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People in the News

Mr. Humphrey Arthur has been re-elected chairman of the Central Midwives Board. Professor Denis Cavanagh, of St. Louis University School of Medicine, Missouri, U.S.A., who qualified at Glasgow University in 1952, has been appointed to the chair of obstetrics and gynaecology at the University of Tasmania.

COMING EVENTS

St. George's Hospital and South-west Metropolitan Orthopaedic Training Scheme.—Details of the summer teaching programme, May-July, are obtainable from the librarian, postgraduate centre, St. James's Hospital, Sarsfield Road, London S.W.12. (Tel. 01-672 1222, extn. 342).

Liverpool University Joint Committee for Regional Postgraduate Medical Education.—Details of the lunchtime meetings for general practitioners at Clatterbridge and St. Catherine's Hospitals, May-June, are obtainable from the group secretary, Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, Wirral, Cheshire L63 4JY.

Association for the Study of Infectious Diseases.—Spring meeting, 7-8 May, Taunton, jointly with Society of Medical Officers of Health Fever Hospital Medical Services Group. Details from Dr. J. P. Anderson, Somerset Postgraduate Centre, Musgrove Park Hospital, Taunton, Somerset.

Gwent Postgraduate Medical Centre.—Day psychiatric symposium, 15 May. Details of this and of the programme for May are obtainable from the Postgraduate Office, Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, NPT 2UB, Mon.

Society for Drug Research.—Symposium, "Horizons in Drug Research," 19 May, 2.30 p.m., Pharmaceutical Society, London W.C.1. Fee £1. Applications to Dr. Alma B. Simmonds, Chelsea College, Manresa Road, London S.W.3. (Tel. 01-352 6421.)

Association of Medical Records Officers.—National conference, 24-28 May, Rothesay, Isle of Bute, Scotland. Details from Mr. K. J. C. White, Medical Records Officer, Western Infirmary, Glasgow W.1.

M.R.C.O.G. Course.—1-12 June, West Middlesex Hospital. Details from Mr. C. W. F. Burnett, department of obstetrics and gynaecology, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middx. (Tel. 01-560 2121, extn. 284.)

SOCIETIES AND LECTURES

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

Monday, 26 April

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOTOLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Combined staff consultation clinical meeting. ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—4.30 p.m., Professor J. R. Vane: Role of Lungs in Activation, Release and Inactivation of Vasoactive Hormones.

Tuesday, 27 April

INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY.—At Hammersmith Hospital, 2 p.m., Dr. L. Poller: Coagulation Defects, Pregnancy and the Pill; 3 p.m., Dr. J. Boyd: Epidemiology of Cervical Cancer; 4.30 p.m., Dr. G. Joplin: Thyroid Disease in Pregnancy. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London, S.W.)*

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL COLLEGE.—5 p.m., Mr. G. D. Pinker: Clinical Aspects of Hormone Therapy in Gynaecology.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—4.30 p.m., Dr. G. A. H. Miller: Massive Pulmonary Embolism.

Wednesday, 28 April

INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY.—At Chelsea Hospital for Women, 2 p.m., Mr. F. Denny: Aetiology and Treatment of Dysmenorrhoea. (Admission by ticket only, obtainable from Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, London, S.W.)*

INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY.—5.30 p.m., Professor D. Pond: Mental Health of Doctors and Scientists.

KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL.—At postgraduate centre, 8.30 p.m., Dr. Wallace Brigden: Principles of Electrocardiography.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—11.45 a.m., clinicopathological conference by Professor W. M. Thurlbeck (McGill University): Airways Obstruction; 2 p.m., Dr. G. R. Fearnley: Fibrinolysis in Haemostatic Disorders; 4.30 p.m., Dr. J. Gilson: Recent Developments in Occupational Diseases of the Lung.

Thursday, 29 April

DUNDEE UNIVERSITY.—5 p.m., Professor G. Mathé (Paris): Aspects on Immunotherapy.

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Medical Society of London, 8.15 p.m., Dr. L. Hurwitz: From Moses to Moses—a Neurologist's Anecdotal Journey.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—5.30 p.m., Earl King memorial lecture by Professor G. J. Popjak, F.R.S.: New Aspects of Sterol Biosynthesis.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—5.15 p.m., Mr. D. W. Warrell: Diagnosis of Cause of Urinary Incontinence in Women.

WESTMINSTER MEDICAL SCHOOL.—5.15 p.m., Professor M. D. Milne: clinicopathological conference.

Friday, 30 April

BROOK GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON.—2 p.m., Professor P. E. Polani: Some errors of Sex Determination and Differentiation in Man.

MEDICAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF VENEREAL DISEASES.—At 11 Chandos Street, London, W.1, 7.30 p.m., symposium: Gonorrhoea.

NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE REGIONAL NEUROLOGICAL CENTRE.—At Newcastle General Hospital, 5.30 p.m., Dr. M. Banna: Spinal Cord Tumours in Children.

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—11 a.m., Dr. K. Henry: Thymus in Myasthenia Gravis.

APPOINTMENTS

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UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

EDINBURGH

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The title of Sir William Collins professor of anatomy has been conferred on Professor R. M. H. McMinn in respect of his post at the Institute of Basic Medical Sciences.

The title of reader in experimental pathology has been conferred on Dr. A. E. M. McLean in respect of his post at University College Hospital Medical School.

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M.R.C.P.I.—D. F. Abbott, J. M. Blankson, P. V. D'Arcy, A. J. M. X. Kerrigan, J. B. Masterson, E. T. O'Brien, R. S. Shetty, Clara M. Slattery, E. C. Sweeney, S. Fook-Leung Wong (*in absentia*).

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CORRECTION

Treatment of Malaria

In the article by Professor W. Peters on "Treatment of Malaria" (10 April, p. 95), the second sentence of the second paragraph of "Individual Prophylaxis" should read "They thus provide good clinical protection by suppressing parasitaemia but do not act as causal prophylactics," and not "casual prophylactics." The sixth sentence of the same paragraph should read "Side effects of the 4-aminoquinolines are uncommon in adults" and not "of the aminoquinoline." In the second paragraph in the section on "Drug-resistant *Falciparum Malaria*" the reference to the potentiation of pyrimethamine and sulphadoxine should be no. 50 and not no. 51. The sixth sentence in this paragraph should read "Trimethoprim 500 mg + sulphalene 750 mg" and not "sulphalene SLZ MW."

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