

GENIUS AND CRANK

Aus den Anfängen der Psychoanalyse. By Sigmund Freud. (Pp. 477. £1 10s.) London: Imago Publishing Co. 1950.

For any student of the vagaries of human thought this is a book of great historical interest. The letters that Freud wrote to a Berlin friend and colleague, Wilhelm Fliess, found their way during the National Socialist epoch in Germany into the hands of the book trade, and eventually came to the editors of this work, among whom is his daughter, Miss Anna Freud. The letters themselves—two-thirds of a total of over 280 are published here—date from the time when Freud was changing his interests from neurology to medical psychology. Freud confides to his friend his doubts and hesitations and his most original ideas as they spring fresh to his mind. One can read of the blind alleys which attracted him for a time, as well as of his first steps along those paths which led to the formulation of psycho-analytic doctrine as it still largely stands to-day.

Fliess himself remains a rather enigmatic figure. Apparently he was a throat-and-nose specialist who extended his interests more and more widely, first to the hypothetical relationship between the nose and the genital system, and later to a metaphysical biology. He must have been a crank of the first water. From such observations as that uterine haemorrhage at the time of the menses may be replaced by bleeding from the nose he goes on to assume a close connexion via the nervous system between the nose and the female genital apparatus, and from there to a bizarre hypothesis of two types of rhythm, the 28-day and the 23-day rhythm, to which both sexes and all ages are subject. The days of both birth and death are, he believed, determined by these rhythms, and the sex of the child is fixed by which of the two rhythms is passed on from the mother. There seems little doubt that Fliess exerted a considerable influence on Freud, who regarded him with the highest respect; and, though Fliess's more extreme ideas are hardly echoed in those of Freud, they share the strong emphasis on sexuality and the tendency to extend uncritical speculations over wider and wider fields. Freud's genius cannot be doubted; but one is tempted to wonder how much more scientifically satisfactory an edifice he might have erected if he had received discipline and encouragement from a less fanatical and more critical mentor.

ELIOT SLATER.

PRACTICAL PHARMACOLOGY

A Textbook of Pharmacology and Therapeutics. By Harold N. Wright, M.S., Ph.D., and Mildred Montag, R.N., M.A. Fourth edition. (Pp. 720; illustrated. £1.) Philadelphia and London: W. B. Saunders Company. 1948.

This book is intended for both doctors and nurses. It is well printed, and includes many diagrams, pictures, and photographs; these make it interesting and are useful in showing practical procedures, such as how to give an intravenous injection, or how to make up 500 ml. of 5% sodium bicarbonate solution.

By means of questions at the end of each section attention is concentrated on the points which should be remembered: "What is your attitude towards the alcoholic? Is he a moral degenerate? Would prohibition of the sale and use of alcohol solve the problem? What is the solution?" In addition to these there are lists of reference books and papers, so that special inquiries may be pursued further, though British readers will regret that all the references are American. There is no doubt that for nurses this is an excellent book.

J. H. BURN.

BOOKS RECEIVED

Review is not precluded by notice here of books recently received

Foot Mechanics. By L. R. Smart, S.R.N., M.Ch.S. (Pp. 106. 6s.) London: Baillière, Tindall and Cox. 1950.

Chinese Eyesight and Spectacles. By O. D. Rasmussen. 4th revision. (Pp. 64. 4s. 6d.) Tonbridge: Tonbridge Free Press. 1950.

Practical Haematology. By J. V. Dacie, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P. (Pp. 172. 10s. 6d.) London: Churchill. 1950.

Proceedings of the First Clinical ACTH Conference. Edited by J. R. Mote, M.D. (Pp. 607. 42s.) London: Churchill. 1950.

Proceedings of the British Academy, Vol. 31, 1945. (Pp. 424. 40s.) London: Geoffrey Cumberlege. 1950.

The Practice of Medicine. By J. C. Meakins, C.B.E., M.D., LL.D., D.Sc. 5th ed. (Pp. 1,558. 95s.) London: Henry Kimpton. 1950.

Textbook of Abnormal Psychology. By C. Landis and M. M. Bolles. Revised ed. (Pp. 634. 37s. 6d.) London: Macmillan. 1950.

Genes, Plants and People. By C. D. Darlington and K. Mather. (Pp. 187. 16s.) London: George Allen and Unwin. 1950.

A Text-Book of Neuro-Anatomy. By A. Kuntz, Ph.D., M.D. 5th ed. (Pp. 524. 61s. 6d.) London: Baillière, Tindall and Cox. 1950.

Textbook of the Principles and Practice of Medicine. By D. R. Dhar, M.B., D.T.M., M.R.C.P. (Pp. 750. 35s. 6d.) Calcutta: D.M. Library. 1950.

The Nursery School. By K. H. Read. (Pp. 264. 17s. 6d.) London and Philadelphia: W. B. Saunders. 1950.

A Year with Osler, 1896-1897. By J. H. Pratt. (Pp. 209. 32s.) Baltimore: Johns Hopkins Press. London: Geoffrey Cumberlege. 1949.

Nutrition in Ophthalmology. By J. J. Stern, M.D. (Pp. 137. \$1.50.) New York: The National Vitamin Foundation, Inc. 1950.

Research in Medical Science. Edited by D. E. Green, Ph.D., and W. E. Knox, M.D. (Pp. 492. 48s.) New York: Macmillan. 1950.

Analytic Group Psychotherapy. By S. R. Slavson. (Pp. 275. 22s. 6d.) New York: Columbia University Press. London: Geoffrey Cumberlege. 1950.

Tissue Culture Technique. By G. Cameron. 2nd ed. (Pp. 191. \$4.20.) New York: Academic Press. 1950.

La Vie Sexuelle de la Femme. By A. Binet. 4th ed. (Pp. 404. No price.) Paris: L'Expansion Scientifique Française. 1950.

Asthma Bronchiale seu Nervosum: een Psychosomatische Studie. By J. Groen. (Pp. 208. No price.) Amsterdam: Scheltema and Holkema. 1950.

Allgemeine Konstitutionslehre. By K. Saller. (Pp. 210. M. 12.50.) Stuttgart: Marquardt. 1950.

Jugendpsychologie. By E. Stern. (Pp. 164. M. 9.50.) Stuttgart: Marquardt. 1950.

Le Cancer du Corps Utérin. Edited by P. Chalnot and others. (Pp. 247. No price.) Paris: L'Expansion Scientifique Française. 1950.

Der Gestaltkreis. By V. von Weizsäcker. 4th ed. (Pp. 203. M. 19.50. \$4.65.) Stuttgart: Georg Thieme. 1950.

De l'Instinct à l'Esprit. By C. Baudouin. (Pp. 308. 85 Belgian francs.) Bruges: Desclée de Brouwer. 1950.

Markenagelung nach Küntscher. By C. Habler. (Pp. 302. M. 26.) Berlin: Urban and Schwarzenberg. 1950.

Universities and Colleges

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

In a Congregation held on June 22 the following degrees were conferred:

D.M.—J. E. French, R. G. Macbeth, Hon. Mrs. Margaret A. Jennings.

UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW

On July 11 the D.P.H. was awarded to the following successful candidates: K. Campbell, Jean W. Cuthbert, Janet F. Graham, R. R. Houston, H. F. Jarvie, Teresa Kelly, A. Laurie, A. J. McKendrick, M. C. Macleod, I. P. F. Rae, J. A. W. Reid, Doreen R. C. Scorgie.

UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

SCHOOL OF PHYSIC, TRINITY COLLEGE

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

M.D.—Muriel Bannister, L. A. Kerwood, J. R. Mahon, D. E. Mellon, J. H. Murphy, B. E. O'Brien.

M.Ch.—D. S. Quill.

M.A.O.—M. T. S. Conradi, H. FitzGibbon, M. L. McCauley.

FINAL M.B.—¹E. A. Martin, ¹A. T. F. French-O'Carroll, ²Helen P. Manning, ²E. W. Lillie, ²Helen M. Hackman, ²R. A. L. Agnew, ²D. A. A. Lane, ²A. M. Cantor, ²P. E. A. Blake Knox, ²C. D. Levis, ²Pauline M. Poole, ²A. Rosenthal, ²Sylvia Lath, ²Mabel M. H. Hodgins, ²J. A. N. Poynton, ²Elinor D. U. Powell, ²J. W. Lewis, ²H. J. Neethling, J. O. Hunter, D. Romney, Margaret P. Wallace, P. A. H. Davis, K. K. O. Bentsi-Enchill, K. F. X. Bourke, Daphne A. F. Laughlin, Phyllis M. Lee, Grace M. F. Yorke, J. N. Cockrill, Anna I. Roberts, Renée A. Fleury, Doris B. Brownell, W. McC. Wilson, W. C. McCord, T. M. Bamford, G. Caplin, Jane C. Gatliff, Anna J. Hendly, F. J. McHugh, B. P. P. Judge, Hilary G. Orr, S. H. Buchalter, Anne L. J. Cusack, R. V. Lea, M. J. H. Hamilton, W. B. Seale, J. N. Adair, M. J. Sweeney, W. G. Hutchinson.

B.Ch.—¹Margaret P. Wallace, ¹E. A. Martin, ²C. D. Levis, ²Doris B. Brownell, ²Helen P. Manning, ²D. A. A. Lane, ²Grace M. F. Yorke, A. M. Cantor, Reva Berstock, W. C. McCord, Mildred Vilensky, T. M. Bamford, K. C. Finkel, K. F. X. Bourke, T. H. Bewley, Pauline M. Poole, J. W. Lewis, Anna I. Roberts, P. A. H. Davis, Hilary G. Orr, A. C. Allen, J. A. N. Poynton, Elinor D. U. Powell, Anne L. J. Cusack, Annie M. G. Troughton, Jane C. Gatliff, W. B. Seale, A. A. Sweeney, S. H. Buchalter, G. Caplin, H. A. Devlin, Phyllis M. Lee, F. J. McHugh, R. A. L. Agnew, M. J. H. Hamilton, D. Miller, N. Furlong, Renée A. Fleury, Sylvia Lath, J. N. Adair, H. Parsons, R. V. Lea, H. J. Neethling, V. P. O'Sullivan Quinn, Germaine H. Ross, K. K. O. Bentsi-Enchill, J. C. McLean, N. R. McNutt, R. Nelson.

D.G.O.—I. D. Miller.

¹With first-class honours. ²With second-class honours.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

ACADEMIC POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN MEDICAL RADIOLOGY.—*Diagnosis*: W. E. Craddock, Joan M. T. MacCarthy, W. Smith, W. R. R. Thursfield, C. D. Wilson-Sharp. *Therapy*: E. W. Emery, Frances A. Fouracres, B. Strickland.

Dr. E. R. Boland has been elected Dean of the Faculty of Medicine for the period 1950–2.

The title of Professor Emeritus of Surgery in the University has been conferred on Professor C. A. Pannett on his retirement from the Chair of Surgery at St. Mary's Hospital Medical School which he has held since 1922.

The title of Professor Emeritus of Obstetrics and Gynaecology in the University has been conferred on Professor James Young on his retirement from the Chair of Obstetrics and Gynaecology at the Postgraduate Medical School of London which he has held since 1934.

The title of Professor Emeritus in Psychology in the University has been conferred on Sir Cyril Burt on his retirement from the Chair of Psychology at University College which he has held since 1931.

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

Robert Schneider, M.D., M.R.C.P., has been appointed Lecturer in Experimental Therapeutics in the Department of Pharmacology from August 1.

The following have been appointed University Clinical Lecturers in the subjects indicated in parentheses: A. L. Deacon, F.R.C.S.Ed., M.R.C.O.G. (Obstetrics and Gynaecology); G. M. Holme, M.B., Ch.B. (Radiology); C. W. Taylor, M.B., Ch.B. (Clinical Pathology); A. C. Crook, M.D. (Endocrinology); M. Sim, M.D., and R. W. Tibbetts, D.M. (Psychiatry); Margaret L. A. Galbraith, M.B., Ch.B., Helen Scott Mason, M.B., Ch.B., Margaret J. Mills, M.B., Ch.B., Doris J. Wall, M.B., Ch.B., Janet R. Welsh, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., and Helen M. Wood, M.B., Ch.B. (Anaesthetics).

At a Congregation on July 1 the following medical degrees were conferred:

M.D.—R. G. Record (with honours), C. R. Lowe, A. G. W. Whitfield.

Ch.M.—C. P. Nicholas.

Ph.D.—C. N. Iland, M.B., Ch.B., D.C.P.

M.B., Ch.B.—*Pamela M. Moody, *G. W. Thorpe, *J. A. Williams, Dorothy S. Alabaster, Patricia J. Barnes, J. D. Baston, Pamela Beal, Betty N. Brain, Mary Cooksey, H. G. Cooper, C. Dexter, A. F. Dukes, Cathleen M. Elliott, N. W. J. England, M. J. Everton, Amy M. Fawcett, D. F. Ferrington, J. Fredoun, Daphne M. Hampton, P. F. Harris, R. S. Harris, A. R. Harrison, R. J. Hetherington, J. S. Howell, J. P. Lavender, Gwladys N. McCoach, J. M. Park, J. W. Parkin, J. R. Pearson, B. W. Petty, F. L. Richardson, Nancy G. S. Roberts, W. R. Roberts, G. J. R. Soutter, J. M. A. C. Stewart, H. J. S. Waldeck, J. M. Walker, W. L. Whitehouse, W. E. S. Whittingham, Rosalinde J. Hampton (in absentia).

*With second-class honours.

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

At a meeting of the Council on Wednesday, July 19, 1950, Mr. A. F. Maloney, B.Sc., M.B., Ch.B., was appointed to the newly instituted post of Lecturer in Neuropathology. The following appointments were also made: B. W. Wyke, M.B., B.S., Lecturer in Physiology, and R. N. Tattersall, O.B.E., M.D., as Clinical Lecturer in Medicine. The Council granted the necessary leave of absence to Dr. R. G. Paley, Research Assistant in the Department of Medicine, to enable him to take up a Nuffield Scholarship which has been awarded to him for work in the United States of America.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, BELFAST

The following candidates have been approved at the examinations indicated:

M.D.—N. J. Ainley, S. J. G. Gilmour, S. G. McComb, *H. B. McDowell, *Mary G. McGeown, *W. H. Shepherd, D. G. Simpson, *D. W. Wallace, C. G. Warnock (gold medal), R. J. Young.

M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.—W. D. Addis, Vivien R. Boyd, P. G. Buckham, J. Burrows, H. L. Courtenay, W. J. Crawford, R. H. Currie, Irene G. Douglas, J. Dunlop, Margaret R. Elder, R. M. Ellis, Jean M. Fitzsimons, Patricia Gorman, Elizabeth Hawkins, T. L. Hazelton, W. C. Heron, M. McA. Holmes, Elizabeth L. Houston, Monica Kerrigan, W. J. Love, Martha E. McCormack, J. G. McKenny, Sheila C. McNally, J. B. McSherry, Maureen E. Magowan, D. C. S. Millar, D. G. Rice, Dorothy E. Robb, Beatrice A. Russell (with second-class honours), J. Smyth, J. E. L. Sutcliffe.

¹With high commendation. ²With commendation.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF EDINBURGH

At a quarterly meeting of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh held on July 18 with the vice-president, Dr. W. A. Alexander, in the chair, the following were elected Fellows of the College: K. K. V. Rao, R. L. Langley, E. L. Thomson.

The following were elected Members of the College: J. Gillies, J. B. Gaylor, G. I. H. Braine, Z. Godlowski, R. P. Leake, D. R. Huggins, L. Crome, J. S. Meredith, A. T. M. Myres, B. E. H. Koch, R. W. B. Scutt, Betty E. A. Magill, R. J. Cuthbert, Nan Wan Low, Dina N. Banerjee, R. L. Amols, R. A. Burston, J. McC. Murdoch, E. V. C. Dawson, R. C. W. Lowe, A. D. Muir, L. S. Smith, R. W. Morris, Mary Patten, I. Cohen.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH

At a meeting of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh held on July 19, with Mr. W. Quarry Wood, president, in the chair, the following who have passed the requisite examinations were admitted Fellows: S. O. Awoliyi, A. S. Badger, A. N. Cameron, L. Ganz, S. P. Jain, F. R. C. Johnstone, N. R. Mackay, K. G. Malcomson, J. R. Moffat, R. F. Mulligan, J. G. Murray, K. K. Murthy, J. A. O'Garra, E. H. Rees, W. A. T. Robb, D. I. Roberts, K. Rostron, E. Sarfati, J. H. S. Scott, H. Singh, J. J. W. van Zyl, S. P. Wanchoo, I. B. Watson, R. B. C. Welsh.

COMING EVENTS

Hospitals in Sweden

The International Hospital Federation is organizing a study tour for its members to visit Sweden on September 3-13. Information may be obtained from the Federation at King Edward's Hospital Fund for London, 10, Old Jewry, London, E.C.2.

International Society of Angiology

The first meeting of the recently founded International Society of Angiology will be held in Paris on September 4-5 at the Collège de France, Place Berthelot. The officers of this society are: Dr. René Leriche (Paris), president; Drs. Emile Holman (San Francisco), Alexander M. Boyd (Manchester), and Fernando Martorell (Barcelona), vice-presidents; Dr. Henry Haimovici (New York), secretary. All correspondence about the society and its first meeting should be addressed to Dr. Henry Haimovici, 1148, Fifth Avenue, New York 28, N.Y.

Criminology

The second International Congress on Criminology will be held in Paris on September 10-19, 1950. The deliberations of the congress are to be concentrated on two main questions: first, what has been discovered in criminology during the past 20 years; secondly, what are the methods of research followed in the different sciences that go to make up the discipline of criminology and what results these different methods have achieved. The United Kingdom representatives are Dr. Denis Carroll and Dr. Hermann Mannheim. Those who might be able to attend the congress or who want further information about it should write to the organizing secretary in the United Kingdom, Second International Congress on Criminology, c/o the Institute for the Scientific Treatment of Delinquency, 8, Bourdon Street, London, W.1.

French Congress of Medicine

The First International Congress of Internal Medicine will be held in Paris on September 11-14. Full particulars may be obtained from the Secrétariat du Congrès International de Médecine Interne, 38, rue Barbet-de-Jouy, Paris, 7.

The Venous System

The Medical Societies of Marseilles and Aix-en-Provence, under the auspices of the Marseilles Medical Faculty and with the patronage of Professor Laubry, president of the First World Congress of Cardiology, are organizing at Aix-en-Provence, after the World Congress, an International Meeting on the Venous System, to be held on September 15-17. Inquiries should be addressed to Doctor Beurrier, 4, Cours Mirabeau, Aix-en-Provence, France.

Chest Diseases

The First International Congress on Diseases of the Chest will be held at the Carlo Forlanini Institute, Rome, Italy, on September 17-20, under the auspices of the Council on International Affairs of the American College of Chest Physicians and the Carlo Forlanini Institute, in collaboration with the Italian National Institute of Health and the Italian Federation against Tuberculosis. Physicians interested in attending the congress should communicate as soon as possible with Dr. Chevalier L. Jackson, chairman of the Council on International Affairs, American College of Chest Physicians, 500, North Dearborn Street, Chicago 10, Illinois, U.S.A., or with Professor A. Omodei Zorini, Carlo Forlanini Institute, Rome, Italy.

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

EDINBURGH POSTGRADUATE BOARD FOR MEDICINE.—At University New Buildings (Anatomy Lecture Theatre), Edinburgh, July 31, 3.30 p.m., "Polio-myelitis and Polio-myelitis-like illnesses," by Dr. A. J. Rhodes (Toronto).

APPOINTMENTS

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1.—*Two House-physicians (Junior Registrar Grade)*, J. G. Millichap, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P., D.C.H., and J. N. Montgomery, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., D.C.H.; *Two House-surgeons (Junior Registrar Grade)*, J. P. Hopewell, F.R.C.S., and R. T. Routledge, M.B., B.S.; *Resident Anaesthetic Registrar (Registrar Grade)*, Miss M. E. Browne, M.B., Ch.B.; *Junior Resident Anaesthetic Registrar (Junior Registrar)*, Miss M. L. M. Bridges, M.B., B.S.; *Two Assistant Medical Registrars (Registrar Grade)*, A. D. M. Jackson, M.D., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P., D.C.H., and P. R. Swyer, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., D.C.H.; *Part-time Registrar to the Department of Psychological Medicine (Registrar Grade)*, Mrs. L. M. Brierley, M.B., Ch.B., D.C.H.; *Resident Assistant Physician (Senior Registrar Grade)*, J. L. Greaves, M.D., M.R.C.P.; *Part-time Registrar to the Dental Department (Senior Registrar Grade)*, F. E. N. Preston, L.D.S. R.C.S.

SOUTH-WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—*Consultant Radiologist in Bristol Clinical Area*, G. R. Airth, M.B., B.S., D.M.R.(D); *Consultant Chest Physician in Bristol Clinical Area*, A. T. M. Roberts, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P., M.D.; *Two Consultant Psychiatrists to Barrow and Fishponds Hospitals*, D. F. Early, L.R.C.P. and S.I., L.M., D.P.H. (N.U.I.), D.P.M. (R.C.S.I.), and A. Leitch, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M., M.D.; *Consultant Anaesthetist in North Gloucestershire Clinical Area*, B. R. Little, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.A. (R.C.P. and S.); *Consultant Physician in Bath Clinical Area*, D. W. Pugh, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P., M.D.; *Consultant Radiologist in Bath Clinical Area*, A. C. P. D. Thomson, M.B., Ch.B., D.M.R.; *Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist in Bath Clinical Area*, B. E. Blair, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.O.G., F.R.C.S.; *Consultant Surgeon in Bath Clinical Area*, C. P. Sames, M.S., F.R.C.S., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.; *Consultant Surgeon in Exeter Clinical Area*, K. P. S. Caldwell, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B., B.Ch., F.R.C.S.; *Consultant Dermatologist in Plymouth Clinical Area*, R. D. Sweet, M.B., B.Chir., M.R.C.P.; *Consultant Psychiatrist in Plymouth Clinical Area*, R. A. Blair, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (R.C.P. and S.), M.B., B.S., M.D., D.P.M. (R.C.P. and S.); *Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon in West Cornwall Clinical Area*, R. N. Grant, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., F.R.C.S.; *Consultant Anaesthetist in West Cornwall Clinical Area*, J. K. Lewis, M.B., Ch.B., D.A.; *Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist in West Cornwall Clinical Area*, P. N. Simons, M.B., B.S., D.Obst.R.C.O.G., M.R.C.O.G., F.R.C.S.; *Consultant Physician in West Cornwall Clinical Area*, W. H. St. John-Brooks, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P.; *Two Physicians in Psychiatry at Bristol Mental Hospital*, R. Maggs, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M., and S. Smith, M.B., Ch.B., M.D., M.R.C.P.; *Deputy Medical Superintendent at Northam-Brentry Colony*, W. A. Heaton-Ward, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M.; *Deputy Medical Superintendent at Sandhill Park Institution*, T. Farr, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M., M.D.; *Medical Officer at Tone Vale Hospital*, F. R. M. Calder, M.A., M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M.

MILLAR, ERNEST LESLIE MORGAN, M.D., M.Sc., D.P.H., Deputy Medical Officer of Health, Birmingham.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

BIRTH

Caspers.—On July 12, 1950, at the Querns Maternity Home, Cirencester, Gloucestershire, to Nancy (formerly Bennett), wife of Dr. Anthony Caspers, R.A.F., a daughter—Jane Elisabeth de Meysey.

MARRIAGES

Freeland—Evans.—On July 15, 1950, at Ilford, Derek E. Freeland, B.M., to Patricia Evans.

Thomas—Rees.—On July 15, 1950, at Llwynycelyn, Aberystwyth, South Wales, D. Gareth Hughes Thomas, M.B., B.Ch., to Aisla Rees, B.A.

DEATHS

Barnett.—On July 14, 1950, at Dunedin, New Zealand, Geoffrey Michael Fulton Barnett, F.R.C.S.

Court.—On July 22, 1950, at The Ridge, Ilminster, Somerset, Christopher Charles Cole Court, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.

Dodgson.—On July 15, 1950, at 1, Adur Avenue, Shoreham-by-Sea, Sussex, Henry Dodgson, T.D., M.B., Ch.B., aged 76.

Edmonston.—On July 20, 1950, at Cheltenham, Charles Gordon Edmonston, M.B., F.R.C.S. Ed.

Hoile.—On July 15, 1950, at 145, High Street, Montrose, Henry John Hoile, M.B., Ch.B.

Mitchell.—On July 21, 1950, Marjorie Hall Mitchell, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., of Umtata, 34, Corroor Road, Newlands, Glasgow.

Pirie.—On July 17, 1950, at Deaconess Hospital, Edinburgh, Anna Margaret Pirie, M.B., Ch.B., of Bermondsey Medical Mission Hospital, London.

Price.—On July 24, 1950, Ivor Price, F.R.C.S., of St. Mary Islington Hospital, Highgate Hill, N.

Ray.—On July 5, 1950, in London, Matthew Burrow Ray, D.S.O., O.B.E., T.D., M.D., M.R.C.P., Colonel, late T.A.

Rishworth.—On July 6, 1950, at 3, Lee Terrace, Blackheath, London, S.E., James Maule Rishworth, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H., aged 64.

Rust.—On June 26, 1950, at 65, Albenor, Sea Point, Capetown, Montague Rust, L.R.C.P. & S. Ed., L.R.F.P.S. Glas., late of Newport, Fife, aged 76.

Sandeman.—On July 6, 1950, at Jura, Argyll, Charles Stewart Sandeman, M.B., Ch.B., Major, R.A.M.C., retired.

Sedgwick.—On July 6, 1950, at Combe House, Tetbury, Glos, Richard Ernest Sedgwick, M.D.

Smith.—On July 11, 1950, at Longmeadow, Park Mill, Swansea, Henry Faithful Smith, M.D., late of Windermere, Westmorland.

Stevenson.—On July 14, 1950, at 90, Chesterton Road, Cambridge, Claude Maberly Stevenson, M.D.

Tilley.—On July 11, 1950, James Leonard Octavius Tilley, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.D.S., late of 11, Bentinck Street, London, W., and of Somerset.

Vincent.—On July 11, 1950, at Sevenoaks, Kent, Clive Rowland Bishop Vincent, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., aged 28.

Ward.—On July 4, 1950, at "Kirkham," Babbacombe, Torquay, Horace Smith Ward, O.B.E., T.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Colonel, T.A., late R.A.M.C., retired, aged 54.

Wilson.—On July 6, 1950, at Redhurst, Irvine, Ayrshire, James Wilson, M.D., D.P.H.

Williams.—On July 17, 1950, John Cadwaladr Williams, M.B., C.M., of Cerrig-y-Druidion and Betws Garmon, late of London.

Williams.—On July 23, 1950, Hugh Lloyd Williams, M.R.C.S., L.D.S., J.P., of Waenafawr, Caernarvonshire, late of 128, Harley Street, London, W.