given. Any member wishing a copy of this extremely good memorandum should write to Dr. James Milne.

In the forenoon a very successful meeting had taken place conjointly with the Scottish Branch of the Society of Medical Officers of Health.

The principal speakers at this meeting were Dr. I. A. G. MacQueen, Dr. Allan C. Tait and Dr. D. Cameron, who dealt with various problems of the prevention and after-care of psychiatric illness. These papers produced a most stimulating discussion and a recommendation that a joint committee, representing both bodies, should be set up to further investigation into the various psychiatric problems concerned with prevention and after-care of psychiatric cases. The members of this committee to be the respective Chairmen and Secretaries and any nominated representatives of the bodies concerned.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

THE SUMMER MEETING of the Scottish Division of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association was held at the Royal Scottish National Institution, Larbert, on Friday, 18 June, 1954. Forty-three members were present.

At the morning session Dr. Kenneth Cameron discussed the past, present and future developments in Child Psychiatry and Dr. Martha Foale demonstrated some paintings done by delinquent mental defectives. At both the above sessions a lively and stimulating discussion followed the main presentation.

A letter was received from the Church of Scotland Home Board, suggesting that many of their Chaplains, especially those in industrial areas, would welcome some lectures in psychology and elementary psychiatry. The Committee of Management had given favourable consideration to this request but thought that it would be wise to have the opinion of the University Teachers in Psychiatry and for the matter to be discussed at the Meeting. After full discussion, it was agreed that favourable consideration be given to the request and that after the Secretary had discussed the matter further with the Church Authorities, the matter could be left in the hands of the Management Committee to make a final decision and report to the Division.

GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL—FINAL EXAMINATION—REGULATIONS

Consideration was given to a letter from Dr. J. McDougall concerning the recent regulations for the Final Examination for the G.N.C. The point at issue was the minimum age for acceptance on the Register. The Secretary was instructed to obtain a clear ruling on this point before any further action was decided upon.

Drs. E. J. C. Hewitt and R. Bailey were nominated as Representative and Deputy to Central Consultants and Specialists Committee (Scotland).

Dr. W. J. B. Roger spoke on the urgent need for accommodation for mentally handicapped and maladjusted children in Scotland. He further asked if some recommendation to this effect could be submitted to the Secretary of State forthwith. After a short discussion, it was remitted to the Child Psychiatry Section to deal with this as it appeared that any such recommendation had to be made by Monday, 21 June.

Dr. Norman Taylor gave a most interesting and carefully prepared paper on **"Some Clinical Aspects of Homosexuality"**.

Members recorded their appreciation and gratitude to Dr. Spence and his staff for their hospitality and the general efficiency of the arrangements made for the meeting.

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