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Mr. O. M. SYMONS, sub-librarian of the Penzance Library, Cornwall, informs us that that library has on its shelves the *British Medical Journal* from volume i, 1861, to 1908. He asks whether there is any institution or society to whom the volumes would be of interest.

Income Tax

Car Allowance

"C. R. W. L." owned two cars the written-down values of which at April, 1935, were £72 and £198=£270. He sold them for £244, and bought a new car on May 15th, 1935, for £324. He ceased general practice on July 15th. What can he claim?

** Assuming that he is entitled to an adjustment of the 1935-6 assessment, in so far as it applies to the period April 5th to July 15th, he can claim as a professional expense of that period £270 - £244 = £26 as an "obsolescence" allowance. So far as "depreciation" is concerned he will have received an allowance for 1935-6, and that will remain, but subject to restriction to the period to July 15th, 1935. The right to the "adjustment" referred to above will arise: (a) if he was in sole practice, and (b) if he was in partnership, and the past and present partners combine with him in electing to have the practice regarded as having ceased and recommenced as at July 15th, 1935.

Car Expenses

"G. M. L." refers to a suggestion made seven or eight years ago that £250 was a reasonable amount to charge for running a car. The inspector of taxes now states that £150 is regarded as adequate.

** Taking into account the greatly reduced cost of a car suitable for normal work, and consequently the reduced annual depreciation, it must probably be agreed that a smaller charge for car expenses is due than was the case eight years ago. At the same time circumstances differ so much between practices that any attempt to suggest a proper annual charge might be misleading. We suggest that "G. M. L." can probably obtain a better estimate of the average running costs of his car from his garage manager than we could give him. Depreciation should be excluded and claimed separately, and, of course, a deduction will have to be made for private use.

Foreign Resident—Dividends

"L.M. & S." lives permanently in India, and derives income from Great Britain and Northern Ireland in the form of dividends from which United Kingdom income tax is deducted. What claim can he make for repayment?

** Residence outside the United Kingdom does not confer exemption in respect of income arising within the country. But under Section 24 of the Finance Act of 1920 a British subject residing abroad is entitled to the usual allowances in the ratio that his total income bears to the British income. Thus if "L.M. & S.'s" British income is one-fifth of his total income, he can claim repayment up to tax on one-fifth of the statutory allowances. He should apply for the appropriate form of claim to Chief Inspector of Taxes (Foreign Claims), Cornwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E.1.

Board and Lodging of Maid

"J. P." was allowed a deduction of £52 under the above head in a former practice. The inspector of taxes now dealing with his assessment refused to allow more than £30, but on representations being made to headquarters a compromise of £40 has been agreed. "J. P." would like to know definitely what amount he is entitled to deduct.

** There is no "definite" amount, because the correct sum is determined by the actual expenditure, and that differs widely according to locality, the standard of food and comfort supplied, and, presumably, economy of household management. £52 is a not uncommon amount allowed, but the only way of proving any particular claim is to ascertain the total expenditure and show what is the appropriate allocation to the domestic staff.

LETTERS, NOTES, ETC.

Treatment of Pneumonia

Dr. H. M. BERNCASTLE (South Croydon) writes: I am diffident about making the following statement because it appears so obvious and simple. Pneumococci being aerobic and facultative anaerobes, the giving of oxygen as treatment is tantamount to feeding them on what they need and helping them to increase and multiply. I am constrained to make this comment on oxygen treatment by a case I had fairly recently. A strong, healthy woman about 30 was reported to me by my senior assistant colleague as having pneumonia. I examined, and agreed with the diagnosis—a small area of consolidation at the left angle of the scapula with classical symptoms. My colleague, who was right up to date with modern treatment, suggested early oxygen; to this I agreed, and it was duly given. The patient was dead within three days, and, post mortem, I have never seen a more massive double pneumonia. I cannot remember ever seeing a case of pneumonia which came to the oxygen stage ever recovering, but of course it eases the symptoms of distress and it is a great comfort to relatives to see it being given. I have it in my mind that early treatment with CO₂ gas would be a more logical line to take. I have recently heard of an experiment in which a squad of men were kept in a sealed room for twelve hours without suffering any particular discomfort, although matches would not light in the room at the end of the experiment owing to the CO₂ gas present. As we have no specific for pneumonia of any distinct value, I suggest that investigation on the above lines might prove of interest. Older practitioners will remember cases of wonderful crises and recoveries without any complications when the hygienic conditions for nursing were as bad as they could be and fresh air religiously excluded.

Red Cross Day

Lord EBBISHAM writes: As chairman of the Appeals Committee of the British Red Cross Society I should like to be permitted to draw the attention of your readers to Red Cross Day, held on the anniversary of Florence Nightingale's birthday, Tuesday, May 12th. The work of the British Red Cross Society has expanded continuously since the great war, and its activities at home and abroad are in urgent need of support. In England the society has over 25,000 members helping the suffering, the helpless, the ignorant, and the injured. It has ambulances and first-aid stations all over the country, clinics for rheumatism and orthopaedic clinics, organization for blood transfusion, and dispensaries for hop pickers and herring fishers. At the request of the Government we have placed our organization at its disposal in connexion with the enrolment and training of personnel for anti-gas services, and in the task of instructing the general public in air raid precautions. Abroad the British Red Cross Society has two units in Abyssinia rendering aid to the Ethiopian sick and disabled. Red Cross Day is the one occasion during the year when the society can appeal to the man in the street to give generously to its work of mercy. I ask everyone to spare as much as he possibly can, and thus enable a record collection to be made on Red Cross Day—May 12th—in 1936.

Corrigenda

An error intruded into para. 237 of the *Epitome* in the issue of March 14th. The journal epitomized should have been denoted as *Il Policlinico*, Sez. Chir., January 15th, 1936, p. 1.

In Mr. R. T. Payne's article on treatment of varicose diseases of the lower limbs in our issue of May 2nd the word "removed" appeared for "reviewed" at the foot of column two of page 880. The sentence should have read: "All varicose vein cases should be reviewed, say, three months after the completion of injections."

Vacancies

Notifications of offices vacant in universities, medical colleges, and of vacant resident and other appointments at hospitals, will be found at pages 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 60, and 61 of our advertisement columns, and advertisements as to partnerships, assistantships, and locum tenencies at pages 58 and 59.

A short summary of vacant posts notified in the advertisement columns appears at page 978.

SURREY BRANCH: RICHMOND DIVISION.—At Richmond Royal Hospital, Friday, May 8th, 9 p.m. Annual meeting.

SUSSEX BRANCH: BRIGHTON DIVISION.—At Hove Town Hall, Thursday, May 14th, 8.30 p.m., Dr. E. Kaye Le Fleming (Chairman of Council): "The British Medical Association World Tour to Melbourne, 1925." Saturday, May 23rd, annual summer outing to Chichester Cathedral and Palace and St. Mary's Hospital.

SUSSEX BRANCH: WEST SUSSEX DIVISION.—At Burlington Hotel, Worthing, Wednesday, May 13th, 6 p.m., annual general meeting; election of officers. 7.30 p.m., dinner.

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MAY

- 8 Fri. Public Health Committee, 2 p.m.
- 12 Tues. Pathologists Group Committee, 9.30 a.m.
- 13 Wed. Hospitals Committee, 2 p.m.
- 14 Thurs. Insurance Acts Committee, 11.30 a.m.
- 15 Fri. Public Medical Services Subcommittee, 2.15 p.m.
- 19 Tues. Organization Committee, 2 p.m.
- 21 Thurs. Dominions Committee, 2.15 p.m.
- 29 Fri. Sir Charles Hastings Lecture Subcommittee, 2 p.m.
Conference with Society of Medical Officers of Health, 2.45 p.m.

JUNE

- 5 Fri. Journal Committee, 2.30 p.m.
- 10 Wed. Council, 10 a.m.
- 12 Fri. Scholarships and Grants Subcommittee, 2.30 p.m.

DIARY OF SOCIETIES AND LECTURES

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE

Section of Therapeutics and Pharmacology.—Tues., 5 p.m. Annual General Meeting. Election of Officers and Council for 1936-7. Papers by Prof. J. H. Gaddum, Estimation of Histamine in Blood; and Mr. R. Wein, Effect of Diet on Resistance to Drugs.

Section of Psychiatry.—Tues., 8.30 p.m. Annual General Meeting. Election of Officers and Council for 1936-7. Papers by Dr. E. Guttmann, Some Psychiatric Observations in Arterial Hypertension; Dr. R. F. Barbour, Bromide Intoxication; and Dr. W. Mayer-Gross, The Question of Optic Impairment in Constructional Apraxia.

Section of Surgery: Subsection of Proctology.—Wed., 5 p.m. Annual General Meeting. Election of Officers and Council for 1936-7. Discussion: Aetiology and Treatment of Fibrous Stricture of the Rectum (including Lymphogranuloma Inguinale). Openers, Dr. R. Bensaude, Dr. Marshall Findlay, Dr. P. H. Manson-Bahr, Mr. J. P. Lockhart-Mummery. 8 p.m., Annual Dinner of the Subsection at Langham Hotel, W.

Section of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.—Fri., 8 p.m. Annual General Meeting. Election of Officers and Council for 1936-7. Discussion on the motion: "That induction of premature labour should not play any part in the treatment of pelvic contraction or disproportion in primigravidae." Openers, Mr. Frederick Roques, Mr. Arnold Walker, and Mr. A. J. Wrigley (for the motion); Dr. Herbert R. Spencer and Mr. James Wyatt (against the motion). Other speakers, Mr. Everard Williams, Mr. G. W. Theobald, and Mr. Hastings Ince.

Section of Radiology.—Fri., 7 p.m. Annual General Meeting. Election of Officers and Council for 1936-7. 8.15 p.m., Annual Dinner of Section at Claridge's Hotel, W.

Section of History of Medicine.—Sat., Meeting at Bath by invitation of the Bath Spa Committee. 2.45 p.m., Demonstration of bathing establishment, old Roman baths, cross bath, modern bathing establishments, etc.; tea on terrace of Roman baths; visit to historical buildings in Bath. 7.45 p.m., Dinner at Guildhall. 9.30 p.m., Address by Dr. F. G. Thomson: Some Early Physicians at Bath and the Times they Lived In.

BRITISH INSTITUTE OF RADIOLOGY, 32, Welbeck Street, W.—Thurs., 6.30 p.m., Annual General Meeting. Fri., 11 a.m., Visit to Radium Institute, 16, Riding House Street, W.

BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY, 9, Chesham Street, S.W.—Fri., 5 p.m., Lecture on Air Raid Precautions.

HARVEIAN SOCIETY OF LONDON.—At 26, Portland Place, W., Thurs., 8.30 p.m. Discussion: Angina Pectoris. To be opened by Dr. Basil T. Parsons-Smith.

MEDICAL SOCIETY OF INDIVIDUAL PSYCHOLOGY, 11, Chandos Street, W.—Thurs., 8.30 p.m. Dr. Emanuel Miller: The Limits of Psychopathology.

MEDICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON, 11, Chandos Street, W.—Mon., 8 p.m., Annual General Meeting. 8.30 p.m., Annual Oration by Sir James Walton: Carcinoma of the Stomach. Followed by a conversazione.

NORTH LONDON MEDICAL AND CHIRURGICAL SOCIETY, Royal Northern Hospital, Holloway Road, N.—Fri., 8.30 p.m. Annual General Meeting and Dinner.

NORTH-WEST LONDON MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At Stroud Laboratories, National Cancer Research Fund, The Ridgeway, Mill Hill, N.W., Tues., 9 p.m. Dr. W. E. Gye: Recent Advances in Cancer Research.

PADDINGTON MEDICAL SOCIETY.—At St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, W., Tues., 9 p.m. Dr. James Mennell: Diagnosis and Treatment of Some Common Conditions for which Manipulative Treatment is Required.

ROYAL INSTITUTION, 21, Albemarle Street, W.—Fri., 9 p.m., Sir Richard Gregory, F.R.S.: Science in a Changing World—Recollections and Reflections.

SOUTH-WEST LONDON MEDICAL SOCIETY, Bolingbroke Hospital, Wandsworth Common, S.W.—Wed., 9 p.m. Discussion: Voluntary Euthanasia. To be opened by Mr. H. Samuelli and Dr. C. O. Hawthorne.

WEST KENT MEDICO-CHIRURGICAL SOCIETY.—At Chiesman's Restaurant, Lewisham, S.E., Thurs., 7.30 p.m., Reception; 8 p.m., Annual Dinner and Dance.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES AND LECTURES

BRITISH POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL, Ducane Road, W.—Daily, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Medical Clinics, Surgical Clinics or Operations, Obstetric and Gynaecological Clinics or Operations, Refresher Course for General Practitioners. Mon., 2.15 p.m., Dr. Duncan White, Radiological Demonstration; 3.30 p.m. Mr. Wilfred Shaw, Irregular Uterine Haemorrhage. Tues., 2 p.m., Prof. Kettle, Pathological Demonstration; 3 p.m., Dr. King, Phosphatase as a Test of Hepatic Function. Wed., 12 noon, Clinical and Pathological Conference (Medical); 2.30 p.m., Clinical and Pathological Conference (Surgical). Thurs., 2.30 p.m., Dr. W. S. C. Copeman, Arthritis; 2.30 p.m., Sir Henry Gauvain, Surgical Tuberculosis; 3 p.m., Operative Obstetrics. Fri., 2.15 p.m., Dr. A. A. Davis, Gynaecological Pathology.

FELLOWSHIP OF MEDICINE AND POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, 1, Wimpole Street, W.—Brompton Hospital, S.W.: All-day Course in Thoracic Surgery. St. John's Hospital, Lisle Street, W.C.: Afternoon Course in Dermatology. Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, S.E.: Afternoon Course in Psychological Medicine. Cancer Hospital, S.W.: Sat. and Sun., Course in General Surgery. Courses are open only to members and associates of the Fellowship of Medicine.

CENTRAL LONDON THROAT, NOSE AND EAR HOSPITAL, Gray's Inn Road, W.C.—Daily, Clinical Course for Part II of D.L.O. Examination.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Great Ormond Street, W.C.—Wed., 2 p.m., Clinical Lecture, Sir Lancelot Barrington-Ward, Hirschsprung's Disease; 3 p.m., Clinico-Pathological Lecture, Dr. W. W. Payne, Food Values, Normal and Special Diets. Out-patient Clinics, mornings, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Ward Visits, afternoons, 2 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

INSTITUTE OF PATHOLOGY AND RESEARCH, St. Mary's Hospital, W.—Tues., 5 p.m., Dr. J. E. McCartney, Control of Diphtheria in Hospital Wards.

KING'S COLLEGE, Strand, W.C.—Fri., 5 p.m., Prof. Henri Fredericq (Liège), The Laws of Excitation of the Autonomic Nervous Systems, with Reference to Chemical Mediators.

LONDON SCHOOL OF DERMATOLOGY, 5, Lisle Street, W.C.—Mon., 5 p.m., Dr. W. N. Goldsmith, Acneiform Eruptions. Tues., 5 p.m., Dr. H. C. G. Semon, Diseases of the Buccal Mucous Membrane. Thurs., 5 p.m., Dr. A. C. Roxburgh, Eczema. Fri., 5 p.m., Dr. W. Griffith, Bullous Eruptions.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY, 17, Bloomsbury Square, W.C.—Tues., Wed., and Thurs., 5.30 p.m., Prof. Arthur Stoll (Basle), Cardiac Glucosides.

ABERDEEN MEDICAL SCHOOL.—At Aberdeen Royal Infirmary: Tues., and Thurs., 3.15 p.m., Dr. A. W. Hendry and Mr. G. Gordon Bruce, Thyroid Gland.

BIRMINGHAM UNIVERSITY.—At Medical Faculty Buildings, Edmund Street: Thurs., 4 p.m., William Withering Lecture by Prof. W. W. C. Topley, F.R.S., The Practical Application of Antigen-Antibody Mechanisms in Diagnosis, Prophylaxis, and Treatment.

GLASGOW POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—At Victoria Infirmary: Wed., 4.15 p.m., Dr. W. Herbert Brown, Occupational Dermatoses.

MANCHESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY.—Tues., 4.15 p.m., Mr. E. D. Telford, Occlusive Disease of Peripheral Arteries. Fri., 4.15 p.m., Mr. A. H. Southam, Demonstration of Surgical Cases.

VACANCIES

ACCINGTON: VICTORIA HOSPITAL.—H.S. Salary £150 p.a.
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 LLANTISANT AND LLANTWIT FARDRE RURAL DISTRICT.—Medical Officer of Health. Salary £600-£25-£700 p.a.
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 MANCHESTER CITY.—(1) (a) Senior Consultant P., (b) two Consultant P.'s, (c) two Consultant S.'s, (d) two Consultant Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, (e) Consultant Orthopaedic S., (f) Consultant Aurist, and (g) two Anaesthetists, at Crumpsall Hospital. (2) (h) Senior Consultant P., (i) two Consultant P.'s, (j) Senior Consultant S., (k) two Consultant S.'s, (l) two Consultant Obstetricians and Gynaecologists, (m) Consultant Ophthalmologist, (n) Consultant Aurist, (o) Consultant Dermatologist, (p) Radiologist, and (q) three Anaesthetists, at Withington Hospital. (3) (r) Two Consultant P.'s, (s) Consultant Aurist, and (t) Anaesthetist, at Booth Hall Hospital. Salaries of (a), (h), (i), £400 p.a. each, (b), (c), (d), (j), (k), (l), (r), £300 p.a. each, (e), (f), (g), (m), (p), (q), (s), (t), £250 p.a. each, and (n), (o), £125 p.a. each.
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 MANCHESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY.—Hon. Assistant S.
 MERTHYR GENERAL HOSPITAL.—R.H.S. Salary £150 p.a.
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 MILLER GENERAL HOSPITAL, Greenwich Road, S.E.—(1) Part-time C.O. (non-resident). Salary £150 p.a. (2) Two H.P. (3) H.S. Salaries £100 p.a. each. Males, unmarried.
 NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE: DURHAM UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE.—(1) Whole-time Demonstrator in Bacteriology. (2) Junior Demonstrator in Anatomy. Salaries £350-£450 p.a. and £300 p.a. respectively.
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 ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Lewisham, S.E.—Hon. Ophthalmic Registrar.
 ST. MARK'S HOSPITAL FOR CANCER, FISTULA, AND OTHER DISEASES OF THE RECTUM, City Road, E.C.—Clinical Assistant in the Out-patient Department.
 SCUNTHORPE AND DISTRICT WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.—H.P. Salary £175-£200 p.a.
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 STAFFORD: STAFFORDSHIRE, WOLVERHAMPTON, AND DUDLEY JOINT COMMITTEE FOR TUBERCULOSIS.—J.A.M.O. (male) at Prestwood Sanatorium. Salary £250 p.a.
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CERTIFYING FACTORY SURGEONS.—The following vacant appointments are announced: Brecon (Brecknockshire), Hoylake (Cheshire). Applications to the Chief Inspector of Factories, Home Office, Whitehall, S.W.1, by May 19th.

APPOINTMENTS

PAIN, A. B., Ch.M., F.R.C.S., Consultant Assistant Orthopaedic Surgeon, St. James's Hospital, Leeds, and Honorary Consulting Orthopaedic Surgeon, Bartholomew Hospital, Goole.
 POLLITT, A., M.B., B.Ch., D.M.R.E., Assistant Radiologist, University College Hospital, W.C.
 SMITH, G. L. M., M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.P.Ed., Medical Referee under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1925, for the Midlothian and Peebles Sheriff Court Districts (Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles).
 LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.—The following appointments are announced at the hospitals indicated in parentheses. *Senior Assistant Medical Officers, Grade II*: W. J. P. Lillis, L.R.C.P. and S.I., and Margaret E. Bjorkegren, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H. (Northern); E. T. Lloyd, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H. (South-Western). *Assistant Medical Officers, Grade I*: R. Pearce, M.D. (Paddington); G. M. Gray, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. (St. Mary Abbots); H. B. Bagshaw, F.R.C.S.Ed., and H. C. Furst, L.R.C.P. and S.Ed., L.R.F.P.S.Glas. (Lambeth); G. C. Dorling, F.R.C.S. (St. Alfege's); C. James, M.D. (Lewisham); T. R. F. Griffin, M.B., B.S. (Mile End); G. G. Farrington, M.B., B.S. (St. George-in-the-East); F. R. Dennison, M.D., D.P.H. (Colindale); E. Bradbury, B.Chir. (St. Peter's). *Assistant Medical Officers, Grade II*: J. V. Hurford, M.D., D.P.H. (Colindale); A. McIlroy, M.B., Ch.B. (New End); V. E. Ll. Hart, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., and I. G. Anderson, M.B., B.S. (Lewisham); Joan M. Oldaker, M.B. (St. Leonard's); E. O. Walker, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (St. Luke's, Chelsea); J. A. Ross, M.B., Ch.B. (St. Andrews); E. C. Dax, L.M.S.S.A., and P. A. Byrne, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. (Constance Road Institution). *House-Physicians*: J. R. McWhirter, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. (St. Luke's, Chelsea); H. T. J. Hynes, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (Dulwich); D. H. D. Burbridge, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (St. Andrew's); A. Wardale, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., and S. Stein, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. (St. Giles); J. E. M. Barnes, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., and T. C. Henry, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (St. James); W. N. Lippitt, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., and W. E. Maclean, M.B., Ch.B. (St. Olaves); J. P. Salkield, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (St. Mary Abbots); C. Segalov, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (St. Alfege's); D. Erskine, M.B., B.S., D.P.H. (North-Western). *House-Physician and House-Surgeon*: J. G. Clothier, M.B., B.S. (St. Alfege's). *House-Surgeons*: T. R. Quinn, M.B., Ch.M., F.R.C.S.Ed., and J. Park, M.B., Ch.B. (St. Mary Abbots); J. Barrett, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. (St. James).
 CERTIFYING FACTORY SURGEONS.—E. A. R. Evans, M.B., Ch.B. Liverpool, for the Wrexham District (Denbighshire); T. V. FitzPatrick, L.R.C.P. and S.I., for the Broughton District (Hampshire).

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

The charge for inserting announcements of Births, Marriages, and Deaths is 9s., which sum should be forwarded with the notice not later than the first post on Tuesday morning, in order to ensure insertion in the current issue.

BIRTH

CAMERON.—At the Osborne Nursing Home, Aberdeen, on Sunday, May 3rd, 1936, to Gladys Cameron (née Martin), wife of Dr. T. W. F. Cameron of Chatham, a son.
 HARGAN.—On April 27th, at Clifton Lane Nursing Home, Rotherham, to Mary Helen McLaren, M.B., Ch.B.Glas., wife of Dr. J. J. Hargan, a daughter.

DEATHS

ADAMSON.—On April 24th, Robert John Adamson, M.R.C.S., of Brokenhurst, Hants, formerly of Four Oaks, Warwickshire, aged 71 years.
 GRANGE.—On April 29th, 1936, at 11, McKinley Road, Bournemouth, formerly of Moffat and Harrogate, William D'Oyly Grange, M.D., beloved husband of Lucy Grange, aged 83.