

COMING EVENTS

Institute of Dermatology.—Second semi-permanent exhibition, November 5–26. Dr. A. TICKNER: "Protein in Relation to Dermatology."

Training of Mental Defectives.—A meeting to discuss the training of mental defectives will be held at the Fountain Hospital, Tooting Grove, London, S.W.17, on November 7 at 5.30 p.m. All interested are invited.

Occupational Dermatitis.—The Joint Advisory Council for Occupational Health is holding a conference on the "Prevention of Occupational Dermatitis" at 3 p.m. on November 7 at the Royal Pavilion, Brighton. Admission by ticket (2s. 6d., including tea). Details from the hon. secretary of the council, Health Department, Royal York Buildings, Brighton, 1.

Fellowship for Freedom in Medicine.—Annual meeting will be held at Caxton Hall, Westminster, November 10 at 2 p.m. Details from the honorary secretary, 45, Nottingham Place, London, W.1.

London Medical Orchestra.—A concert will be given at B.M.A. House on November 24 at 8 p.m. in aid of the Cancer Relief Fund. Tickets (10s., 7s. 6d., and 5s.) from the hon. secretary, 6, Oxford Court, London, W.3, or at the door.

Research Defence Society.—Professor A. A. MILES will deliver the Stephen Paget memorial lecture on November 27 at 5.30 p.m. at the physiology lecture theatre, University College, London. His subject will be "Resistance to Infection: The Experimental Approach." The annual meeting of the society will be held after the lecture.

Bethlem Royal Hospital and the Maudsley Hospital.—The biennial ball for past and present medical staff will be held on November 30 at the Connaught Rooms, Great Queen Street, London, W.C.2. Tickets from Dr. BRIAN ACKNER, the Maudsley Hospital, London, S.E.5.

Radioisotope Techniques.—Four-week courses on radioisotopes and their uses will begin on January 14, 1957, at the Sir John Cass College, London, E.C.3. Details will be found in our advertisement columns (p. 3 of cover).

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, November 5

DENTAL AND MEDICAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF HYPNOSIS.—At Medical Society of London, 8 p.m., Mr. L. Becker: Hypnosis and the Psychosomatic Approach in Dentistry.

MARLBOROUGH DAY HOSPITAL.—8.15 p.m., Dr. O. W. S. Fitz-Gerald: A Few New Ideas in Mental Hospital Administration.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—4 p.m., Dr. H. S. Banks: Recent Advances in Infectious Fevers.

Tuesday, November 6

BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Mr. W. J. Dempster: Homotransplantation of Organs.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. J. A. Dudgeon: Role of Viruses in Dermatology.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL COLLEGE.—5 p.m., Dr. R. F. Tredgold: Preventive Psychiatry.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—3.45 p.m., Arnott Demonstration by Professor R. J. Last: Form and Function in Muscles.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Wright-Fleming Institute Theatre, 5 p.m., Mr. D. H. MacLeod: Differential Diagnosis in Gynaecology.

WEST END HOSPITAL FOR NEUROLOGY AND NEUROSURGERY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. C. C. Edwards: neurological demonstration.

Wednesday, November 7

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. J. A. Dudgeon: Role of Viruses in Dermatology.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Dr. I. S. Longmuir: Application of Polarographic Analysis to the Study of Cellular Respiration.

INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY.—4.30 for 5 p.m., Dr. W. N. Mascall: Gonococcal Urethritis.

MANCHESTER MEDICAL SOCIETY: SECTION OF PATHOLOGY.—At Large Anatomy Medical School, Manchester University, 4.30 p.m., Dr. E. L. Peel: Plasma Cells and Plasma Proteins.

MIDLAND MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At General Hospital, Birmingham, 8.15 p.m., clinical meeting.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—2 p.m., Professor G. M. Bull: Quantitative Assessment of Renal Function.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH.—3.30 p.m., Professor W. E. Adams: Some Hazards and Corresponding Safety Measures in Thoracic Surgery for Elderly People.

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND HYGIENE.—3.30 p.m., Dr. Frank Wokes, Ph.D.: Human Vitamin Needs and Sources (illustrated).

Thursday, November 8

ALFRED AFTER MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At 11, Chandos Street, W., 8 p.m., Mr. P. Rom: Vaithinger's Fictionalism and Individual Psychology.

BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION.—At London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, 5.30 p.m., Professor C. G. Rob: Arterial Substitutes.

HONYMAN GILLESPIE LECTURES.—At University New Buildings, Teviot Place, Edinburgh, 5 p.m., Professor G. A. Smart: The Nephrotic Syndrome.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. R. W. Riddell: Role of Fungi in Skin Disease.

LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION.—At Sefton General Hospital, 2.30 p.m., afternoon clinical demonstration.

MANCHESTER MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Large Anatomy Theatre, Medical School, Manchester University, 4.30 p.m., University Lecture on the History of Medicine by Dr. A. Morgan Jones: Dogma and Experiment in Harvey's Time.

NUFFIELD ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRE.—At Wingfield-Morris Orthopaedic Hospital, 8.30 p.m., Mr. J. Charnley: Arthrodesis of the Hip in Three Weeks.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON.—5 p.m., Bradshaw Lecture by Dr. W. Phillips: Disintegrative Action of the Nervous System.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—5 p.m., Robert Jones Lecture by Mr. S. A. S. Malkin: Conquest of Disability.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL.—5.15 p.m., Dr. T. H. Whittington: Aspects of Refraction Work—(5) Myopia, and Myopic Patients.

ROYAL MEDICAL SOCIETY, EDINBURGH.—At Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, 7.15 for 7.30 p.m., presidents' annual dinner.

ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY.—At Physiology Department, Queen's College, Dundee, 5 p.m., Dr. Joan Taylor: Infective Bacterial Diarrhoea of Infants.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—5 p.m., Sir Paul Mallinson: psychiatry demonstration.

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES OF LONDON.—5 p.m., Dr. G. S. Wilson: B.C.G. Vaccination; 6.15 p.m., Dr. W. R. S. Doll: Present Knowledge of Causation of Cancer of the Lung.

Friday, November 9

●INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. G. B. Mitchell-Heggs: clinical demonstration.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST.—5 p.m., Dr. J. N. Pattinson: radiological demonstration.

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLGY.—3.30 p.m., clinical meeting for general practitioners. Dr. C. H. Edwards: Neuralgias and Headaches.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON.—10 a.m., Mr. J. E. A. O'Connell: Surgery of Intractable Pain; 9 a.m., Professor G. M. Bull: How to Pass Examinations Without Actually Cheating.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF EDINBURGH.—5 p.m., John Matheson Shaw Lecture by Dr. W. Ferguson Anderson: Care of the Elderly Sick in General Practice.

●ROYAL INSTITUTION.—9 p.m., Sir Charles Dodds, F.R.S.: Chemical Substances Influencing Mental and Physical Development.

ROYAL MEDICAL SOCIETY, EDINBURGH.—8 p.m., dissertation by Mr. T. R. McCall: medical education.

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY: FINE CHEMICALS GROUP.—At Chemistry Lecture Theatre, King's College, W.C., 7 p.m., Dr. F. Sanger: Chemistry of Insulin.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At No. 1 Lecture Theatre, 5.30 p.m., contraceptive technique. Lecture and film demonstration for final-year students from London Medical Schools.

WEST KENT MEDICO-CHIRURGICAL SOCIETY.—At Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, 8.30 p.m., Dr. B. A. Young: The New Diabetic Treatments.

Saturday, November 10

●SOCIALIST MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—At Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, W.C., 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., London Delegate Conference on Air Pollution: Smog—or Clean Air? Speakers include Dr. H. Joules, Dr. H. Price, and Dr. B. Stross.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

BIRTHS

Herriott.—On October 15, 1956, to Mary, wife of Dr. T. Dunn Herriott, of 2, Maidstone Road, London, N., a daughter, Janice Claire.

Menzies.—On October 8, 1956, at Vancouver, B.C., Canada, to Dr. Nanette Menzies (formerly Braster), wife of Dr. Albert Menzies, a sister for Heather and Anthea—Michèle Margaret.

Oldham.—On October 21, 1956, at the Carmarthen Maternity Unit, to Valerie (formerly Williams), wife of Dr. William Oldham, a sister for Catherine and Robert.

DEATHS

Baker.—On October 13, 1956, at the King Edward VII Hospital for Officers, Henry Searle Baker, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of 75, Lyttelton Road, London, N.

Cairns.—On October 15, 1956, at Albury House, Berwick-on-Tweed, Alexander Cairns, M.B., Ch.B.

Christie.—On October 10, 1956, at 15, Hill View Road, Cheltenham, Glos, Anaple Frances Mary Christie, M.B., B.S.

Drury.—On October 12, 1956, Godfrey Dru Drury, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of Corfe Castle, Dorset, aged 76.

Langmead.—On October 8, 1956, at the Lin'co Wing, St. Mary's Hospital, London, W., Olive Gertrude Mary Langmead, M.B., B.S.

Monroe.—On October 18, 1956, at The Elms, Davyhuile Road, Davyhuile, Lancs, James Monroe, M.B., Ch.B.

Pollard.—On October 17, 1956, at his home, Milber Down, Selwyn Road, Eastbourne, Sussex, Harold James Alexander Pollard, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

Rushbrook.—On October 19, 1956, at Redruth, Cornwall, Henry Martin Rushbrook, M.B., B.S.

Thoseby.—On October 18, 1956, at Kirkley, Crantock, Newquay, Cornwall, John Norman Lonsdale Thoseby, M.B., Ch.B.

White.—On September 26, 1956, at Queen Alexandra's Military Hospital, Millbank, London, S.W., Michael White, M.C., M.B., B.Ch., Lieutenant-Colonel, R.A.M.C., retired, of 17, Clarendon Road, Jersey, Channel Islands.

Whitehead.—On October 3, 1956, in hospital, Eleanor Murrian Whitehead, M.B., Ch.B., of "Moorate," Oxford Road, Gomersal, Leeds.

Wooler.—On October 3, 1956, in hospital, Ernest William Nowell Wooler, M.B., Ch.B., of Linden Lea, Plane Tree Road, Hale, Cheshire, formerly of Cleckheaton, Yorks.