

GENERAL NOTES

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON GEOFFREY E. DUVEEN STUDENTSHIP IN OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGY

Applications are invited for the Geoffrey E. Duveen Studentship for 1962-63, value £1,500, for research in any aspect of Oto-Rhino-Laryngology. The Studentship is tenable for one year. Full details obtainable from The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London W.C.1.

UNIVERSITY OF BAGHDAD

The University of Baghdad has asked the British Council to find British candidates for a number of posts in their Colleges of Medicine at Mosul and Baghdad. One of these appointments is for a Professor of Ear, Nose and Throat Diseases at the College of Medicine, Baghdad.

Anyone interested should communicate with the Director, Recruitment Department, The British Council, 65, Davies Street, London, W.1.

NORTH OF ENGLAND OTOLARYNGOLOGICAL SOCIETY

“THE GEORGE SEED MEMORIAL PRIZE” (previously known as the “Fifty Guinea Prize”) will be awarded in 1962 for AN ORIGINAL PAPER on work in Otolaryngology carried out in the NORTH OF ENGLAND. The investigation must have been carried out during the tenure of a post as senior registrar, house officer, registrar or clinical assistant.

Entries (3 copies) should be sent, before June 30th, 1962, to:

The Honorary Secretary, North of England Otolaryngological Society,
73, Rodney Street, LIVERPOOL, 1.

SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF AUDIOLOGY

The sixth International Congress of Audiology will be held in Leyden, The Netherlands, from September 5th to 8th, 1962.

President: Prof. Dr. H. A. E. van Dishoeck;

Secretary Drs. A. Spoor.

In the programme are planned three round-table talks, with associated and free papers.

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The subject of the round tables are:

“Frequency analysis of the normal and pathological ear.”

Moderator: Prof. Dr. G. von Békésy.

“Central deafness in children.”

Moderator: Prof. Dr. J. M. Tato.

“Psychogenic deafness and simulation.”

Moderator: Prof. Dr. H. A. E. van Dishoeck.

Official languages of the Congress are: English, French, German and Spanish.

Working languages will be: English and French.

The address of the secretariat is:

Ear-Nose-Throat Department,
Academisch Ziekenhuis,
LEIDEN (The Netherlands).

UNIVERSITY OF BORDEAUX—EAR, NOSE, THROAT DEPARTMENT

Director Professor—GEORGES PORTMANN

Functional Otological Micro-Surgery Post-Graduate Course, conducted by Michel Portmann, M.D. (Associate Professor). From July 2nd to July 11th, 1962.

During this period, every assistant attending the course will be able to watch surgical operations in the theatre, to follow theoretical courses illustrated with films regarding the major techniques, and to work on his own daily anatomical specimen with all the requisite material, including the binocular microscope.

The number of assistants is limited to 20, divided into two groups (Group I and Group II).

Applications should be sent to Docteur Michel Portmann, 45 cours du Maréchal-Foch, Bordeaux, France.

Fees: 185 dollars or 900 N. francs (to be paid at the Faculty of Medicine in Bordeaux at the beginning of the course).

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

FACULTY OF MEDICINE

THE LLEWELLYN BEVAN PRIZE

This Prize, of the value of about £80, will be open for award in 1962 to a Graduate in Medicine of the University of Edinburgh for the best and approved essay on the Pathology and Treatment of Ménière's or other Disease of the Internal Ear.

Essays (one copy and preferably in typescript) in competition for the Prize must be submitted to the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University Medical School, Teviot Place, Edinburgh, 8, not later than October 31st, 1962.

J. H. F. BROTHERSTON,

Dean of the Faculty of Medicine.

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LIX° CONGRÈS FRANÇAIS D'OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGIE

Le LIX° Congrès Français O.R.L. tiendra ses assises les 8, 9, 10 et 11 Octobre, 1962, au grand amphithéâtre de l'Ancienne Faculté de Médecine de Paris, sous la présidence de Monsieur le Docteur M. OMBREDANNE, avec la présidence d'Honneur de Monsieur le Professeur Léon BINET, membre de l'Institut, Doyen de la Faculté de Médecine de Paris.

Outre de nombreuses communications sur des sujets divers, deux importants rapports sont à l'ordre du jour:

- (1) *Affections oculaires et surdité.* Rapporteurs MM. les Professeurs R. GRIMAUD (Nancy), P. MOUNIER-KUHN (Lyon), MM. les Docteurs M. GIGNOUX et H. MARTIN (Lyon).
- (2) *Aspects histologiques et histochimiques du foyer de l'otospongiose.* Rapporteurs M. L. CHEVANCE avec la collaboration de MM. J. BOUCHE et P. CLERC (Paris).

Pour tous renseignements, écrire au Secrétaire Général: Docteur H. Guillon, 6 avenue Mac-Mahon, Paris XVII°.

THE NATIONAL DEAF CHILDREN'S SOCIETY CONFERENCE ON PSYCHIATRY OF THE DEAF CHILD

On November 1st, 1962, the Medical Research Committee of the National Deaf Children's Society are holding a One-Day Conference at B.M.A. House, Tavistock Square, London, W.C.2. The emotional disturbances of the born deaf who cannot communicate are, at present, an almost unexplored field of psychiatry, and the purpose of the Conference is to interest the psychiatric profession in a new line of research necessary to establish this greatly needed specialist branch of child psychiatry.

The Chairman of the Conference will be Dr. G. E. Godber, C.B., D.M., F.R.C.P., D.P.H., Chief Medical Officer, Ministries of Health and Education and Home Office. Mr. Terence Cawthorne, F.R.C.S., Consultant Adviser in Otolaryngology to the Ministry of Health, will present the otologists' viewpoint, and the guest speaker will be Dr. Frank J. Kallmann of the New York Psychiatric Institute, Director of the New York State Mental Health Scheme.

The Conference Committee are Mrs. P. M. Bloom, B.A., Chairman of the National Deaf Children's Society, Dr. P. Henderson, M.D., D.P.H., Principal Medical Officer of the Ministry of Education, Dr. J. H. Kahn, M.D., Ch.B., D.P.M., Hon. Secretary, Child Psychiatry Section, Royal Medico-Psychological Association, Dr. Gerald O'Gorman, M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P., D.P.M., Chairman of the R.M.P.A. Working Party on the Psychiatric problems of deaf children, together with the following members of the National Deaf Children's Society Medical Research Committee: Sir Geoffrey King, K.C.B., K.B.E., M.C., Mr. Gavin Livingstone, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S., Mr. Stuart Mawson, M.B., B.Chir., F.R.C.S., Mr. Michael Reed, B.Sc., and Ian G. Robin, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (Chairman). The Conference Secretary is Mr. Gordon M. L. Smith, B.A., General Secretary of the National Deaf Children's Society.

Enquiries concerning the Conference should be addressed to Mr. Gordon M. L. Smith, B.A., at the National Deaf Children's Society, 31 Gloucester Place, London, W.1.

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EINLADUNG ZUM ÖSTERREICHISCHEN OTO-LARYNGOLOGENTAG

1962

Der Österreichische Oto-Laryngologentag 1962 findet in der Zeit vom 12-14 Oktober 1962 in Innsbruck (Tirol) statt.

Das Thema lautet:

“GRENZGEBIETE DER HALS-NASEN-OHRENHEILKUNDE”.

Es wird kein Referat gehalten. Vorträge zum Thema werden bevorzugt auf das Programm gesetzt (Sprechzeit 15 Minuten, Diskussion und Schlusswort je 3 Minuten). Anmeldung von Vorträgen und Demonstrationen mit kurzer Inhaltsangabe (3-5 Maschinschreibzeilen) bis 15. Juni 1962 an den Schriftführer Dr. Herbert J. Pichler, Wien IX, Alserstrasse 4, I. Univ., Ohrenklinik. Ebenso wird gebeten, spätestens bis 15.6.1962 die Teilnahme an der Tagung an die gleiche Stelle bekanntzugeben.

Die Vorträge werden in einem eigenem Kongressband publiziert, der allen Mitgliedern der Gesellschaft kostenlos zugeht.

Die Versendung des Tagungsprogrammes mit Zimmerbestellkarten erfolgt zeitgerecht an alle Mitglieder und an alle schriftlich angesagten Teilnehmer.

Im Rahmen des Kongresses findet eine medizinisch-technische Ausstellung statt.

ANNUAL MEETING OF AMERICAN RHINOLOGIC SOCIETY TO BE HELD IN LOS ANGELES, NOVEMBER 1st-2nd, 1962

The eighth annual meeting of the American Rhinologic Society will be held in the Statler Hilton Hotel, Los Angeles, November 1st-2nd, 1962. A scientific programme covering new developments in nasal surgery will be presented on the second day, it was announced by Dr. Charles J. Petrillo of New Haven, President of the Society.

The meeting will be preceded by a three-day course in “Expanded Surgery of the Nasal Septum” to be presented at the Loma Linda University in co-operation with the American Rhinologic Society.

Dr. Maurice H. Cottle, Professor of Otorhinolaryngology at the Chicago Medical School, will be the guest director of the course.

For further information, write to the American Rhinologic Society, 530 Hawthorne Place, Chicago 13, Illinois.

TWO COURSES IN RHINOLOGY TO BE PRESENTED AT LEIDEN UNIVERSITY, HOLLAND, IN JULY, 1963

Two courses in rhinology to be presented at the Leiden University, Holland, in July, 1963, are expected to draw participants from many countries of the world.

A “Boerhaave” course in rhinology will be held July 4th-6th, 1963, and will be followed by the fifth International Course in “Reconstructive Surgery

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of the Nasal Septum and External Pyramid", July 7th-19th, with the cooperation of the American Rhinologic Society.

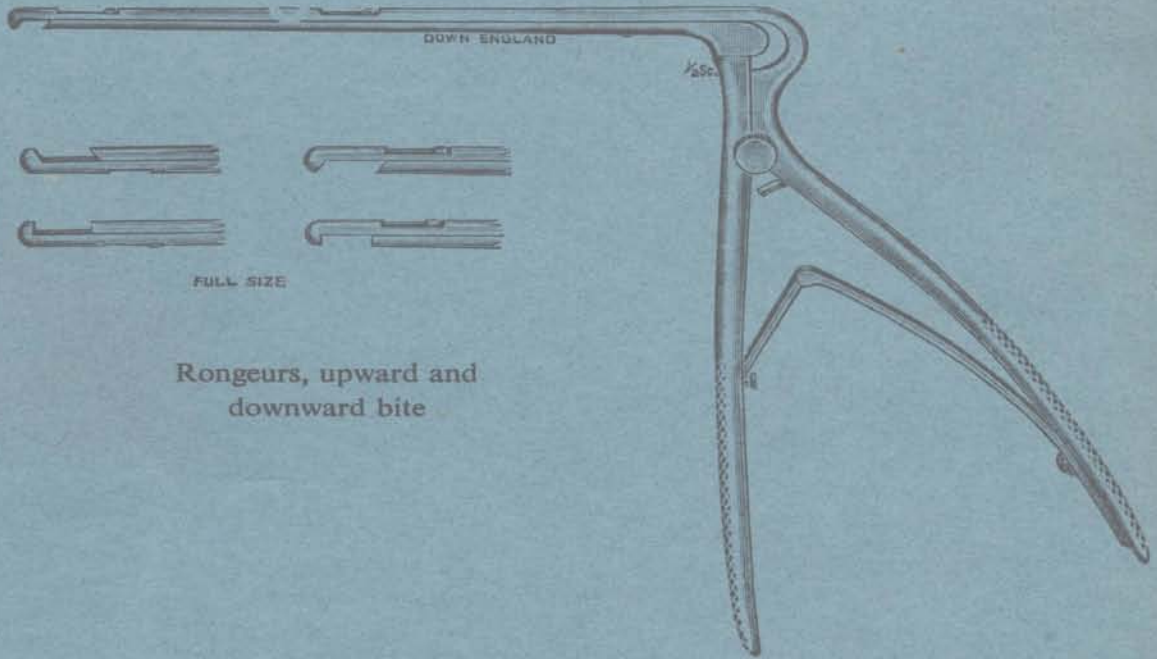
Both will be held at the Academisch Ziekenhuis, Afd. Keel-neus-oorheelkunde under the direction of Prof. Dr. H. A. E. van Dishoeck of the University. Dr. Maurice H. Cottle, Professor of Otorhinolaryngology at the Chicago Medical School, will be the guest professor for the two-week course in nasal surgery. Many distinguished specialists from the United States, Europe, and other countries will join in the teaching programme.

Although the courses are a year away, the popularity of previous programmes suggest the need for early arrangements because there is a limit as to the number that can be accommodated.

For further information, write to Prof. Dr. H. A. E. van Dishoeck, Afd. Keel-neus-oorheelkunde, Academisch Ziekenhuis, Leiden, Holland, or to the American Rhinologic Society, 530 Hawthorne Place, Chicago 13, Illinois, U.S.A.

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