

General notes

DIPLOMA IN LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOTOLOGY

THE Secretary reports to the two Royal Colleges that at the Second Part of the Examination held in June, 1979, 69 candidates presented themselves, of whom 42 passed.

The following 42 candidates, having complied with the regulations of the Board, are eligible to receive the Diploma, viz. :—

- Abdullah, Hossam Mohamed Hassaballah, M.B., B.Ch. (Cairo)
Abdelfattah, Ahmed Yehya Mohamed, M.B., B.Ch. (Cairo)
Abdou, Mohammed Aly Ebrahim, M.B., Ch.B. (Alexandria)
Akhtar, Muhammad Riaz, M.B., B.S. (Punjab, Pak.)
Alkhoul, Mohammed Zuhsit, M.D. (Damascus)
Al-Omari, Mohammed Ahmad Ibrahim, M.B., B.S. (Sefilla)
Ashamallah, Raafat Sobhy Abd-el-Messih, M.B., B.Ch. (Cairo)
Baliga, Suresh Upendra, M.B., B.S. (Karnatak)
Bandaru, Rama Krishna, M.B., B.S. (Andhra)
Bhatnagar, Rajindra Kuma, M.B., B.S. (Benares Hindu)
Bhimpuria, Yogendrakumar Rajendraprasad, M.B., B.S. (Gujarat)
Brown, James Scandrett, M.B., B.S. (Sydney)
Byers, Alan Howard, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., M.B., B.S. (London)
Cavanagh, Charlotte Patricia, M.B., B.S. (London)
Chan, Ping Chuen, M.B., B.S. (Hong Kong)
Das, Purnendu Kumar, M.B., B.S. (Utkal)
Farhat, El-Metwally Farhat Nofal, M.B., B.Ch. (Cairo)
Gadelrab, Raafat Rifaat, M.M., B.Ch. (Cairo)
Hadzilias, Jan Nikita, M.B., Ch.B. (Alexandria)
Hayat, Shaikat, M.B., B.S. (Patna)
Hegazi, Ahmed Abdel, Fatah Mohamed, M.B., B.Ch. (Cairo)
Izzat, Ayham Basri, M.B., Ch.B. (Alexandria)
Jain, Saubhagyamal, M.B., B.S. (Indore)
Jan, Sangi Mar, M.B., B.S. (Punjab, Pak.)
Kapoor, Praveshkumar Desraj, M.B., B.S. (Bombay)
Khayat, Mohamed Nour, M.D. (Pahlavi)
Khondker, Matiur Rahman, M.B., B.S. (Dacca)
Mirza, Pishtiwan Hama Rasheed, M.B., Ch.B. (Mosul)
Mugaddu, Eric Grace, M.B., Ch.B. (Makerere)
Qureshi, Shabbeer Ahmad, M.B., B.S. (Punjab, Pak.)
Rahman, Shah Mohammad Lutfur, M.B., B.S. (Dacca)
Rama, Varma Akathemadathil, M.B., B.S. (Kerala)
Rao, Pavuluri Ramamohana, M.B., B.S. (Andhra)
Sarkar, Arun Kumar, M.B., B.S. (Calcutta)
Shah, Vikram Sarabhai, M.B., B.S. (Saurashtra)
Shrivastava, Lokesh Brijbhushanlal, M.B., B.S. (Bombay)

Shukla, Amitsv, M.B., B.S. (Kanpur)
 Tadros, Samuel Shafik, M.B., Ch.B. (Alexandria)
 Turk, Rafique, M.B., B.S. (Dacca)
 Yatigammana, Nalini, M.B., B.S. (Ceylon)
 Yeoh, Lam Hoe, M.B., B.S. (Singapore)
 Youssef, Mohamed Reda, M.B., B.Ch. (Cairo)

ANNOUNCEMENT

JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN AUDITORY SOCIETY
 changes to
 EAR AND HEARING

The Journal of the American Auditory Society will change its name, editor, editorial thrust, and format beginning 1 January 1980. The new journal, named *Ear and Hearing*, will now be edited by Ross J. Roeser, Ph.D., Chief of Audiology, Callier Center for Communication Disorders/UTD, Dallas, Texas.

Ear and Hearing is designed principally for the practising clinician/physician/educator who is dealing with the assessment, diagnosis, and management of auditory disorders. As such the journal will be of primary interest to audiologists, otologists, educators of the hearing impaired, and those involved in the design and manufacturing of hearing aids. The overall goal of the journal is in direct harmony with the aims of the American Auditory Society: to increase knowledge of human hearing, to promote conservation of hearing, and to foster habilitation and rehabilitation of the hearing impaired. The journal will translate current research data into clinical concepts.

The new journal will be published bi-monthly (6 issues per year). Members of The American Auditory Society will receive the publication as part of their annual dues, but subscription may also be purchased directly from the publisher, Williams and Wilkins Company (428 E. Preston Street, Baltimore, MD 21202).

Featured in the new publication will be up-to-date submitted manuscripts on clinically relevant topics, as well as regular sections that will be edited by well known scholars. The list of Section Editors includes AAS members: Phillip A. Bellefleur, Ph.D., Henry M. Carder, M.D., J. Donald Harris, Ph.D., Robert W. Keith, Ph.D., Todd Porter, M.A., F. Blair Simmons, M.D., John C. Sinclair, Ph.D., and W. Dix Ward, Ph.D.

Papers are now being accepted for Volume 1. Authors with manuscripts are invited to send four copies to: Ross J. Roeser, Ph.D., Editor, *Ear and Hearing*, 1966 Inwood Road, Dallas, Texas 75235.

XVIITH HEAD AND NECK SURGERY COURSE

A Course will be run in Head and Neck Surgery in St. Andrews, Scotland, from the 16th to the 21st of March 1980. The Course covers all aspects of Head and Neck Surgery and is organized by Dr. A. G. D. Maran and Professor Philip M. Stell. It is hoped that the guest faculty will include Professor Oscar Kleinsasser. For further details and application forms, please write to Dr. A. G. D. Maran, 15 Cluny Drive, Edinburgh EH10 6DW.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION OF OTOLARYNGOLOGISTS

THE object of the Association is to promote the standards of practice of otolaryngology and to assist British otolaryngologists to secure improvements in their departments. The elected members of the council, drawn from all areas of the United Kingdom, make recommendations on matters of policy affecting the specialty to the D.H.S.S., the Royal College of Surgeons, and any other body concerned.

Full membership is open to anyone engaged *solely* in the practice of otolaryngology or audiological medicine. Associate membership is open to anyone practising otolaryngology in a grade other than that of consultant.

The subscription is tax deductible.

Anyone interested in applying for membership should write to the Honorary Secretary, British Association of Otolaryngologists, at The Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN.

EIGHTH GLASGOW TEMPORAL BONE DISSECTION COURSE

A THREE day practical Course in Temporal Bone Dissection will be held over the weekend 25, 26 and 27 January 1980. This Course is primarily designed for those in the Registrar and Senior Registrar grades. The Course will comprise dissection of the temporal bone integrated with lectures on the indications, techniques and results of otological surgery and on the gross and histological anatomy of the temporal bone. This will be supplemented by televised surgical demonstrations.

Mr. A. Baxter, Consultant, Mr. G. G. Browning, Consultant and Senior Lecturer in Otolaryngology, University of Glasgow, and Mr. A. M. Pettigrew, Senior Registrar, are the Course Lecturers. The Course will be held in the Temporal Bone Laboratory, Level 8, Phase I, Western Infirmary, Glasgow G11 6NT.

The Course fee is £85 and includes lunch, coffee and reception. The Course is recognized by the Scottish Committee for Postgraduate Medical Education and is, therefore, approved for study leave and expenses. Accommodation can be arranged if desired.

Further details from: The 1880 Foundation, 306 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow G2 5RX. Telephone: 041-221-7921 Extension 19.

O.R.S.
(OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGICAL RESEARCH SOCIETY)

THE above society meets on the first Friday in April and October of every year. The October meeting is held at the Institute of Laryngology and Otology, Gray's Inn Road, London WC1, and the April meeting is held at a provincial centre.

Those wishing to become members of this society, or to read a paper to the society, should contact the Secretary at the undernoted address.

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P.O. Box 147,
Liverpool L7 8XP.

SIXTH SHAMBAUGH INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON
OTOMICROSURGERY

AND

THIRD SHEA FLUCTUANT HEARING LOSS SYMPOSIUM

THE ABOVE MEETINGS

will be held in the

THORNE HALL OF NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, CHICAGO,

from 3-7 MARCH 1980

THE provisional programme, with an impressive international panel of speakers, includes sessions on newer diagnostic tests in otology; middle-ear effusion and its sequelae; tinnitus and sensorineural loss; facial nerve surgery; etiology and medical and surgical treatment of fluctuant hearing loss; cholesteatoma; ossicular problems and techniques; and otosclerosis.

For further information, write to:

National Hearing Association,
1010 Jorie Boulevard, Suite 308,
Oak Brook, Illinois 60521,
U.S.A.

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I. INTERNATIONAL POST-GRADUATE COURSE WITH INSTRUCTIONAL SESSIONS
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II. INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM—FRENCH MULTI-REGIONAL SESSIONS (Simultaneous translation). Registration Fees: 500 F.F.

Friday, 25 April: RHINOLOGY AND FACE—OTOLOGY

Saturday, 26 April: LARYNGOLOGY AND NECK—FUNCTIONAL INVESTIGATIONS

III. REGISTRATION FEES. The complete programme (International Course and Symposium): 1 500 French Francs (social programme not included).

Detailed information about the scientific and social programme will be sent on receipt of the registration form, which is obtainable from:

Fondation Portmann,
114 Avenue d'Arès,
33 000 Bordeaux,
France.

TUTORIAL COURSE FOR THE FINAL FRCS EXAMINATION

APPLICATIONS are invited for a postal tutorial course from trainees in ENT Surgery preparing for the Final FRCS (ENT) examination.

The course, commencing in January 1980, will run for 12 weeks and further details may be obtained from:

Mr. R. P. E. Barton,
ENT Department,
Leicester Royal Infirmary,
Leicester. U.K.

