

Seminars at B.M.A. House

A seminar on "Sport and Sport Injuries," under the chairmanship of Dr. Roger Bannister, will be held at B.M.A. House, London, on Friday, 10 May, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For details see advertisement on page xiv.

Travel and Health

A 10-page leaflet giving advice on vaccination requirements for visits to various countries, where to be vaccinated and how long the protection lasts, prophylaxis against some common diseases, and reminders about costs of medical treatment abroad has been issued by the health departments of the United Kingdom and the Central Office of Information. *Health Protection: Notice to Travellers*, is available from H.M.S.O. free of charge.

C.I.O.M.S. Calender

The 1974 edition of the Council for International Organizations of Medical Sciences' *Calender of Congresses of Medical Sciences* is now available. It lists the international and regional medical congresses to be held during the current and succeeding years, giving for each the type, date, and place of the congresses, as well as the names and addresses of the organizers. It is available from C.I.O.M.S. c/o World Health Organization, 1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland. Price SFr. 8.

Health Centre Design

The Scottish Home and Health Department has published a design guide for health centres in Scotland. The guide contains mainly technical information on the principles and requirements of a health centre, including construction, lighting and ventilation, consulting accommodation, and furniture and equipment. It will be of interest to doctors, nurses, dentists, social workers, and other professionals concerned with primary health care. Price £1.10.

Fellowships in Haemophilia

The World Federation of Hemophilia is offering travelling fellowships to the value of \$3,000 for doctors who want to carry out research projects or take a particular training at one of the 19 International Hemophilia Training Centres throughout the world. Further details are obtainable from the Secretariat, World Federation of Hemophilia, Suite 806, 1420 St-Mathieu, Montreal, 108, Canada, or Professor P. M. Mannucci, Chairman I.H.T.C Committee, via Pace 15, 20122 Milano, Italy. The closing date for applications is 30 June 1974.

Cancer Research in Liverpool

The North West Cancer Research Fund has just given a further £25,000 for cancer research to the University of Liverpool. A total of £100,000 for the session 1974-5 has been given to the university by the fund. In addition, the fund is to give £1,200 to the Cancer Research Library this year—£400 more than last year.

COMING EVENTS

Glasgow Orthopaedic Training Programme.—Copies and details of the programme, 6 April—15 June, are obtainable from the University Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Western Infirmary, Glasgow G11 6NT.

Association of Anaesthetists of Great Britain and Ireland.—Annual scientific meeting for junior anaesthetists, 17-19 April, Sussex University, Brighton. Details and application forms from the secretary, Association of Anaesthetists, Room 475, Tavistock House South, Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9JP. (Tel. 01-387 4782.)

Royal College of General Practitioners Wessex Faculty.—Spring general meeting and symposium, "Progress in Care," 19-21 April, Southampton General Hospital. Details from the administrative secretary, R.C.G.P., 14 Princes Gate, Hyde Park, London SW7 1PU. (Tel. 01-584 6262.)

Royal College of Physicians of London.—Clinicopathological conference, 25 April, 2.30 p.m., open to all medical practitioners. Clinical data may be obtained in advance from the college, 11 St. Andrew's Place, Regent's Park, London NW1 4LE.

International Association of Bronchopneumology.—International congress, 25-27 April, Naples. Applications for details should be made by express post to Professor E. Catena, Clinica Tisiologica, Ospedale "Principi di Piemonte," Camaldoli, Naples 80131, Italy.

Wanstead Hospital.—Day postgraduate course, "Rheumatology," 2 May, 11 a.m. Details from Dr. D. L. Woolf, Department of Rheumatology and Rehabilitation, Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, London E11 1DA. (Tel. 01-989 0081.)

Royal Medical Benevolent Fund.—Annual general meeting, 9 May, 4.30 p.m., preceded by annual meeting of guilds at 2.30 p.m., Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, London N.W.1.

M.R.C.Psych. and D.P.M.—Revision course, 10-12 May, Brookwood Hospital, Woking, Surrey. For details see advertisement on page xv.

12th International Congress on Diseases of the Chest.—7-12 July, Royal Festival Hall, London, sponsored by the International Academy of Chest Physicians and Surgeons and the American College of Chest Physicians. For details see advertisement on page xii.

Wirral Postgraduate Medical Centre.—Copies and details of the summer term programme are obtainable from the clinical tutor, Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, Wirral Cheshire L63 4JY. (Tel. 051-334 4000.)

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, 8 April

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—4.30 p.m., Erasmus Wilson demonstration by Professor J. R. Hobbs: Hormone Dependence of the Individual Carcinoma.

Tuesday, 9 April

INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. D. G. Potts (New York): Cerebrospinal Fluid Absorption.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL COLLEGE.—5 p.m., Mr. J. C. Ballantyne: Deafness due to Drugs.

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

OXFORD

Dr. J. G. G. Ledingham has been appointed to the May readership in medicine and to a professorial fellowship at New College.

LONDON

Dr. S. J. Wyard, reader in physics at Guy's Hospital Medical School, has been appointed to the chair of physics applied to medicine tenable at that school.

The title of professor of oncology has been conferred on Dr. J. G. Azzopardi in respect of his post at the Royal Postgraduate Medical School.

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The title of professor of metabolic medicine has been conferred on Dr. R. D. Cohen in respect of his post at the London Hospital Medical College.

The title of professor of rheumatology has been conferred on Dr. H. L. F. Currey in respect of his post at the London Hospital Medical College.

The title of professor of forensic medicine has been conferred on Dr. A. K. Mant in respect of his post at Guy's Hospital Medical School.

Dr. J. E. Lennard-Jones has been appointed to the readership in medicine tenable at the London Hospital Medical College.

The title of reader in blood group serology has been conferred on Dr. Barbara E. Dodd in respect of her post at the London Hospital Medical College.

The title of reader in experimental rheumatology has been conferred on Dr. V. Eisen in respect of his post at the Middlesex Medical School.

MANCHESTER

On 10 July the honorary degree of M.A. will be conferred on Dr. G. M. Komrower, senior physician, Royal Manchester Children's Hospital.

Appointments.—Dr. B. R. Tulloch (senior lecturer in medicine), Dr. C. White (lecturer in medicine).

BIRMINGHAM

Appointment.—Dr. D. A. Heath (senior lecturer, department of medicine).

APPOINTMENTS

NATIONAL HOSPITALS FOR NERVOUS DISEASES.—Dr. P. Rudge (consultant neurologist, jointly with Northwick Park Hospital).

NORTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—Dr. M. S. Lipsedge (consultant psychiatrist, Hackney group); Dr. Mary A. Rossiter (consultant paediatrician, Enfield group); Dr. K. J. Jarvis (consultant histopathologist, Enfield group); Dr. S. Lavender (consultant general physician, Colchester and District group); Mr. B. F. Beveridge (consultant ophthalmologist, Regional Eye Centre, Whips Cross Hospital); Dr. M. J. Bendall (consultant physician in geriatric medicine, Colchester and District group); Mr. R. Lang Pell (consultant traumatic and orthopaedic surgeon, Thames group); Mr. B. B. Obeng (consultant obstetrician and gynaecologist, Ilford and District group); Mr. A. D. H. Gardner (consultant orthopaedic surgeon, South Essex group); Dr. N. Baloch (consultant psychiatrist, Colchester and District group); Dr. J. E. Adamson (consultant dermatologist, Forest group); Mr. R. M. Jeffery (consultant surgeon, South Essex group); Dr. P. R. M. Ernst (consultant in charge, accident and emergency department, South Essex group).

WESSEX REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD.—Dr. J. C. Dobie (consultant pathologist, Portsmouth and Isle of Wight groups); Dr. G. M. Sterling (consultant physician with special interest in thoracic medicine); Dr. G. H. A. Tate (consultant psychiatrist, Knowle group); Dr. K. Woodcock (consultant venereologist, Southampton University group).

Corrections

Dr. Ian Murray

We regret that because of typographical error the designation P.R.C.P.Ed. appeared in the title of the obituary of the late Dr. Ian Murray (30 March, p. 646). This should have read F.R.C.P.Ed. In the sixth line of the second column "completely without affection" should have read "completely without affectation."

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