

had done, whether that was something wrong and dangerous, and whether he had taken sufficient steps to remove it.

The judge's directions on these matters were not enough, and therefore the case made was not before the jury as it should have been, and on that issue there must be a new trial.

Lord Justice Birkett and Lord Justice Morris delivered concurring judgments.

Universities and Colleges

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON

At a quarterly comitia of the College held on July 31, with the President, Sir Russell Brain, in the chair, it was announced that the Duke of Edinburgh had graciously accepted the Honorary Fellowship of the College.

The following Fellows of the College were elected officers for the ensuing year: *Censors*, A. H. Douthwaite, C. F. T. East, F. P. Lee Lander, J. R. H. Towers; *Treasurer*, W. G. Barnard; *Registrar*, Sir Harold Boldero; *Harveian Librarian*, E. C. Dodds, F.R.S.; *Assistant Registrar*, M. I. A. Hunter.

Dr. George Graham was appointed *Harveian Orator* and Dr. E. J. Wayne Bradshaw *Lecturer*, both for 1953. The following lecturers were also appointed: Lumleian (1953), Dr. E. A. Carmichael; Goulstonian (1953), Dr. D. A. K. Black; FitzPatrick (1953), Dr. M. Davidson; Oliver-Sharpey (1953), Professor C. Wilson; Lloyd-Roberts (1953), B. Ifor Evans, D.Lit.; Humphry Davy Rolleston (1953), Professor R. A. McCance, F.R.S.; Croonian (1954), Dr. J. Forest Smith; FitzPatrick (1954), Dr. C. E. Newman.

Sir Russell Brain was reappointed as the College representative on the governing body of the British Postgraduate Medical Federation, and Sir William Hume on the council of King's College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the University of Durham.

The Murchison Scholarship was awarded to Dr. C. W. Crane.

Membership

The following candidates, having satisfied the Censor's Board, were elected Members of the College: J. H. Biggart, M.D., U. Birnbaum, M.B., P. S. Brown, B.M., H. M. T. Coles, M.D., W. M. Dixon, M.B., E. Dresner, M.D., D. Emslie-Smith, M.B., D. M. D. Evans, M.B., K. T. Evans, M.B., S. G. Faris, M.B., J. M. Farrar, M.B., D. D. Felix-Davies, M.B., I. T. Gabe, M.B., C. D. Gettliffe, M.B., R. R. M. Harman, M.B., Lieutenant, R.A.M.C., R. A. K. Harper, M.B., R. P. Jayewardene, M.B., P. K. Krishnankutti, M.D., J. P. R. MacFarlane, M.B., T. McKeown, M.D., Cynthia J. McPherson, M.B., D. Mendel, M.B., T. G. Milliken, M.D., D. Mustafa, Diploma, Kitchener School of Medicine, Khartoum, D. G. Neill, M.B., K. Rajasuriya, L.M.S., A. E. A. Read, M.B., A. C. Ronald, M.B., J. D. Sheehan, M.B., R. G. Shorter, M.B., J. P. Stanfield, M.B., P. G. I. Stovin, M.B., C. G. A. Thomas, B.M., G. W. Thorpe, M.B., A. L. Turnbull, B.M., W. Van't Hoff, M.B., R. H. C. Wells, M.B., D. M. Williams, M.B., P. O. Williams, M.B., M. F. T. Yealand, M.B.

Licences

Licences to practise were conferred upon 129 candidates (including 25 women) who have passed the final examination in Medicine, Surgery, and Midwifery of the Conjoint Board and who have complied with the necessary by-laws: V. Ainsworth, A. L. Bass, I. S. Batey, K. B. Bender, A. Betts, M. H. H. Bishop, June E. Brett, J. R. Brown, J. W. Brown, C. C. Bull, G. M. B. Bulman, A. R. Butterfield, G. R. C. Campion, H. Caplan, D. A. Chiswell, J. A. Clappin, B. J. F. Coles, H. A. Collins, Betty R. Corbia, H. J. E. Cox, H. F. Crawford, G. T. Crook, R. L. E. Cumberbatch, Bethan Davies, E. P. Denton, J. M. Dolphin, Aileen B. Donnison, A. K. Dowle, M. Dulake, W. F. Dummer, A. V. Dunlop, B. A. East, T. A. Evans, N. H. Eve, F. W. Fairhead, K. T. Farn, P. M. Forster, J. L. Fraser, A. G. E. Fung-a-Fat, D. R. Gamble, Mary I. Gibbons, B. Gilbert, I. L. Glaisher, H. W. Goldfarb, J. H. Goode, K. Grainger, Bernadette Gregory, Joan E. Hancock, R. B. Handscombe, N. B. Harris, J. D. Harte, W. D. Hayley, D. A. Heath, E. R. Herst, F. A. Hill, C. B. Hodges, Vera M. C. Hollyhock, Blanche M. Hooper, Shirley E. Hoyes, K. R. Hughes, J. P. Hurrell, G. H. Jeavons, R. D. Jones, A. F. Jordan, L. Kader, E. E. F. Keal, D. J. Kidd, D. W. G. King, Iris M. Krass, C. G. Lambert, R. J. W. Lambert, L. H. Lee, F. Lees, K. M. McC. Lewis, H. Lindsay, Patricia M. Lumb, Nancy S. Maguire, G. Mangan, R. D. Mann, J. Manuel, D. H. Marjot, Philippa M. Martin, J. A. Mead, G. W. Middleton,

F. Morley, Y. A. Motala, J. H. Muende, G. D. Mulholland, Kathleen M. Neville, Elizabeth C. Nightingale, M. J. O'Neill, W. N. B. Parker, W. P. Pereira, Mary E. R. Perry, R. J. V. Peter, R. A. N. Petrie, E. M. Pilkinson, L. J. Posener, L. B. Prescott, M. N. Prichard, Freda E. Prince-White, F. C. Ramsey, G. Ll. S. Rankin, Shelagh M. Richards, G. G. Robbie, T. E. Roberts, Winifred M. S. Robinson, Vera Rose, G. Screech, D. B. Shaw, K. Shiffman, D. N. Sinclair, J. J. Slome, Isabel G. Smith, J. L. Stevenson, Mary L. Stewart, J. L. Szentpéteri, Elizabeth A. Thomson, G. N. W. Tilley, D. Tingle, G. R. P. A. Vernon, P. Wallis, A. W. Warltier, P. A. Watt, Joyce D. Waye, E. A. Wilson, P. G. Woolf, J. G. Wotherspoon, S. S. Young.

Diplomas

Diplomas were granted, jointly with the Royal College of Surgeons of England, to the following successful candidates:

DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC HEALTH.—Margaret A. M. Howard, F. X. Letellier, R. L. Lindon, J. F. McGovern, M. L. Rawal, G. M. Reynolds, Mary M. E. Rutter, M. Shrinagesh, I. H. Syed.

DIPLOMA IN OPHTHALMOLOGY.—N. S. Batheja, R. D. Calcott, B. M. Chatterjee, G. V. Cole, P. H. Cowen, R. Cowley, C. W. L. Crawford, E. B. Doany, Stella P. Eadie, Margaret Ford, H. Fraser, S. D. Gun-Munro, M. Habibulla, J. Hughes, I. G. Johnston, P. M. Joseph, P. J. Mathews, Jean C. I. Melville, Eugenia M. O'Keeffe, J. N. Ormrod, J. A. E. Primrose, A. K. Sinha, D. N. Sud, J. E. Thomas, R. Traill, C. G. Tulloh, Nora P. Woods.

DIPLOMA IN INDUSTRIAL HEALTH.—A. W. Gilks, J. I. Lesh, R. W. McConnachie, S. L. Malhotra, M. L. Rawal, J. F. Skone, W. C. Turner, M. D. Warren.

Diplomas in Anaesthetics (*Journal*, July 5, p. 47, and July 26, p. 239), in Pathology, in Medical Radio-diagnosis, and in Medical Radiotherapy (*Journal*, July 5, p. 47), in Laryngology and Otology, in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, and in Psychological Medicine (*Journal*, July 26, p. 239), were granted, jointly with the Royal College of Surgeons of England, to the successful candidates whose names were printed in the reports of the meetings of the Royal College of Surgeons of England in the issues of the *Journal* indicated above.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNAECOLOGISTS

At a meeting of the Council of the College held on July 26, with the President, Dame Hilda Lloyd, in the chair, the following officers were elected: *President*, Mr. Arthur A. Gemmill; *Vice-presidents*, Professor Gilbert I. Strachan and Mr. A. J. McNair; *Honorary Treasurer*, Mr. A. C. H. Bell; *Honorary Secretary*, Mr. Humphrey G. E. Arthure; *Honorary Librarian*, Mr. A. J. McNair; *Honorary Curator of the Museum*, Mr. Aleck W. Bourne; *Honorary Treasurer, Australian Regional Council*, Professor Bruce T. Mayes; *Honorary Treasurer, New Zealand Regional Council*, Mr. H. K. Pacey.

Sir Stanford Cade was invited to attend meetings of Council as representative of the Council of the Royal College of Surgeons of England.

The following were elected to the Membership: J. D. Arora, Lily Arratoon, J. L. M. Bean, A. C. Bhoomik, C. H. Borsman, G. H. Burgess, G. G. Champion, S. Chinnatamby, G. R. Clare, J. F. Correy, N. K. Crooke, G. E. Cummins, A. M. Dawson, R. D. De Vere, D. T. Dodds, C. P. Douglas, R. Dowie, S. K. Dutt, Aileen C. Foley, M. S. Forrest, D. F. P. Gordon, W. J. Gordon, J. J. Handler, A. Hunter, Daphne M. E. Kayton, I. A. McDonald, Margaret W. Macgregor, T. P. Magee, T. McG. McNie, A. G. Mathew, P. R. Myerscough, J. G. O'Sullivan, Marjorie M. Paterson, A. Persey, Evelyn Peters, G. W. Prueter, D. Puflett, Marie Quadros, M. B. Quane, B. B. Rakshit, H. Rees, D. Seif-Eldin, C. A. Simons, E. L. Trott, Mary E. Walker, R. A. Warren, H. B. Watson, J. A. Williams.

CONJOINT BOARD IN SCOTLAND

The following candidates, having passed the final examinations, have been granted the diploma of L.R.C.P.Ed., L.R.C.S.Ed., L.R.F.P.S.Glasg.: R. S. Ahluwalia, Mavis F. Anderson, F. J. Badenhorst, J. B. B. Baird, C. E. Barth, G. A. C. Binnie, E. H. Brown, D. G. Chambers, B. Cornes, W. A. Dalgleish, E. A. Ehlinger, S. Fogel, Brenda Gale, Colina Graham, Ruth E. Graham-Yooll, J. M. H. R. Hardy, A. R. Isaac, A. H. Kassam, V. Kritzinger, C. H. Lalgee, Pamela M. Lambden, P. A. Lowe, W. A. Mahon, Pearl K. Malasky, Christine W. Mann, R. W. S. Miller, E. C. Moffat, J. I. Morrison, J. A. McIlvride, Agnes F. Mackay, A. Orwin, Joyce E. A. Ovens, Hedwig M. M. Papigay, Audrey Pilbeam, Jean M. Price, R. A. W. Ratcliff, Margaret H. Rodger, Enid Sagar, R. Shabetai, Thelma D. Standing, R. Steele, A. Stevenson, C. Ward, M. H. Weinberg, M. M. Wiener.

which are favourable to it. Spraying teams now keep the mosquitoes at bay on these rivers, and it is hoped that, by concentrating here and ceasing residual spray on the coast, malaria will be controlled with only 25% of the present effort. It is true that British Guiana is rather a special case, and that *A. darlingi* is almost ideal for control in this way, but these facts do not detract from the boldness of the conception of eradication. Control of malaria has enormously reduced general and infant mortality and morbidity, and no doubt will produce a community more physically fit than ever before, to develop the great and still only partly tapped resources of a great country.

Society for Clinical Pathology in France.—Aiming to link biology and medicine more closely, a society under the presidency of Professor Henri Benard has been founded in France. One of the vice-presidents is Professor Justin Besançon, editor of *La Semaine des Hôpitaux*. The society intends to bring together French doctors interested in clinical pathology, to further work on the subject, and to establish contact with other societies of the same kind abroad. Two or three symposia are planned yearly, the first being scheduled for November 24 this year; the subject will be the porphyrinurias.

Medicine and Physical Education.—The William Hyde Award (£300) for 1950 has been awarded to Dr. R. W. Parnell, of the Institute of Social Medicine, Oxford, in recognition of his work on the application of special physical measurements (somato-typing) to students in Oxford. The award is made from funds provided by the Nuffield Trust in memory of William Hyde, who died in 1945, and whose concern for the future of the hospital services of the country to a large extent led to the establishment of the Nuffield Provincial Hospitals Trust.

COMING EVENTS

South African Medical Congress.—The 1952 Congress will be held in the Central (Arts) Block of the Witwatersrand University, Johannesburg, September 22 to 27. In addition to the numerous scientific sections there will be two plenary sessions, on September 23 (Dr. M. M. Suzman: Clinical Application of Corticotropin and Cortisone Therapy), and on September 25 (Dr. Alice Cox: Psychological Illness in South Africa: the Problems of Treatment and Care). The Medical Association of South Africa extends a cordial welcome to members of the British Medical Association to attend the Congress, and further information will gladly be supplied by the honorary organizing secretary, Dr. J. Gluckman, Congress Office, Medical House, 5, Esselen Street, Hospital Hill, Johannesburg.

Gynaecological Cytology at Brussels.—Professor R. Bourg announces that he is organizing a course of lectures on gynaecological cytology at the Brugmann Hospital, Brussels, in September. The course will run from September 22 to October 2, and will be divided into two parts, elementary and advanced cytology. Registration fee will be 500 Belgian francs, and full details may be obtained from Professor Bourg, Université Libre de Bruxelles, 50, Avenue F. D. Roosevelt, Brussels.

Public Health Courses.—The Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene is holding courses for the certificate and diploma in public health and the diploma in industrial health. Full information, entry forms, and prospectuses may be obtained from the secretary of the Institute, 28, Portland Place, London, W.1.

Fourteenth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy.—For the first time the organization of a congress of this nature will be held in a South American country—at Montevideo, Uruguay, March 1 to 6, 1953. Full information may be obtained from Dirección General del Servicio de Sanidad Militar, 8 de Octubre y Mariano Moreno, Montevideo, Uruguay.

International Gynaecological Meeting.—The National Union of French Gynaecologists and Obstetricians is organizing an international meeting of national obstetrical and gynaecological associations in Paris in May, 1953. The questions to be discussed are the protection of mothers and newborn infants in wartime, and training in gynaecology and obstetrics. Full details from Dr. Jacques Courtois, 1, Rue Racine, Saint-Germain-en-Laye (Seine et Oise).

APPOINTMENTS

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—*Assistant Chest Physician at Peterborough Chest Clinic*, R. D. Chalmers, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. *Anaesthetic Registrar at United Norwich Hospitals*, W. J. Love, M.B., B.Ch.

FARQUHAR, J. V. L., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., Assistant Senior Medical Officer, Liverpool Regional Hospital Board.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.—*Part-time Registrar to Department of Psychological Medicine*, J. R. E. Dobson, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M. *Assistant Resident Medical Officer, Tadworth Court*, Catherine N. McRobert, M.B., B.S. *House-physicians*, H. E. F. Davies, M.D., Joan C. Wells, M.D., M.R.C.P. *House-surgeons*, O. W. Davies, M.B., B.S., R. L. Batten, M.R.C.S.

MCCOURBREY, A. F., M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., Medical Officer of Health for Counties of Roxburgh and Selkirk.

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—*Consultant General Surgeon, South Cheshire Hospital Centre*, H. Hassall, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. *Consultant Anaesthetist to Thoracic Surgery Team, Blackpool*, C. P. Brown, M.B., Ch.B., D.A. *Assistant Pathologist, Withington Hospital, Manchester*, T. A. White, M.B., Ch.B., D.C.P. *Assistant Pathologist, Salford*, H. B. Marsden, M.B., Ch.B., D.C.H. *Assistant Radiologist to Macclesfield and South Cheshire Hospitals and Parkside Hospital, Macclesfield*, E. A. Beetles, M.S., M.B., D.M.R.D. *Assistant Anaesthetist, West Manchester Hospitals*, Marjory A. Pollock, M.B., B.Ch., D.A. *Assistant Anaesthetist, Oldham Hospitals*, Ilse R. Hadelmayr-Kuhn, M.D., D.A.

NORTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—*Maximum Part-time Thoracic Surgeon (Consultant)*, North-east Metropolitan Hospital Region, M. Bates, F.R.C.S. *Full-time or Maximum Part-time Anaesthetist (Consultant)*, Oldchurch Hospital, H. Howell-Jones, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.A. *Part-time Surgeon (Consultant)*, Metropolitan Hospital, G. M. Dunn, M.Chr., F.R.C.S. *Part-time Anaesthetist (Consultant)*, Whipp's Cross Hospital, J. W. Monroe, M.B., B.Chr., D.A. *Maximum Part-time Obstetrician and Gynaecologist (Consultant)*, Oldchurch Hospital, E. E. Philipp, F.R.C.S., M.R.C.O.G. *Part-time Ear, Nose, and Throat Surgeon (Consultant)*, Rush Green Hospital, C. S. Savage, F.R.C.S. *Part-time Anaesthetist (Consultant)*, Broomfield Hospital, S. D. K. Stride, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.A. *Part-time Paediatrician (Consultant)*, Harold Wood Hospital, F. S. W. Brimblecombe, M.D., M.R.C.P., D.C.H. *Part-time Dermatologist (Consultant)*, Oldchurch Hospital, E. L. Cohen, M.B., B.Chr. *Full-time Psychiatrist (Consultant)*, Brentwood Mental Hospital, J. R. P. Edkins, M.D., D.P.M. *Full-time Anaesthetist (Consultant)*, Chase Farm and other hospitals within the Group, P. W. S. Gray, M.B., B.S., D.A. *Part-time Dermatologist (Consultant)*, Whipp's Cross Hospital, L. Sefton, M.R.C.P. *Part-time Ear, Nose, and Throat Surgeon (Consultant)*, Mile End and St. George-in-the-East Hospitals, M. Marks, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.L.O.

O'GRADY, TERENCE P., M.B., B.Chr., D.P.H., Divisional Medical Officer, Division No. 13, Lancashire County Council.

PLEYDELL, MALCOLM JAMES, M.C., M.D., D.P.H., Deputy County Medical Officer of Health for Northamptonshire.

ROADS, PETER G., M.D., D.P.H., Medical Officer of Health, Borough of Shrewsbury, and Assistant County Medical Officer for Salop.

WHITE, GEORGE MALCOLM JAMES, M.B., Ch.B., House-surgeon, North Ormesby Hospital, Middlesbrough.

WOLFF, F. W., M.B., B.S., Medical Registrar, West Suffolk General Hospital, East Anglian Regional Hospital Board.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

BIRTHS

Bihari.—On July 15, 1952, at University College Hospital, London, W.C., to Mac, wife of Dr. Julian Bihari, a daughter—Katherine Anne.

Gilks.—On July 29, 1952, at St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, London, W., to Nancy (formerly Franklin), wife of Dr. A. W. Gilks, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., D.I.H., a son—Nicholas.

Lange.—On July 27, 1952, at New End Hospital, Hampstead, London, N.W., to Joyce, wife of Mr. M. J. Lange, F.R.C.S.Ed., a son.

MARRIAGES

Herdman—Howarth.—On July 30, 1952, in London, Gawin J. S. Herdman, M.B., to Betty E. Howarth, M.R.C.P.

DEATHS

Browne.—On July 24, 1952, in Dublin, O'Donel Thornley Dodwell Browne, Litt.D., M.A.O., F.R.C.P.I., F.R.C.O.G.

Church.—On July 30, 1952, at Torquay, Anna Lydia Church, M.D.

Cunningham.—On July 30, 1952, Leslie Cunningham, M.B., F.R.C.P., of the Manor House, Prenton, Cheshire, and 72, Rodney Street, Liverpool.

Ellacombe.—On July 13, 1952, at 53, Alma Road, Rosebank, Cape town, South Africa, Gilbert Henry Wemyss Ellacombe, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., aged 83.

Jennings.—On July 24, 1952, in a London hospital, Dorothy Margaret Jennings, M.B., Ch.B., D.R.C.O.G., of 707, West Derby Road, Liverpool, aged 27.

Low.—On July 31, 1952, at 7, Kent House, Kensington, London, W., George Carmichael Low, M.D., F.R.C.P., aged 79.