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FELLOWSHIP OF POSTGRADUATE MEDICINE

The following courses are planned but the dates and details are subject to alteration.

Clinical Medicine (M.R.C.P.). January 4 to February 5, 1960. St. Stephen's Hospital, 5.30 to 7.30 p.m. Limited. Fee £23. (No entries accepted until syllabus is published and circulated.)

Surgery (F.R.C.S.). General and Genito-Urinary. February 1 to 17. Mondays and Wednesdays at 5 p.m. Whittington Hospital, Archway Wing. Fee £15 5s. Limited.

Plastic Surgery. Weekend. February 13 and 14. Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton. Limited. Fee £4 4s. od.

General Surgery (F.R.C.S.). Weekend. February 20 and 21. All day Saturday and Sunday. Queen Mary's Hospital for the East End. Limited. Fee £6 6s.


Infectious Diseases (M.R.C.P.). March 3, 10, 17 and 24. Chadwell Heath Hospital. Limited. £3 3s. od.

Rheumatic Diseases. Weekend. March 12 and 13. All day Saturday and Sunday. Rheumatic Unit, St. Stephen's Hospital. Fee £4 4s. od.

Orthopaedics (F.R.C.S.). Weekends. March 12 and 13, 26 and 27, April 9 and 10. Saturdays and Sundays. Rowley Bristow Orthopaedic Hospital, Pyrford. Fee £15 15s. od. (No entries accepted until syllabus is published and circulated.)

Please note that instruction arranged by the Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine is open only to members (annual subscription, from month of joining, 21s.). In the case of ' limited ' courses no entries are accepted in advance of the detailed syllabuses being published and circulated; postgraduates (whether members or not) are not automatically included in the mailing lists but must notify the Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine, 60 Portland Place, London, W.1, if they wish to be sent syllabuses as published, and must specify the subjects in which they are interested. Information regarding courses can be obtained from the office daily between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Mondays to Fridays). Telephone: Langham 4266.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

The following courses will be held:

Basic Medical Sciences. January 18 to April 29, 1960. Fees: £73 10s. od. (full-time course), £42 (lectures only).

Clinical Surgery. February 15 to April 8, 1960. Fee £42.

Application for further information should be made to Mr. W. F. Davis, Deputy Secretary, Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2.

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES OF LONDON

Diploma in Industrial Health (D.I.H.). The examinations are held in July and December each year. Diploma of Mastery of Midwifery (M.M.S.A.). The examinations are held in May and November each year. For further information applications should be addressed to the Registrar, Society of Apothecaries, Black Friar's Lane, London, E.C.4.

GENERAL DENTAL COUNCIL

The Dental Postgraduate Bureau has issued three booklets, as follows:

' Facilities for Dental Postgraduate Study in the United Kingdom and Ireland,' containing a list of schools and institutions at which postgraduate courses are held or which provide facilities for individual students, and an alphabetical list of subjects showing where instruction in each can be obtained; ' Scholarships and Studentships for Advanced Studies and Research in Dentistry,' including many open to British subjects tenable abroad; ' Higher Dental Qualifications,' setting out in general terms the conditions to be satisfied by candidates.

Copies of these booklets, particulars of films of interest to dentists, and further information can be obtained on application to the Registrar, General Dental Council, 37 Wimpole Street, London, W.1.

BRITISH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL FEDERATION (University of London)

The Federation provides:

(1) Training for prospective specialists, supplementing the work of the undergraduate medical and dental schools.

(2) Advanced revision for practising specialists.

(3) Instruction for medical and dental practitioners who, though not specialists, desire more detailed knowledge of any branch of medicine or dentistry.

(4) Instruction for general practitioners.

Comprising the Federation at present are the Postgraduate Medical School of London, Institute of Basic Medical Sciences, Institute of Cancer Research, Institute of Cardiology, Institute of Child Health, Institute of Dental Surgery, Institute of Dermatology, Institute of Diseases of the Chest, Institute of Laryngology and

The following lectures, which are designed especially for research workers and specialists in training, will be delivered at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, W.C.1, on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 5.30 p.m. during the second term of the session 1959-60. Admission free.

January
12 Prof. J. Henry Dible. The pathology of limb ischaemia.
14 Prof. H. L. Shezhan. Infarction.
19 Dr. H. B. Stoner. The biochemical response to injury.
21 Prof. Sir George Pickering. Fever and pyrogens.
26 Prof. R. J. V. Pulvertaft. Auto-immune reaction.
28 Dr. R. G. White. Immune cellular reactions.

February
2 Dr. Paul Fournier. Magnesium metabolism in man.
4 Prof. E. B. Verney. Some aspects of the renal excretion of water and electrolytes.
9 Dr. R. D. Harkess. Liver regeneration.
18 Dr. E. M. Vaughan Williams. The relation between contractions and intracellularly recorded potentials in cardiac muscle.
23 Dr. W. R. S. Doll. Epidemiological methods in leukaemia research.

March
1 Dr. A. Isaacs. The anti-viral action of interferon.

Courses for general practitioners will be as follows:

General
April 4 to 9 Brighton Group.
April 25 to 30 Brighton Group.
April 25 to 29 London Undergraduate and Postgraduate Teaching Hospitals.
May 2 to 7 Fulham and Kensington Group, W.8.
May 2 to 7 King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor.
June 27 to July 1 London Undergraduate and Postgraduate Teaching Hospitals.

Obstetrics and Gynaecology
February 22 to 27 Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, S.W.3.
June 13 to 18 Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, S.W.3.

Anaesthetics
March 28 to April 9 Postgraduate Medical School of London, W.12.

Dermatology
July 4 to 8 Institute of Dermatology, W.C.2.

Applications for places on the above courses should be made to the Secretary, British Postgraduate Medical Federation, and should state if the application is or is not made under the scheme for N.H.S. practitioners.

All courses are available to N.H.S. practitioners, for whom fees and allowances (travelling expenses locum fees, etc.) are provided for courses equivalent to 22 half-day sessions in an academic year, subject to certain conditions. Grants are also payable in respect of assistant practitioners who have been qualified for at least three years and are employed by a principal, who is himself eligible for grant. Travelling and subsistence expenses will be allowed and under certain conditions locum tenens expenses. Trainee general practitioners are NOT eligible for grants.

Other practitioners may attend on payment of a fee of 10 guineas for two weeks, 5 guineas for one week or extended course of 11 sessions, 15 guineas for a weekend course.

Grants are also available, under certain conditions, to general practitioners who attend the Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, for short periods during the regular term's courses, when limited hostel accommodation is available.

Applications for further information should be made to the Secretary, British Postgraduate Medical Federation 18 Guilford Street, London, W.C.1.

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF LONDON

The Postgraduate Medical School is associated with Hammersmith Hospital. Its teaching is directed primarily to the training of teachers and specialists in general medicine, general surgery, anaesthetics, pathology and radiology and is based on advanced clinical studies, supplemented by conferences, lectures and discussions, with an emphasis on the scientific aspect of investigation and treatment. The organized work of the faculty is divided into several departments. In addition, there are full-time and part-time courses, when limited hostel accommodation is available.

Research students are accepted for training and practice in methods of clinical investigation. The ordinary practice of the hospital is continuous throughout the year, but those not familiar with the School are advised not to start work in vacation time. A year's comprehensive work in anaesthetics is provided suitable for candidates for the D.A. or F.F.A. The work of the Department of Pathology includes a year's course for the university Diploma in Clinical Pathology, for which 16 students with previous pathology experience are selected. The hospital Departments of Radiology train doctors for the radiological diplomas. The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, together with Queen Charlotte's and the Chelsea Hospitals, form the Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. Many house officer and registrar posts are available in the appropriate departments.

For further information application should be made to the Dean, Postgraduate Medical School of London Ducane Road, London, W.12.

INSTITUTE OF BASIC MEDICAL SCIENCES (Royal College of Surgeons of England)

The Institute co-operates with other specialist Institutes of the Federation in providing facilities for practical work and instruction in the basic medical sciences. Twice a year, beginning in January and September, there is a full demonstration and lecture course which is full-time and extends over a period of fifteen weeks. In addition, there are two revision courses a year of lectures only, which take place at the same time as the other course. Applications for this course can be accepted up to six weeks before the course begins. Fees: Demonstrations and lectures, £73 10s. od.; lectures only, £42 2s. od. A two-months' course for Primary F.D.S. candidates is also held twice a year beginning in December and June. The course is full-time and the fee £16 15s. od.

For further information please apply to the Secretary,
INSTITUTE OF CANCER RESEARCH
(Royal Cancer Hospital)
Postgraduate lectures and courses of instruction are held in biophysics for students studying for the M.Sc. degree in Biophysics, and for students studying for a Diploma in Medical Radiotherapy.
Enquiries should be made to the Dean, Institute of Cancer Research, Royal Cancer Hospital, Fulham Road, London, S.W.3.

INSTITUTE OF CARDIOLOGY
(National Heart Hospital)
Courses of instruction lasting 11 weeks are available in the autumn and summer terms for both full-time and part-time students; fees £36 15s. od. and £18 18s. od. respectively. Special short course lasting two weeks is held in February; fee £18 18s. od.
Enquiries, and applications for admission to courses, should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Cardiology, 35 Wimpole Street, W.1.

INSTITUTE OF DISEASES OF THE CHEST
(Brompton Hospital and the London Chest Hospital)
The Institute of Diseases of the Chest (Medical School of the Hospitals for Diseases of the Chest) is situated in the grounds of the Brompton Hospital, S.W.3.
Medial
Instruction in diseases of the chest including tuberculosis is conducted during three terms of ten weeks each year. It consists of clinical work in wards and out-patient departments, lectures and demonstrations. A whole-time programme is arranged for not more than 12 graduates each term, preferably those specializing in diseases of the chest. The lectures and demonstrations are so arranged that the subject of chest disease is covered during the two terms beginning in October and January. The lectures during the summer term are arranged as a general revision course. A large number of graduates can be accepted for part-time study. If vacancies are available it may be possible to accept graduates for shorter periods of part-time study.
Surgical
Whole-time courses in chest surgery are conducted during three terms of ten weeks each. They include attendance at out-patient clinics, operating sessions, ward clinics, case demonstrations and discussions, and lectures, and are conducted partly at the Brompton Hospital and partly at the London Chest Hospital. They are intended as an introduction to thoracic, cardiac and oesophageal surgery. The fees are the same as those of the whole-time medical course.
Fees for whole-time course (Medical or Surgical) are £21 for one term and £37 for two terms, and for part-time courses £13 for one term or £6 for one month.
Radiology
Part-time instruction in radiology of the chest for trainee radiologists only is given each term. Fee £11 for one term.
Clinical demonstrations are given on Fridays at 5 p.m. Open lectures are given on Wednesdays at 5 p.m. during University Terms. Admission free.
For further general information application should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Diseases of the Chest, Brompton Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.3.

INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH
(Hospital for Sick Children, Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Postgraduate Medical School)
The Institute of Child Health is associated with the Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, the Postgraduate Medical School of London at Hammersmith Hospital, and the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children. In its programme teaching on every aspect of child health and disease is provided. Visits are arranged to the department for the new-born and premature infant at the Postgraduate Medical School of London, Hammersmith Hospital, Maternity and Child Welfare Clinics, Nursery Schools, etc. The Institute provides tuition throughout the year in three terms of 12 weeks' duration each, beginning in January, May and September. Several guest lectures are given during the summer term by visiting paediatricians from abroad. The fees are 25 guineas for one term and 45 guineas for two terms.
Application should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Child Health, Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY
(St. John's Hospital for Diseases of the Skin)
Hospital Practice. This includes clinical instruction in the Out-Patient Department daily, in the In-Patient Department twice weekly, tutorials in clinical dermatology and histopathology, attendance in the Department of Pathology and other departments of the Hospital. Arrangements exist for selected students to be attached to the In-Patient Department as supernumerary residential house officers. Senior students are eligible to apply for clinical assistantships in the Out-Patient Clinics.
Fees. 25 guineas for one term; 60 guineas for one year.
Laboratory. The facilities for students include technical work in histology, bacteriology and medical mycology.
Museum. A collection of moulages is available. There is access to a large collection of histopathological sections.
Exhibitions. Semi-permanent exhibitions are available during the winter term. The first, from January 4 to 27, will be by Dr. W. Frain-Bell on 'Drug Eruptions.'
Lectures. This year's lecture course commences on October 7 and continues until the beginning of July. Those who wish to attend are advised to come full-time for the whole year. Lectures are at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, unless otherwise indicated.
January
13 Dr. A. Tickner. Serum proteins in skin disease.
14 Dr. L. Forman. Cutaneous manifestations of visceral malignancy.
20 Dr. H. Haber. Clefts, vesicles and bullae.
26 Dr. R. M. B. MacKenna. The aetiology of pruritis and its management.
27 Dr. R. W. Riddell. The fungi causing skin disease.
28 Dr. A. D. Porter. Photosensitivity.
Clinical Demonstrations. These are held on Fridays at 5.30 p.m., designed for those intending to sit for the M.R.C.P. examinations. Fee for course of demonstrations is 5 guineas.
January
15 Dr. R. H. Martin. Clinical demonstration.
22 Dr. G. C. Wells. Clinical demonstration.
29 Dr. E. J. Moynahan. Clinical demonstration.
Enquiries should be made to the Dean, Institute of Dermatology, St. John’s Hospital for Diseases of the Skin, Lisle Street, Leicester Square, London, W.C.2.

INSTITUTE OF DENTAL SURGERY
(Eastman Dental Hospital)
The Institute holds courses in orthodontics (full-time, for one year), and in periodontology, conservative dentistry, prosthetic dentistry, minor oral surgery, oral pathology and children’s dentistry (variable length, full and part-time). Refresher courses are arranged twice yearly for general practitioners. Courses are also held in conjunction with the Faculty of Dental Surgery of the Royal College of Surgeons and are suitable for candidates preparing for the final examination for the Fellowship in Dental Surgery of the College. These begin in April and October (lasting for approximately eight months), fee £60, and in April and October there are revision courses lasting eight weeks, fee £31 10s. od. Special arrangements can be made for students requiring courses of study and research experience not falling within the scope of the courses listed above.
For further information apply to the Dean, Institute of Dental Surgery, Eastman Dental Hospital, Gray’s Inn Road, London, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY
(Royal National Throat, Nose and Ear Hospital)
There is daily clinical teaching throughout the year and the theoretical aspects of the specialty and of the basic sciences upon which it is founded are covered by courses of lectures and demonstrations which are held twice annually, commencing in February and August. There are facilities for dissection as part of the course; for appointments as clinical assistants in the associated Hospital and for higher posts for advanced students. Twice yearly there are advanced revision classes for M.S. and F.R.C.S. students and practical revision classes for Part II D.I.O. students. Short courses in endoscopy, malignant diseases, aural surgery, the deaf child and pathology are arranged periodically.
For further information application should be addressed to the Dean, Institute of Laryngology and Otology, 330 Gray’s Inn Road, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGY
(The National Hospital, Queen Square, and the Maida Vale Hospital for Nervous Diseases)
The teaching is mainly by attendance on the hospital practice. Some advanced students are appointed as full-time clinical clerks at the National Hospital, Queen Square, or to the electro-encephalographic or one of the other special departments, or to the research laboratories. A limited number of part-time clinical clerkships are available at the Maida Vale Hospital with opportunity for examining patients.
In addition elementary neurology is taught in three terms each of ten weeks. The syllabus deals with the anatomy and physiology of the nervous system, methods of examination, neuro-pathology, and neuro-chemistry; and includes lectures and demonstrations on clinical neurology (medical and surgical), psychological medicine and ancillary subjects. While the lectures are arranged to cover the whole year, the instruction in each term is entirely inclusive and the section on clinical examination is completely comprehensive in each term. Special lectures by neurologists from outside London and from abroad are held throughout these courses. Fees for attending the full-time course of ten weeks, £25; for attending hospital practice, £18 for three months or £32 for six months.
Courses on the technique and application of the electro-encephalogram are given in the autumn and spring terms. The fee for the course of ten weeks, £15 15s. od.
Part-time teaching is given in the Out-Patient Department at the National Hospital, Queen Square, on five days a week throughout the year (public holidays excepted) and at Maida Vale Hospital.
Courses of clinical demonstrations are given on Wednesdays and Saturdays at the National Hospital, Queen Square. Fee for either course, £2 2s. od. Advertisements concerning these appear from time to time in the medical journals.
For further particulars please apply to the Dean, Institute of Neurology, National Hospital, Queen Square, London, W.C.1.

INSTITUTE OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY
(Queen Charlotte’s Maternity Hospital, Chelsea Hospital for Women, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology of Hammersmith Hospital)
Two terms of 13 weeks each are held, beginning in the first week of March and the first week of September (enrolment fee £3; £3 6d. for the term’s course). General practitioners are accepted to attend for short periods during term time (fee £3 10s. od. per week). General practitioner refresher courses lasting one week are held at the end of February and the end of June (fee £5 5s. od.). Ministry of Health grants are payable for approved practitioners attending either for one or two weeks during term, or the one week refresher course. An intensive course suitable for those preparing for higher examinations is held during the first two weeks of December and the first two weeks of June (fee £14 15s. od.). A limited number of postgraduates can be accepted to attend the practice of the hospital during the winter vacation (fee £1 17s. per week). Laboratory training in pathology, endocrinology and cytology is available for a limited number of postgraduates. The Institute has hostel rooms at Queen Charlotte’s Hospital and Hammersmith Hospital. Further information and enrolment forms can be obtained from the Secretary, Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea Hospital for Women, Dovehouse Street, London, S.W.3.

INSTITUTE OF OPHTHALMOLOGY
(Royal London Ophthalmic, Royal Westminster Ophthalmic, Central London Ophthalmic Hospitals)
Courses of lectures and classes beginning March 1 and October 1 each year to meet the requirements of candidates entering for the examination for the Diploma in Ophthalmology and other ophthalmological examinations will be given by members of the staff of the Hospital and Institute. Each course is designed to extend over two terms of approximately 16 weeks each and is normally divided into two parts.
Part I. Anatomy (including embryology and normal histology), elementary physiology of the eye, optics (elementary and physiological), practical tutorials in refraction work and clinical subjects.
**Part II.** All clinical branches of the subject, together with bacteriology and pathology. Students can attend the daily clinical practice of the two branches of the Moorfields Eye Hospital and hold the appointments of Clinical Assistants concurrently with the above courses. A composition fee of £31 los. od. will admit students, once to the lectures and tutorial classes of any one term, with six months' clinical practice in the hospital.

**Extra Courses.** Orthoptic training (one week's intensive course, fee £5 5s. od.); contact lenses (one week's intensive course, fee £10 10s. od.). Additional courses by arrangement.

**Hospital Practice only.** Fees as follows: One month, £2 2s. od.; three months, £5 5s. od.; six months, £10 10s. od. Facilities for research.

*For further information apply to the Dean, Institute of Ophthalmology, Judd Street, London, W.C.1.*

**INSTITUTE OF ORTHOPAEDICS (Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital)**

The Institute is concerned with postgraduate education in orthopaedics and with research. The practice of the Hospital (both at the town section in Great Portland Street and at the country section at Stanmore) and the Radiological Museum and the Wellcome Museum of Orthopaedics are open to postgraduates, who may join at any time. In addition to hospital practice, formal courses of various lengths are held during academic terms.

**January**

8 6 p.m. Lecture. Genetic factors in orthopaedic conditions. *Dr. C. O. Carter.* Town section. Fee.

15 6 p.m. Lecture. Bone Growth. *Dr. H. A. Sissons.* Town Section. Fee.


30 10 a.m. Clinical demonstration. Some orthopaedic problems in children. Town section.

*Further particulars may be obtained from the Dean, Institute of Orthopaedics, Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital, 234 Great Portland Street, London, W.1.*

**INSTITUTE OF PSYCHIATRY (Bethlem Royal Hospital and Maudsley Hospital)**

The Institute is concerned with postgraduate education in psychiatry and allied subjects, and with research. A course of instruction covering up to three years, and starting in October yearly, is provided for medical practitioners who wish to specialize in psychiatry or to prepare for the Diploma in Psychological Medicine.

Clinical instruction, which includes case conferences, seminars, and practical experience in case-taking, is given at associated hospitals in the mornings, and systematic lectures and demonstrations are arranged for the afternoons. Students may also enrol for shorter periods or for single series of lectures. The subjects covered include anatomy and biochemistry of the nervous system, neuropsychology, pathology of nervous and mental diseases, psychiatry of children and adults, delinquency, principles of psychotherapy, forensic psychiatry and criminology, psychology, mental testing and statistics. There is a special six months' course in child psychiatry, comprising clinical instruction and lectures, which starts on October 1. Lectures on subjects of special interest are arranged from time to time. The tuition fee for a full year's course is £65 8s. od., including enrolment fee. For shorter periods the fee varies with the type of course chosen. Selected students are eligible for appointments on the staff of the Joint Hospital.

Facilities for research and supervision of study for higher degrees can be provided in clinical work and in the biochemical, physiological, neuro-endocrinological, neuropathological and psychological laboratories.

A course for Honours Graduates in Psychology is available in clinical psychology for the Academic Postgraduate Diploma in Psychology. In conjunction with the Institute of Neurology, a course in the techniques of electroencephalography is provided for doctors who expect to take up electroencephalographic appointments in hospitals.

*Further information may be obtained from the Dean, Institute of Psychiatry, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5.*

**INSTITUTE OF UROLOGY (St. Peter's, St. Paul's and St. Philip's Hospitals)**

Week-end courses of lectures and demonstrations, beginning on Friday afternoon and ending on Sunday about tea-time, are given about once a month, from October to April, as advertised. Fee £5 5s. od. for each course.

Lectures for general practitioners are given on Wednesdays, throughout the winter months, at 4.30 p.m. for 5 p.m. No fee.

The practice of the hospitals, including the use of the Institute museum, reading room and library, is open to students attending the courses.

*Applications should be addressed to the Secretary, Institute of Urology, 10 Henrietta Street, Covent Garden, London, W.C.4.*

**NORTH LONDON POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL INSTITUTE**

Courses in advanced medicine, advanced surgery, and obstetrics and gynaecology. Instruction in pathology, anaesthetics and radiodiagnosis. Clinical instruction at Bearsted Memorial Hospital, Chase Farm Hospital, North Middlesex Hospital, The Prince of Wales's General Hospital and St. Ann's General Hospital.

*For further information apply to the Dean, the Prince of Wales's General Hospital, London, N.15.*

**PLAISTOW HOSPITAL CHEST UNIT**

In-patient round every Thursday at 4.30 p.m.

*Apply Registrar, Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, Plaistow, London, E.13.*

**ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL**

Course of Lectures on 'Aspects of Refraction Work' by T. H. Whittington, to be held in the Courage Laboratory of Ophthalmology at the Hospital.

**January**

7 5 p.m. Binocular vision in refraction work.

8 5 p.m. Hypermetropic patients and their treatment.

15 5 p.m. Care and treatment of myopic patients.

21 5 p.m. Astigmatism and astigmatic lenses.

22 5 p.m. Some defects in binocular vision.

28 5 p.m. Ophthalmic lenses and their effects.

29 5 p.m. Strabismus in childhood.

*For further information apply to the Hospital Secretary,*
The Royal Eye Hospital, St. George's Circus, London, S.E.1.

ROYAL LONDON HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL

Clinical Tutorials. Practical instruction in the application of homoeopathic principles is given by the Tutor, Dr. D. M. Foubister and Dr. L. R. Twenteyman, at their tutorial clinics in the O.P. department on Thursday at 9.30 and 1.30 p.m. throughout the year. Open to medical practitioners 13s. without fee. A course of lectures is also given from October to June under the auspices of the Homoeopathic Research and Educational Trust. These lectures deal with the subjects required for examination for the Diploma of the Faculty of Homoeopathy. Fee for registered medical practitioners, £10 10s. od. per session; medical students admitted without charge.

For further information application should be made to the Dean of the Education Course, Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL (Rheumatism Unit)

A concentrated week-end course in the rheumatic diseases is given each year, in March, under the auspices of the Fellowship of Postgraduate Medicine. A limited number of postgraduates can attend the out-patient sessions of the unit on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 10 a.m. Applications for attendance at these sessions should be made to the Medical Registrar, Rheumatism Unit, St. Stephen's Hospital, Fulham Road, S.W.10.

WEST END HOSPITAL FOR NEUROLOGY AND NEUROSURGERY

January 5 to March 29. Course of clinical demonstration in neurology. 5.30 p.m.

For further information applications should be addressed to the Secretary of the Medical School, West End Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery, 91 Dean Street, London, W.1.

EMPIRE RHEUMATISM COUNCIL

Lecture courses in rheumatic diseases are arranged for general practitioners and other postgraduates periodically.

Particulase are obtainable from the General Secretary, Empire Rheumatism Council, Tavistock House (N), Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1.

EAST HAM CHEST CLINIC

Out-patient teaching. Mondays at 2.30 p.m.

Apply Senior Registrar, East Ham Chest Clinic, Katherine Road, Forest Gate, London, E.7.

LONDON SCHOOL OF HYGIENE AND TROPICAL MEDICINE INCORPORATING THE ROSS INSTITUTE (University of London)

Courses of study are arranged for the D.P.H. (London University): D.T.M. & H. (London University); D.T.M. & H. (Eng.): D.A.P. & E. (London University); and Academic Diploma in Bacteriology. Short courses are arranged in the Principles of Medical Statistics and Epidemiology, Statistical Methods and their Application in Medicine, Applied Helminthology and Environmental Control.

For further information and enrolment application should be addressed to the Secretary, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1.

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND HYGIENE

The Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene conducts recognized courses of instruction (starting annually in March and September) for the examinations of the Conjoint Board of the Royal College of Physicians of London and the Royal College of Surgeons of England for the Diploma in Public Health. Students are also prepared for the Diploma in Industrial Health examinations of the Conjoint Board and of the Society of Apothecaries of London. Courses, the next whole-time beginning on March 11, 1960, may be taken whole-time or part-time. Part-time courses may be commenced at any time, and all courses consist of both lectures and visits. In the D.P.H. the practical work is carried out at a county or metropolitan borough.

Prospectuses, enrolment forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Dean, The Royal Institute of Public Health and Hygiene, 23 Queen Square, London, W.C.1. Telephone: Terminus 4788 and 6206.

BRISTOL UNIVERSITY

Postgraduate Diploma Courses. Courses of instruction are provided for the University's Diploma in Public Health and for the following diplomas of the Conjoint Board: child health and radio-diagnosis.

Further information, copies of regulations for the Bristol Diploma, and application forms for the courses may be obtained from the Medical Postgraduate Dean, The University, Bristol, 8.

CAMBRIDGE

Cambridge University Medical School

Summary of postgraduate facilities for general medical practitioners from October 1, 1959, to July 31, 1960 (Bank Holidays excepted), at Addenbrooke's Hospital unless otherwise stated.

Each week. Mondays: 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., radiotherapy centre, gynaecological radium treatment (Prof. J. S. Mitchell, jointly with Mr. O. Lloyd or Miss J. Bottomley); 10.15 a.m., Maternity Hospital, Mill Road, abnormal ante-natal clinic (Miss J. Bottomley); 10.30 a.m., ward round, medical cases (Dr. A. P. Dick); 2.30 p.m., ward round, medical cases (Dr. L. C. Martin); 2.30 p.m., O.P. clinic 2 Bene't Place, psychiatric cases or subject (Dr. D. Russell Davis); 2.30 p.m., Chest Clinic, Castle Hill, diseases of the chest (Dr. M. J. Greenberg). Tuesdays: 9 a.m., Radiotherapeutic Centre (Prof. J. S. Mitchell). Discussion of patients followed by ward round; 9.15 a.m., O.P. department, dermatological clinic (Dr. A. J. Rook); 10 a.m., Papworth Hospital, cardiac catheterization and angiography (Dr. D. McC. Gregg); 10.30 a.m., ward round, medical cases (Dr. L. B. Cole); 2.15 p.m., O.P. department, dermatological clinic (Dr. A. J. Rook). Wednesday: 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., radiotherapeutic centre, discussion of cases under treatment (Prof. J. S. Mitchell); 10 a.m., ward round, haematological cases (Dr. F. G. J. Hayhoe); 11 a.m., O.P. department dermatological clinic (Dr. C. H. Whittle); 2 p.m., O.P. department, E.N.T. cases (Mr. K. F. Wilsdon); 2.30 p.m., O.P. department, dermatological cases (Dr. C. H. Whittle). Thursdays:
9.30 a.m. (Papworth Hospital), Case Conference or Clinico-Pathological Meeting; 10.30 a.m., ward round, medical cases (Dr. L. B. Cole); 2.15 p.m., O.P. department, cardiac clinic (Dr. L. B. Cole); 2.30 p.m., ward round, Papworth Hospital, thoracic medical cases (Dr. M. J. Greenberg); 4 p.m., X-ray department, cardioscopy (Dr. L. B. Cole and Dr. D. McC. Gregg).

Fridays: 9.30 a.m., special clinic, neurological out-patients (Dr. M. F. T. Yealland); 10 a.m., department of physical medicine, demonstration of cases and medical subjects (Mr. D. M. T. Gairdner); 10 a.m., O.P. department, thoracic surgical cases (Mr. C. Parish); 10 a.m., ward round, surgical cases (Mr. J. F. R. Withycombe); 2.15 p.m., ward round, paediatric cases (Dr. D. McC. Gregg); 2.15 p.m., O.P. department, dermatological clinic (Dr. A. J. Rook); 2.30 p.m., O.P. department, endocrine clinic (Dr. L. C. Martin); 2.30 p.m., O.P. department, gastro-enterological clinic (Dr. A. F. Dick and Dr. F. R. Berridge); 4.30 p.m., exceptions to the days of the Clinical and Clinico-Pathological meetings, Radiotherapeutic Centre (Prof. J. S. Mitchell with Dr. F. R. Berridge), Joint X-ray Diagnostic Session. Saturdays: 10.30 a.m., ward round, medical cases (Dr. L. B. Cole).

Each month. First Monday (by arrangement): 2.30 p.m., radio-therapeutic centre, diagnosis and treatment of cancer (Dr. D. G. Bratherton); 2.30 p.m., X-ray department, radiological demonstration (Dr. D. McC. Gregg). First Wednesday: 10 a.m., ward round, Papworth Hospital, thoracic surgical unit (Mr. C. Parish and Mr. B. B. Mulstein). First Thursday: 2.30 p.m., orthopaedic O.P. department, orthopaedic cases or subject (Mr. T. J. Fairbank). Second Thursday: 9.30 a.m., O.P. department, plastic surgery clinic (Mr. L. M. Rouillard). Third Monday: 2 p.m., ward round, surgical cases (Mr. B. McN. Truscott). Third Tuesday: 9.30 a.m., O.P. department, 2 Bene't Place, gynaecological cases (Mr. O. Lloyd); 3 p.m., O.P. department, clinical psychiatry (Dr. E. Beresford Davies). Third Wednesday: 9.30 a.m., O.P. department, urological and general surgical cases (Mr. J. F. R. Withycombe); 10.30 a.m., orthopaedic O.P. cases (Mr. R. W. Butler); 2.30 p.m., X-ray department radiological demonstration (Dr. F. R. Berridge). Third Thursday: 10.30 a.m., O.P. department, E.N.T. cases (Mr. A. S. H. Walford). Fourth Monday: 9.30 a.m., ward round, general surgical cases (Mr. P. H. R. Ghoy); 10 a.m., O.P. department, ophthalmic cases (Mr. G. F. Wright).

Anaesthetic instruction daily by arrangement with the Consultant Anaesthetists.

Post-mortem demonstrations daily (except Saturdays) at 12 noon.

Clinical and clinico-pathological meetings are held at 4 p.m. on the second Friday of each month during term.

One-day Symposia will be held on Saturdays at 10.30 a.m., and on Sundays at 2 p.m. as follows:

January
9 General Surgery.
24 Various subjects.
30 E.N.T. and eye diseases.

February
21 Various subjects.
27 Orthopaedics.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, Cambridge University Medical School, Tennis Court Road, Cambridge.

CARDIFF

The Welsh National School of Medicine

D.P.H. Wales (Diploma in Public Health). Part-time course, extending over two academic years. Courses commence in the October in years of even date.

D.T.C.D. Wales (Diploma in Tuberculosis and Chest Diseases). Five to six months' full-time course, January to June.

D.C.H.Eng. (Diploma in Child Health). Four sessions weekly for twelve months, commencing in October and April.

The number of admissions to each of the above courses is strictly limited, and early application should be made to the Secretary, The Welsh National School of Medicine, 34 Newport Road, Cardiff.

DUBLIN

University College

The following courses will be held during the session 1959-60:

D.P.H. Course. One academic year of whole-time study. Examinations June and September.

D.P.M. Course. Michaelmas term. Examinations, Parts I and II, December and June.


Further particulars may be obtained on application to the Registrar, University College, Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin.

EDINBURGH

Edinburgh Postgraduate Board for Medicine

Surgery. Three months' courses of postgraduate surgery suitable for surgeons requiring a refresher course in the current outlook on general surgery or for graduates preparing to specialize in surgery, will begin on March 14, 1960, and September 26, 1960. The programme has been arranged so as to provide co-ordinated clinical and systematic instruction in general surgical wards and specialized surgical units in Edinburgh. Fees £37 12s. 6d.

Medical Sciences. A three months' course in applied anatomy, physiology, pathology, bacteriology and biochemistry will begin on June 20, 1960. This course includes an adequate amount of practical instruction and is suitable for postgraduates wishing to take the Primary Fellowship Examination. Fee £37 12s. 6d., including matriculation fee of £3 12s. 6d.

Two 12-weeks' courses in the basic medical sciences (anatomy, physiology, pathology, including bacteriology) are arranged by the Royal College of Surgeons under the aegis of the Edinburgh Postgraduate Board for Medicine. These courses, comprising lectures, demonstrations and practical instruction will begin on February 1, 1960, and September 26, 1960. Fee £35, which does not include matriculation.

Internal Medicine. Courses lasting 12 weeks, suitable for graduates wishing a refresher course, or to specialize in medicine, will begin on March 21, 1960, and September 26, 1960. These courses consist of 320 hours' instruction, comprising lectures, clinical demonstrations and ward visits. Fees £37 12s. 6d.

Additional instruction in clinical paediatrics and tropical medicine is arranged in conjunction with the course in medicine, for which there is a small fee; the numbers are limited.

The Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh award two Hill Pattison-Struthers Bursaries each year to graduates attending the Internal Medicine course.
Each Bursary amounts to £100. Applications must be submitted to the Secretary, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, before December 14, 1959, for those attending the March, 1960, course. Applications for enrolment should be addressed to the Director of Postgraduate Studies, Surgeons’ Hall, Edinburgh 8, supplying particulars of qualifications and postgraduate experience.

Royal Medical Society

The meetings of the Society are held in the Society’s Hall on Friday evenings during the Autumn and Spring Terms. Meetings consist of Private Business (at 7 p.m.) and Public Business (at 8 p.m.) in which discussions by members or addresses by prominent medical men on subjects of medical interest are given. Clinical meetings are held periodically in the Royal Infirmary and film shows of the latest medical films are given in the Society’s Rooms. Prospective members will be welcomed on any Friday evening in the Society’s Hall before public business.

Applications for further information should be addressed to the Secretary, Royal Medical Society, 7 Melbourne Place, Edinburgh, 1.

GLASGOW

Glasgow Postgraduate Medical Education Committee

The Committee is prepared to consider applications from suitably qualified medical practitioners for postgraduate instruction in general medicine, general surgery and the various specialities. Preference will be given to those who are proceeding to higher qualifications. An applicant who is accepted will be attached to clinical units in teaching hospitals in Glasgow for a period of three months. Provision will be made to enable the postgraduate student to obtain intensive clinical experience by sharing in the day-to-day routine of diagnosis and treatment. Emphasis will be placed on clinical methods and bedside discussion.

A limited number of vacancies are now available. Fee £5 per month.

Applicants should write to the Convener of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee, The University, Glasgow, W.2, stating age, qualifications and professional experience and enclosing two testimonials from senior clinicians with whom they have recently been associated.

LIVERPOOL

University of Liverpool

The following postgraduate courses of instruction are offered:

Surgery. A full-time course of one year suitable for candidates who have already completed the Primary Examination of the F.R.C.S., or undertaken postgraduate study in anatomy and physiology. On completion of the course students become eligible to take the Mastership of Surgery (Ch.M.) of this University provided they are graduates of an approved University or otherwise comply with the regulations. The fee for the course is £60. The course begins in September.

Orthopaedic Surgery. A full-time 12-month course leading by examination to a Mastership in Orthopaedic Surgery (M.Ch.Orth.) open to all medical graduates of approved Universities (and to graduates in other faculties with qualifications in medicine) who hold an F.R.C.S. of one of the British colleges or its equivalent. The fee for the course is £90. The course normally begins in January.

Radiotherapy. A full-time course of two academic years leading to a D.M.R. (D. or T.) open to medical graduates of approved Universities and to medically qualified candidates who hold approved higher medical diplomas and a degree in a faculty other than medicine. The course allows a candidate to hold suitable approved hospital appointments during the second year and covers the regulations required by the Conjoint Board. The fee for the two-year course is £63. The course begins in October. The degree of M.Rad. may, after approval of the Faculty, be conferred on holders of the D.M.R. (D. or T.) of this University under certain conditions.

Public Health. A full-time one-year course leading to the Diploma in Public Health, open to candidates with a medical qualification from an approved medical school or licensing body. This qualification should have been obtained not less than two years before admission to the course. The tuition, examination and diploma fees amount to £73 13s. 6d. All courses of instruction begin in October.

Tropical Medicine and Hygiene. A full-time three-month course leading to the Diploma in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (D.T.M. & H.) open to candidates with a medical qualification from an approved medical school or licensing body. The course begins in September and January. The tuition, examination and diploma fees amount to £61 19s. 6d.

Anaesthesia. A full-time course of postgraduate instruction, limited to ten students, begins on October 1 and lasts for one year. The course combines instruction in the practical administration of anaesthetics with lectures and demonstrations in anatomy, physiology, pathology, physics, pharmacology, medicine and surgery, and anaesthesia. For the purpose of gaining practical experience, the students are found suitable appointments in recognized General Hospitals within the Liverpool area. The fee for the course is £75.

Psychiatry. A part-time course begins on January 1 and lasts for two years. It is divided into two parts corresponding to the two parts of the Diploma in Psychological Medicine awarded by the Examining Board in England (R.C.P. Lond. and R.C.S. Eng.). Part I provides instruction in (a) anatomy (macroscopic and microscopic) and physiology of the nervous system, and (b) psychology. Part II deals with (a) clinical neurology and neuropsychology, and (b) psychological medicine, including psychoses, mental deficiency, child psychiatry, forensic psychiatry and social psychiatry. Parts I and II will be held simultaneously. Students may enrol for either part separately but, except in special circumstances, will not be permitted to take both parts concurrently. Applications to attend in respect of a special subject in Part II (e.g. mental deficiency) will be considered individually. Fees £12 12s. 6d. per term or £70 for the whole course.

Applications for further information should be addressed to the appropriate department of the University, Liverpool, 3.

MANCHESTER

University of Manchester

The following postgraduate courses are offered:

D.P.M. A part-time course beginning in October and extending over nine academic terms.

D.P.H. A part-time course begins in October in alternate years and extends over two academic years. The next course will begin in October 1960.

D.M.R.D. The next course will begin in October 1959. Applicants must fulfil the requirements of the Examining Board in England.
D.M.R.T. The next course is expected to begin in February 1960. It is held at the Christie Hospital and Holt-Radium Institute. Applicants must fulfil the requirements of the Examining Board in England.

Diploma in Statistics. A full-time course beginning in October and extending over at least one academic year. Candidates must present evidence of suitable previous training. (Enquiries should be addressed to the Professor of Mathematical Statistics, The University, Manchester 1.)

Further particulars may be obtained from the Dean of the Medical School, The University, Manchester 13.

NEWCASTLE
The Medical School, King's College
(University of Durham)
Public Health. A part-time course is held for the D.P.H. The course occupies five terms, two-and-a-half days each week being occupied in whole-time study, leaving the remainder of the time free for remunerated employment. Several suitable part-time hospital posts in the area are available to candidates attending the course. The course is held biennially and the next complete course will be held in 1961.

Psychological Medicine. Courses for the D.P.M. (Dunelm) are held as follows: Part I, part-time course extending over two terms and beginning October. Part II, part-time course extending over four terms also beginning in October. Part I and Part II may be taken together.

For further information application should be made to the Assistant Registrar, Medical School, King's College, Newcastle upon Tyne.

OXFORD
Postgraduate Medical Studies
Summary of ward rounds, clinics, demonstrations, etc., open to general practitioners during January, 1960, in the Radcliffe Infirmary, unless otherwise stated.

Hilary full term, January 17 to March 12, 1960.

Medicine. Ward rounds, 10.15 a.m., Mondays and Thursdays (Dr. A. M. Cooke); Tuesdays and Fridays (Dr. D. Mallam); 10 a.m., Wednesdays (Dr. E. M. Buzzard); 10 a.m., Fridays (Dr. Sir George Pickering). Clinical demonstrations, 2.15 p.m., Thursdays in full term (Prof. L. J. Witts, Dr. S. C. Truelove, Dr. J. Badenoch, Dr. Sheila Callendar). Medical consilium, 5 p.m., Wednesdays in alternate weeks in full term (Prof. L. J. Witts and others). Clinical pathology. Conference, 5 p.m., Wednesdays, alternate weeks in full term (Dr. A. H. T. Robb-Smith and staff). Chest diseases. Clinical demonstrations, by arrangement with Dr. F. Ridehalgh, Osler Hospital. Geriatrics. Clinical demonstrations by arrangement with Dr. L. Z. Cozin and Dr. D. P. D. Bedford, Cowley Road Hospital. Infectious diseases. Clinical demonstrations, by arrangement with Dr. J. F. Warin, Slade Hospital. Neurology. Clinical demonstrations, 5 p.m., Thursdays in full term (Mr. J. B. Pennybacker, Dr. W. Ritchie Russell, Mr. W. S. Lewin, Dr. C. W. M. Whitty, Dr. J. Spalding, Dr. Honor Smith); ward rounds, 10 a.m. Fridays (Dr. Ritchie Russell and Dr. C. W. M. Whitty, Churchill Hospital); O.P., 2 p.m., Tuesdays (Dr. Ritchie Russell, Dr. C. W. M. Whitty, Dr. J. Spalding); 2 p.m., Wednesdays (Dr. C. W. M. Whitty, Dr. J. Spalding, Dr. Honor Smith). Neurological surgery. O.P., 1.45 p.m., Wednesdays (Mr. J. B. Pennybacker, Mr. W. S. Lewin). Paediatrics. Ward rounds, 10.30 a.m., Saturdays (Dr. Victoria Smallpeice). Psychiatry. O.P. 2 p.m., Wednesdays (Dr. R. G. McInnes). Clinical demonstrations, 4 p.m. Fridays in full term at Warneford Clinic (Dr. R. G. McInnes). Skin diseases. O.P., 2 p.m., Mondays and Fridays (Dr. H. R. Vickers). Social medicine. Demonstrations by arrangement with Dr. Alice Stewart, Department of Social Medicine, 8, Keble Road. Venereal diseases. O.P. male 5.30 p.m. Wednesdays, 2 p.m. Saturdays (Dr. P. C. Mallam); O.P. female, 6 p.m. Wednesdays (Dr. Frances Nichol). Surgery. Ward rounds, 10.30 a.m. Thursdays, Churchill Hospital (Mr. A. S. Till). O.P. fractures, 10 a.m. Mondays to Fridays (Mr. J. C. Scott, Mr. R. G. Taylor, Mr. J. D. Morgan). Clinical demonstrations, 4.30 p.m. Tuesdays (in full term). Jaw injuries. Ward rounds 9 a.m. Wednesdays (Mr. D. S. Hayton-Williams). Orthopaedic surgery. Clinical discussion, 9 a.m. Thursdays and Saturdays at Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre (Prof. J. Trueta, Mr. J. C. Scott, Mr. R. G. Taylor, Mr. E. W. Somerville, Mr. J. Agerholm, Mr. J. D. Morgan, Mr. J. H. S. Scott). Plastic surgery. Clinical discussions and O.P., 2 p.m. Wednesdays, Churchill Hospital (Mr. E. W. Peet); 10 a.m. Thursdays, Churchill Hospital (Dr. T. J. S. Patterson); Plastic therapy. Ward rounds, 10.30 a.m. Thursdays, Churchill Hospital (Dr. Frank Ellis). Obstetrics. Lecture demonstrations, 9.15 a.m. Mondays and Tuesdays, 2 p.m. Fridays (Prof. J. C. Moir and staff); ward rounds, 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays (Mr. W. Hawksworth), 11 a.m. Fridays (Prof. J. C. Moir). O.P. antenatal, 2 p.m. Mondays (Mr. M. P. Embrey), 10 a.m. Wednesdays (Mr. W. Hawksworth), 2 p.m. Thursdays (Mr. J. A. Stallworthy), 2 p.m. Fridays (Nuffield Department staff), 3 p.m. Mondays, Churchill Hospital (Mr. G. Stewart), 10 a.m. Fridays, Churchill Hospital (Mr. W. Hawksworth). O.P. post-natal, 10 a.m. Tuesdays (Nuffield Department Staff); Infant Welfare Clinics, 2 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays, by arrangement with Dr. Mary Fisher, City Clinics. Gynaecology. Ward rounds, 11 a.m. Tuesdays (Prof. J. C. Moir), 10.30 a.m. Wednesdays (Mr. J. A. Stallworthy). Diabetes clinic. O.P., 2 p.m., Mondays and Fridays (Dr. A. M. Cooke). Obesity clinic. O.P., 2 p.m. Mondays (Dr. P. C. Mallam).

General practitioners wishing to avail themselves of these facilities should notify the Director of Postgraduate Medical Studies, Osler House, 43 Woodstock Road, Oxford (Telephone: Oxford 41021).

CONFERENCES, PRIZES, ETC.
Riker Fellowship in Pharmacology. The first Fellowship has been provided since 1954, and commencing the next academic year two will be awarded annually. The Fellowships provide a grant of £1,000 for one year of postgraduate study in pharmacological laboratories in Great Britain. Two similar Riker Fellowships are available in the United States. The Fellowships are awarded and administered by the International Council of Pharmacologists in association with the British Pharmacological Society and other pharmacological societies affiliated with the International Council. The Fellowships aim to provide opportunities for graduates to pursue research abroad, thus one of the conditions of their award is that pharmacologists are not eligible for Fellowships tenable in their country of residence.

Further particulars from Riker Laboratories Ltd., Morley Street, Loughborough, Leicestershire.

Ophthalmological Society of the United Kingdom. The annual congress of the Ophthalmological Society
will be held at the Royal Society of Medicine, 1 Wimpole Street, London, W.1, on March 31 and April 1 and 2, 1960.

For further particulars write to the Hon. Secretary, The Ophthalmological Society of the United Kingdom, 47 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2.

ANGLO-FRENCH EXCHANGE BURSARIES

Applications are now invited for the bursaries which will be awarded in 1960 to young British doctors under the exchange scheme arranged by the French Embassy in London between the Institut National d'Hygiène in Paris and the Ciba Foundation in London. The value of the French grants is 87,000 francs a month, tax free and they will be awarded for periods of two to four months to medical men who wish to obtain clinical experience or carry out research in France. Since the aim of the exchange is to spread in each country knowledge of methods, achievements and outlook on the other side of the Channel, preference will normally go to candidates who hold teaching posts or are in positions where they can pass on the experience they have acquired.

The British Selection Board is composed as follows: Professor Alexander Haddow, Professor John McMichael, and representatives of the British Council (Dr. Margaret Suttill), the British Postgraduate Medical Federation (Dr. C. F. Hamilton-Turner), the Medical Research Council (Dr. F. J. C. Herrald)—joint secretaries: Miss A. M. Vidal-Hall (French Embassy) and Dr. G. E. W. Wolstenholme (Ciba Foundation).

Application forms may be obtained from the Director, The Ciba Foundation, 41 Portland Place, London, W.1.

THE ASSOCIATION OF SURGEONS OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND

The annual meeting will be held in Birmingham on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 7, 8 and 9, 1960.

For further particulars write to the Hon. Secretary, Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland, 47 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2.

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The course has been designed to cover selected topics in clinical medicine. In general the forenoon will be occupied by short lectures, followed by questions, panel discussions or clinico-pathological conferences. During the remainder of the day students will be given clinical instruction in small groups.

Meetings will be held daily from 9.30 a.m to 5.00 p.m. The fee for the course will be £15 15s. 0d. The number of students will be limited to 24.

Further particulars and form of application can be obtained from the Convener of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee, The University, Glasgow, W2., or the Honorary Secretary, Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, 242, St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, C.2.
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