of Human Nutrition tenable at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.

The following have been recognized as teachers of the University in the subjects indicated in parentheses: *Middlesex Hospital Medical School*; Dr. D. Slome (Physiology). *Westminster Hospital Medical School*; Dr. R. M. Haines (Pathology, Morbid Anatomy and Histology). *British Postgraduate Medical School*; Dr. Mary Barber (Bacteriology). *St. Thomas's Hospital Medical School*; Dr. H. Hughes (Anatomy).

The appointments of house-physician and junior assistant medical officer at North Middlesex County Hospital have been approved for the purposes of the M.D. examination (Branch I).

An additional examination for the Diploma in Public Health will be held in March, 1947. The following have been added to the areas approved for the purpose of instruction in public health administration for the Diploma examination: Metropolitan Borough of Stepney, Municipal Borough of Twickenham.

Major R. G. Gayer-Anderson, R.A.M.C. (ret.), who died on June 16, 1945, left as a bequest to the University his collection of classical antiquities. The bequest has been accepted, and the collection, which was formed almost entirely in Egypt, will be housed at University College in close proximity to the College's collection of Egyptian antiquities.

### London Hospital Medical College

The following entrance scholarships have been awarded at the London Hospital Medical College: "Price" Entrance Scholarship in Science, value £100, H. O. Phillipson; "Price" University Scholarship in Anatomy and Physiology, value £100, E. W. P. Jones (Emmanuel College, Cambridge); Open University Entrance Scholarship, value £100, D. S. H. W. Nicol (Christ's College, Cambridge) and P. G. J. Stevin (Jesus College, Cambridge) (equal, scholarship divided).

### UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD

Prof. Colin Panton Beattie, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., has been appointed Professor of Bacteriology in succession to Prof. Wilson Smith, who recently left the University to occupy the Chair of Bacteriology at University College Hospital Medical School, London.

### COMBINED HOSPITALS UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

The following awards have been made:

*St. Bartholomew's Hospital*: R. P. Holmes, Trinity College, Cambridge (Scholarship); J. G. Widdicombe, New College, Oxford (Exhibition).

*Guy's Hospital*: J. G. Armstrong, Queen's College, Oxford (Exhibition); the Scholarship was not awarded.

*St. Thomas's Hospital*: E. H. R. Ford, Clare College, Cambridge, and J. B. Self, Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge (Scholarship jointly); the Exhibition was not awarded.

## The Services

### DEATHS IN THE SERVICES

Col. HUGH MURRAY MORTON, C.B.E., D.S.O., R.A.M.C., retired, died, aged 73, at Berwick-on-Tweed on August 7. He had a distinguished career and saw much active service. He was born in Cumberland and educated at the Grosvenor College, Carlisle, and at Edinburgh University, where he graduated M.B., C.M. in 1896. After holding an appointment as house-surgeon in Carlisle, he entered the Army Medical Service, as it then was, in 1898 and served in the South African war from 1899 to 1902, when he took part in the Relief of Ladysmith and in the campaigns in the Orange Free State and the Transvaal. He was awarded the Queen's medal with five clasps and the King's medal with two clasps. Later he served throughout the first world war of 1914-18, first in the Gallipoli campaign from the initial landing to the evacuation, and subsequently in Egypt and Mesopotamia. He was A.D.M.S. of the 13th Division in Mesopotamia 1916-19 and was awarded the D.S.O. in 1917 and the C.B.E. in 1919, together with the 1915 Star and other medals. After his retirement he lived at Berwick-on-Tweed, where his wife survives to mourn his loss. He had been a member of the British Medical Association since 1897.

### AIRBORNE MEDICAL SOCIETY

It has been decided to form a permanent Airborne Medical Society. Membership will be open to all medical and dental officers who are entitled to wear the maroon beret. Particulars may be obtained from the honorary secretary, Mr. Guy Rigby-Jones, M.C., F.R.C.S.Ed., 63A, Belsize Park Gardens, London, N.W.3.

## Medical News

The Medical Women's International Association will meet in London in September. The London Association of the Medical Women's Federation will hold an evening reception for the council and delegates at the London School of Medicine for Women (8, Hunter Street, W.C.), on Thursday, Sept. 19, from 8 to 10 p.m. It is hoped that as many as possible of the members of the London Association will attend. Over fifty delegates are expected from all parts of the world. Those who wish to be present are asked to inform the hon. secretary (Miss Josephine Barnes, F.R.C.S., 7, Wimpole Street, W.1) before Sept. 15.

The meeting of the London County Council on July 2 had before it the recommendations of the General Purposes Committee on salaries. The Committee took note of the Government's White Paper on departmental salaries issued in September, 1945. It recommended that the salary of the Medical Officer of Health of the L.C.C., Sir Allen Daley, should be increased to £3,500 a year, this recommendation being personal to the present holder of the office and to be reviewed when the time comes to make a new appointment. The figure of £3,750 is proposed as the salary of the Clerk of the Council.

A quarterly meeting of the Franco-Anglo-American Medical Society will be held at 11, Chandos Street, Cavendish Square, London, on Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 2.30 p.m., with Lord Horder in the chair.

A clinical meeting of the Medical Society of the L.C.C. Service will be held at Queen Mary's Hospital, Carshalton, on Wednesday, Sept. 4, at 3 p.m. Demonstrations of the work in the various units will be given, and discussion on selected subjects will follow.

The annual general meeting of the London Association of the Medical Women's Federation will be held at B.M.A. House, Tavistock Square, W.C., on Tuesday, Sept. 24, at 8.30 p.m., when Dr. Henriette A. Lohr (Amsterdam) will speak on "Medicine in Holland under German Occupation."

The next meeting of the Zoological Society of London for scientific business will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 5 p.m.