

were re-elected for the year 1974-5: *president*, Professor S. D. M. Court; *honorary treasurer*, Professor Charlotte M. Anderson; *honorary secretary*, Dr. B. M. Laurence; *honorary assistant secretaries*, Dr. A. D. M. Jackson and Dr. S. R. Meadow.

New Chair at Liverpool

Mr. James Lister, consultant paediatric surgeon to the Sheffield Area Health Authority (Teaching), has been appointed to a new



chair of paediatric surgery established by the University of Liverpool. Mr. Lister, who is 51, was educated at St. Paul's School and graduated M.B., Ch.B. Edinburgh in 1945. After service in the R.N.V.R. he held, successively, registrar appointments in surgery at the

Royal Infirmary and Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Edinburgh, at Shotley Bridge General Hospital, and in the teaching hospitals of Dundee. After a year in the University of Colorado Medical School as a Halstead research Fellow, Mr. Lister was appointed in 1960 the first senior lecturer in paediatric surgery at the Institute of Child Health, with honorary consultant appointments at the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, and the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London. He took up his present appointment in Sheffield in 1963.

People in the News

Lord Hill of Luton has been elected chairman of council of the Chest and Heart Association.

COMING EVENTS

Institute of Health Service Administrators.—Annual conference, 11-13 June, in conjunction with International Hospital and Health Services Exhibition, 11-14 June, Earls Court, London. Details from the secretary, I.H.S.A., 75 Portland Place, London W1N 4AN. (Tel. 01-580 5041.)

Faculty of Radiologists.—Annual meeting, 21-22 June, Royal College of Surgeons of England. Details from the secretary, Faculty of Radiologists, at Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN. (Tel. 01-636 4432.)

Royal College of Psychiatrists.—Annual meeting, 2 July at Tavistock Clinic, 3-4 July at Royal Institute of British Architects. Details from the secretary of the college, Chandos House, Queen Anne Street, London W1M 9LE. (Tel. 01-580 2782.)

20th British Congress of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.—3-5 July, Royal Festival Hall, London. Details and application forms from the congress secretary, R.C.O.G., 27 Sussex Place, Regent's Park, London NW1 4RG. (Tel. 01-262 5425.)

British Student Health Association.—Annual conference, 8-12 July, Reading University. Fee £37 (inclusive). Details and application forms from the conference secretary, Mrs. J. C. Robinson, University Health Centre, Northcourt Avenue, Reading, RG2 7HE, Berks. (Tel. 0734 84551.)

1st World Conference on Medical Informatics.—5-10 August 1974, Stockholm, sponsored by the International Federation for Information Process-

ing. Details from Medinfo 74, Box 1230, S-17124 Solna 1, Sweden.

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, 10 June

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—4.30 p.m., Mr. R. K. Blach: Oculocutaneous Disease.

Tuesday, 11 June

LONDON UNIVERSITY.—At Institute of Child Health, 5.30 p.m., Dr. A. L. Herbst (Harvard University): Stilboestrol-induced Vaginal Cancer in Adolescents.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—At Cambridge University anatomy lecture theatre (Downing Street site), 3.30 p.m., Arris and Gale lecture by F. D. Skidmore: Development of Right Outflow Tract and Pulmonary Arterial Supply; 5 p.m., Hunterian lecture by Professor M. Slapak: Fulminant Hepatic Failure—a Clinical and Experimental Study.

WESTMINSTER MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Page Street lecture theatre, 5.15 p.m., clinicopathological conference by Dr. F. Toplin.

Wednesday, 12 June

EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY.—At medical school, 5 p.m., MacArthur postgraduate lecture by Professor O. Eranko (Helsinki): Histochemical Observations on Catecholamines in Sympathetic Ganglia *in vivo* and *in vitro*.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY.—4.30 p.m., Dr. R. D. Catterall: Cutaneous Manifestations of Sexually Transmitted Diseases.

INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY.—5.30 p.m., Dr. R. Levy: Antipsychiatry and Anti-antipsychiatry. ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—2 p.m., Dr. G. Stirling: Amyloidosis.

Thursday, 13 June

ABERDEEN UNIVERSITY.—5 p.m., Professor J. G. Scadding: History and Definition of Sarcoidosis.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.—At Institute of Ophthalmology, 3 p.m., Ederidge-Green lecture by Dr. R. W. G. Hunt: Colour Television, an Imitation of the Human Visual System. ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL SCHOOL.—5.15 p.m., Dr. R. R. Willcox: Some Aspects of Sexually Transmitted Disease.

Friday, 14 June

ROYAL POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL.—11 a.m., Mr. P. Hawley: Collagenase.

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

CAMBRIDGE

Dr. B. M. Herbertson has been appointed reader in morbid anatomy and histology.

Ph.D.—*In the Faculty of Medicine*: R. J. Thompson.

LONDON

Dr. H. Gaya, consultant bacteriologist, Hammersmith Hospital, and honorary lecturer in the department of bacteriology, Royal Postgraduate Medical School, has been appointed to the readership in bacteriology tenable at St. Mary's Hospital Medical School.

The title of professor of microbial biochemistry has been conferred on Dr. Patricia H. Clarke in respect of her post at University College.

The title of professor of medicine has been conferred on Dr. M. A. Floyer in respect of his post at the London Hospital Medical College.

The title of reader in epidemiological psychiatry has been conferred on Dr. A. B. Cooper in respect of his post at the Institute of Psychiatry.

The title of reader in obstetric therapeutics has been conferred on Mr. D. F. Hawkins in respect of his post at the Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.

The title of reader in experimental pathology has been conferred on Dr. R. Marian Hicks in respect of her post at the Middlesex Hospital Medical School.

The title of reader in experimental psychopathology has been conferred on Dr. I. M. Marks in respect of his post at the Institute of Psychiatry.

The title of reader in anatomy has been conferred on Dr. K. E. Webster in respect of his post at University College.

M.D.—D. J. Allison, Rosemary S. Lever.

Ph.D.—*In the Faculty of Medicine*: D. P. G. Bolton, T. Hardarson, Ann R. Holmes, P. F. Mitchell-Heggs, S. Moncada.

M.Sc.—*In the Faculty of Medicine*: J. O. Ashong, Mary Griffiths.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNAECOLOGISTS

At an extraordinary meeting of the council of the college held on 29 May, with the president, Professor S. G. Clayton, in the chair, the following were admitted:

FELLOWS *ad eundem*.—Dr. Elinor C. Hamlin (Ethiopia), Professor Raoul Palmer (France).

FELLOWS.—A. J. Abraham, A. G. Amias, Mary M. Anderson, Jean L. Baker, J. D. Begg, S. K. Bhattacharjee, R. T. Booth, Audrey A. Boutwood, H. A. Brant, J. Breeze, G. R. Clare, J. B. Comerford, I. D. Cooke, J. K. Craig, G. H. H. Dwyer, Mary G. Eldridge, Jill M. Evans, A. S. Falconer, R. J. Fothergill, C. W. Gale, R. F. R. Gardner, A. Gillespie, K. K. Giri, A. G. Gordon, Marie P. S. Grant, Patricia M. Grenfell, J. L. Harrington, C. N. Haynes, E. L. Holland, J. K. Houston, E. J. Kohorn, F. E. Loeffler, Wendy E. Love, J. A. McGarry, J. L. Marcus, H. A. H. Melville, S. Muscat, L. J. O'Brien, D. O'Sullivan, Heather M. Pantou, Parsooramen Paratani, Ethel Pereira, K. D. Printer, E. H. Ritchie, E. M. Southern, D. B. Spanton, R. V. Stephenson, V. R. Tindall, J. Vernon-Parry, D. J. Walters, Mary R. Webster, Dorothy J. Whitney, A. C. Wilson, R. Yule, E. G. Zacks, I. E. Cary, C. S. Dawn, P. B. Guastalla, J. G. O'Sullivan, F. D. Adey, J. M. Barrett, P. J. Beardall, G. K. Bernays, Gytha Betheras, D. C. G. Bracken, E. J. Brown, J. G. Bunney, G. D. D. Cable, P. L. Candler, Enid M. Carey, Biman K. Chakrabarty, Sin Giap Chua, G. L. Clarke, A. G. S. Dassenaik, R. M. Davie, K. I. Digwood, D. J. Dooley, J. A. G. Dunlop, R. P. Dyer, Helen E. Farrar, F. G. Favaloro, P. H. Foote, R. W. Forman, B. N. Foy, K. E. Free, W. T. Gallagher, H. Glietenberg, J. B. Gnanapragasam, G. H. Harris, J. D. Hehir, J. B. Hemsley, R. F. Hutchings, Pun Shui Kan, H. A. Kelsey, G. A. Lewis, Wai Chee Li, R. H. Lumer, H. McVey, M. Mahran, J. G. Markus, J. M. Miller, J. J. Morrissey, B. R. Neill, R. J. Ostolowsky, W. H. Patterson, D. W. Pfanner, Indira Ramamurthi, E. S. Rogers, Yvonne M. Salmon, H. H. A. Sauer, J. A. Shanks, H. J. Solomon, G. R. Thoms, Mary A. T. Tolley, Molly E. Towell, Margaret B. Wagner, E. Yenson.

FACULTY OF RADIOLOGISTS

The following candidates were successful in the April examination for the F.F.R.:

D. J. Allison, Ranji Amin, A. B. Ayers, Barbara M. Backhouse, Ann Barrett, G. J. Barton, M. Behan, Joan D. Brookshaw, L. B. Cannell, T. M. H. Chakera, B. Chatterji, T. P. Connolly, B. J. Cummings, S. Field, P. Fielden, O. P. Fitzgerald-Finch, Merennage S. I. Fonseca, J. French, E. B. Garner, J. D. Gray, M. G. E. Greensmith, D. W. Gregory, J. M. Hallinan, G. Harverson, Luena H. Hatcher, P. J. Hornblow, N. S. Jamshir, Carole A. Jones, G. R. M. Jones, Sonia E. Jones, M. J. Kellett, T. Khalid, S. Kisumbi, Dara M. Kooka, C. D. Krasner, B. C. Lee, Rosalie P. Loynes, J. C. Lynch, E. C. Martin, J. B. Masterson, Vijita L. B. Nikapota, Akinsanya A. Obisesan, J. D. O'Connell, A. W. O'Malley, M. J. Ostrowski, Eleanor M. O'Sullivan, R. M. Raxton, J. Rees, J. F. Reidy, Sylvia Rimmer, D. Rose, Kamla J. Shah, S. K. Shrivastava, Joan E. Simons, P. R. Thomas, P. Verow, A. A. Warner, I. Watt, Susan V. Whitaker.

Corrections

General Medical Services Committee

In connexion with the report of Dr. B. L. Alexander's comments on general practitioners' pay in the recent General Medical Services Committee meeting (*Supplement*, 1 June, p. 82) it has been pointed out that the Durham Local Medical Committee has not proposed a 50% increase. Such a proposal has been made, however, by an L.M.C. in a motion to the Annual L.M.C. Conference to be held on 12 and 13 June.

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