

BMJ



BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL NO 6644 VOLUME 297

INTERNATIONAL

Editorials

- 307 **Salt saga continued**
J D Swales
- 308 **Homosexuality**
John Bancroft
- 309 **Ultrasonography for diagnosing appendicitis**
R H Pearson
- 310 **Living with a stoma**
Kay Neale, Robin Phillips
- 311 **Heart disease in Asians in Britain**
Kim M Fox, Leonard M Shapiro
- 312 **A European CSM?**
John P Griffin

News

- 313-318 **Innovation in cancer · Doctors before the GMC · Cutting the NHS cake · Emergency Bed Service at 50 · Violence · Inner city GPs · Women on the move · Irish doctors · New director of Ciba · ABRC getting desperate · World prescribing · Imaginary tabloid headlines · Unfinished business**

Papers

- 319 **Intersalt: an international study of electrolyte excretion and blood pressure. Results for 24 hour urinary sodium and potassium excretion**
Intersalt Cooperative Research Group
- 329 **Urinary electrolyte excretion, alcohol consumption, and blood pressure in the Scottish heart health study**
W C S Smith, I K Crombie, R T Tavendale, S K Gulland, H D Tunstall-Pedoe
- 331 **Skeletal effects of oral oestrogen compared with subcutaneous oestrogen and testosterone in postmenopausal women**
M Savvas, J W W Studd, I Fogelman, M Dooley, J Montgomery, B Murby
- 333 **Reversal of renal failure in nephritis associated with antibody to glomerular basement membrane**
A P Maxwell, W E Nelson, Claire M Hill
- 334 **Highly sensitive screening tests for hepatitis B surface antigen in transfusion centres of developing countries**
Vaskar Saha, T Jacob John, S Dhamodaran, Robert H Carman
- 335 **Treatment of ingrowing toenails by surgeons and chiropodists**
P A Sykes, R Kerr
- 336 **Use of defibrillators by general practitioners**
M C Colquhoun
- 328/330 **Corrections: Calculating confidence intervals Altman and Gardner; Dialysis hypotension Bradley *et al***

Practice Observed

- 337 **Domiciliary consultations: some facts and questions**
John Fry, Gerald Sandler

Middles

- 339 **Economic aspects of tobacco use and taxation policy**
Christine Godfrey, Alan Maynard
- 344 **Adults who survived repair of congenital oesophageal atresia and tracheo-oesophageal fistula**
P Chetcuti, N A Myers, P D Phelan, S W Beasley
- 347 **ABC of Eyes: History and examination**
A R Elkington, P T Khaw
- 352 **Recurrent otitis media and pulmonary infiltrates as presenting features in Wegener's granulomatosis**
M G Ridley, C S Wolfe, R A Asherson, G R V Hughes
- 343 **Correction: Un-health promotion: Barton and Godfrey**
- 346 **Any Questions: Treatment with tamoxifen**

- 354-368 **Obituary · Correspondence · BMA Affairs · Medicine and Books · Opinion · Personal View · Minerva · (in detail overleaf)**