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SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION.

THE SPRING MEETING of the South-Eastern Division was held by the courtesy of Dr. Thomas Lindsay and of the London County Council at Caterham Hospital, Caterham, Surrey, on Thursday, May 6, 1937.

Members inspected the hospital and grounds.

A Meeting of the Divisional Committee of Management took place at 1.15 p.m.

Members and their guests were entertained to lunch, at which, after the loyal toast, Dr. Sergeant in his inimitable fashion proposed the health of our hosts, to which Dr. Lindsay replied.

The meeting then took place. Dr. Brooks Keith, Divisional Chairman, took the Chair, and the following members were present:

Drs. W. R. Ashby, C. N. Atlee, F. G. L. Barnes, H. C. Beccle, H. M. Berncastle, Cedric W. Bower, L. C. Cook, T. Crowley, J. G. Duncan, C. J. C. Earl, E. J. Fitz-Gerald, F. L. Golla, Gwenvron M. Griffiths, F. H. Guppy, H. G. L. Haynes, E. J. C. Hewitt, J. K. C. Laing, E. O. Lewis, Thomas Lindsay, M. R. Lockwood, W. McCartan, R. M. Macfarlane, W. F. Menzies, L. Minski, W. D. Nicol, Norman Oliver, K. Paddle, A. A. W. Petrie, Anne B. Price, Ethel A. Orchard, Noel Sergeant, Ian Skottowe, J. A. Small, W. Rees Thomas and A. Walk.

Letters of apology for absence were received from Sir Laurence Brock, Sir Hubert Bond, Dr. F. Douglas Turner and Dr. G. W. Smith.

The minutes of the previous meeting, having been published in the Journal, were taken as read and confirmed.

The following new members were unanimously elected:

BONNELL, HUGH EMRYS, B.Sc.Wales, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Visiting Pathologist, Runwell Hospital, Wickford, Essex; 16, Queenswood Court, King's Avenue, London, S.W. 4.
Proposed by Dr. Ström-Olsen.
Seconded by Drs. Stanley M. Coleman and S. L. Last.

PATTERSON, ALEXANDER STAFFORD, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.Belf., Assistant Medical Officer, Leybourne Grange Colony, West Malling, Kent.
Proposed by Dr. R. Fitzroy Jarrett.
Seconded by Drs. W. Gordon Masefield and Francis L. Scott.

FERGUSON, HENRY ROBB, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M., Senior Assistant Physician, Royal Earlswood Institution, Redhill, Surrey.
Proposed by Dr. Stephen Langton.
Seconded by Drs. J. R. A. Madgwick and Bernard Cates.

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The following were elected Members of the Divisional Committee of Management: Drs. Bower, Earl, Haynes, Brooks Keith, Lindsay, McDowall and Stewart.

Dr. R. M. Macfarlane was unanimously re-elected Divisional Secretary.

The following Representative Members of Council were elected: Drs. Bower, Hamilton, Haynes, Fitzroy Jarrett, Brooks Keith, Stewart.

Dr. R. M. Stewart was unanimously elected Chairman of the Division.

The fixing of the date and place of the Autumn Meeting was left in the hands of the Divisional Secretary.

It was agreed to submit to the Educational Committee the following three nominations for the post of Examiner for the Final Nursing Examination: Drs. McCartan, Power and Ström-Olsen.

It was agreed to recommend to the Nominations Committee that Dr. S. A. Kinnier Wilson be nominated for election as an Honorary Member of the Association.*

Dr. R. M. Stewart then took the Chair vacated by Dr. Brooks Keith.

In the absence, through illness, of Dr. Kinnier Wilson, Dr. GOLLA and Dr. EARL gave a most interesting demonstration of neurological cases, more particularly of mental defectives showing various forms of motility disorder.

Dr. STEWART proposed a vote of thanks to Drs. Golla and Earl, which was seconded by Dr. LINDSAY; carried.

Members and their guests were entertained to tea.

SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION.

THE SPRING, 1937, MEETING of the Division was held at Holme Lacy, the private annexe to the Hereford County and City Mental Hospital, on Thursday, April 29, 1937.

The following members were present: Drs. P. W. Carruthers, A. C. King-Turner, N. Moulson, Sidney Davies, N. R. Phillips, J. W. Leech, E. P. Boyle, J. J. B. Martin, P. L. Hemphill, T. E. Burrows, James M. Rutherford, A. Walk, J. D. Thomas, H. W. Hills, R. W. Gilmour, W. S. J. Shaw, E. Casson, Bertha M. Mules, Anne S. Mules, G. W. T. H. Fleming, J. R. Benson and S. Edgar Martin, Hon. Divisional Secretary.

The undermentioned attended as visitors: Mr. T. J. Hawkins (Chairman of the Hospital Committee), Capt. T. P. P. Powell (Chairman of the Hereford County Council), Dr. J. R. Bulman (President of the Hereford Medical Society), and E. V. Norton Bell, Esq.

Dr. J. R. Benson was in the chair.

Apologies for absence were received from Drs. H. F. Fenton, J. S. Horsley, C. Lovell and others.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The CHAIRMAN referred to the sad loss the Division had sustained by the death of Dr. J. L. Jackson, who had been a member of the Division for many years and who had also served the Association recently as Chairman. It was unanimously decided to ask the Hon. Secretary to write to Mrs. Jackson conveying the deepest sympathy of the members with her in her bereavement. The Chairman asked the members to stand silent for a minute.

Dr. P. W. CARRUTHERS proposed and Dr. A. C. KING-TURNER seconded that Dr. S. Edgar Martin should be re-elected Hon. Secretary.

The HON. SECRETARY mentioned that it had been reported to the Committee of Management that Dr. E. Barton White (who had been nominated as Representative

* The regretted death of Dr. Wilson unfortunately prevented this recommendation from going forward.

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