

People in the News

Dr. A. E. Mourant, F.R.S., is this year's recipient of the Karl Landsteiner award. The award is given annually by the American Association of Blood Banks to a person internationally renowned in immunohaematology, and commemorates the discoverer of the ABO blood groups, who received a Nobel prize for his work in 1930. Since 1965 Dr. Mourant has been director of the M.R.C.'s Serological Population Genetics Laboratory.

Mr. Lipmann Kessel has been appointed director of clinical studies and consultant orthopaedic surgeon at the institute of Orthopaedics and the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital. The post was created jointly by the two institutions and involves charge of a new clinical unit in the hospital as well as training and education programmes.

Dr. Evan Fletcher, physician-in-charge, cardiovascular unit, Belfast City Hospital, has been appointed professor of cardiology at Texas University Medical School, Texas Medical Centre, Houston, for the year 1973-4.

COMING EVENTS

Summer School on Alcoholism.—1-7 September, Brighton. Details from the secretary of the School, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London SE5 8AZ. (Tel. 01-703 6333, extn. 40.)

9th British Congress on the History of Medicine.—4-8 September, South Wales. Details and application forms from the honorary secretary of the congress, British Society for the History of Medicine, Wellcome Institute, 183 Euston Road, London NW1 2BP.

6th International Conference on Alcohol, Drugs, and Traffic Safety.—8-13 September 1974, Toronto. Details from the conference programme chairman, Dr. W. S. Schmidt, 33 Russell Street, Toronto, Canada M5S 2S1.

Anglo German Medical Society.—Annual conference, 26-29, September, Oxford. For details see advertisement on page

British Association of Manipulative Medicine.—Symposium, "New Views of the Spine," 21 October, London N.W.1. For details see advertisement on page

Wirral Postgraduate Centre.—Details of lectures and meetings, September to April, are obtainable from Dr. J. A. Aitken, Clinical Tutor, Wirral Postgraduate Centre, Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, Wirral, Cheshire, L63 4JY. (Tel. 051-334 4000).

Medical Education Centre, Whipps Cross Hospital.—Details of the autumn programme, September-December, are obtainable from the Secretary, Medical Education Centre, Whipps Cross Hospital, London, E11 1NR. (Tel. 01-539 5522, extn. 310).

UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

GLASGOW
M.D.—Kenneth C. Calman (with honours).

LONDON
The title of reader in obstetrics and gynaecology has been conferred on Mr. S. J. Steele in respect of his post at the Middlesex Hospital Medical School.

LIVERPOOL
Appointments.—Dr. J. N. Johnson (lecturer in anatomy); Dr. W. Taylor (lecturer in pathology).

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF LONDON

At a quarterly meeting of the college held on 26 July, with the president, Dr. C. A. Clarke, F.R.S., in the chair, Sir Melville Arnott, Dr. P. R. Evans, Dr. S. Oram, Dr. J. Badenoch, Dr. C. A. Young, Dr. R. D. Tonkin and Dr. J. D. N. Nabarro were elected to the council.

Dr. N. D. Compston was re-elected treasurer. Sir Kenneth Robson was re-elected registrar. Dr. C. E. Newman was re-elected Harveian librarian. Dr. P. A. J. Ball was re-elected assistant registrar. Dame Albertine Winner was re-elected Linacre Fellow.

The following appointments and re-appointments were approved:

On the recommendation of council, Dr. R. M. Mayon-White as college nominee on the Joint Consultants Committee.

Dame Albertine Winner as college representative on the governing body of the British Postgraduate Medical Federation.

The award of the Baly medal for 1973 to Dr. E. Horton was announced.

The following were elected and admitted as Members of the College:

N. Islam, D. Mansel-Jones, D. L. Miller, B. C. Morson.

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H.M. FORCES

ROYAL NAVY

Surgeon Commanders M. C. H. Jackson, F. M. Kinsman and P. F. Toal to be Surgeon Captains.

ARMY

Lieutenant-Colonels C. W. Bowen, R. D. H. Parker and D. S. Paton, from R.A.M.C., to be Colonels.

Corrections

Women Doctors' Pensions

We regret that an error occurred in a letter from Dr. Mary Duguid (14 July, p. 111). In the fifth line of the second paragraph the word "prevent" should read "present."

Pulseless Disease

In the case report of "Pulseless Disease Presenting with Isolated Abducens Nerve Palsy and Recurrent Cutaneous Angiitis" (7 July, 1973 p. 27) the name of the first author should have been given as R. Amnuellaph not P. Amnuellaph.

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