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SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION

THE SPRING DIVISIONAL MEETING was held at Shenley Hospital, St. Albans, Herts., on Wednesday, 6 April, 1966, by kind invitation of the Hospital Management Committee, and of Dr. B. Gilsenan, Chairman of the Group Medical Advisory Committee and his medical colleagues.

Members visited centres of special interest, including Villa 21, Villa 10, a mixed admission unit, the mothers and babies unit, the occupational therapy departments, the industrial unit, and the medical administrative offices. They were afterwards entertained to lunch, at which the Chairman of the Hospital Management Committee, Mr. A. P. G. Walters, welcomed the Association to Shenley, and briefly surveyed plans for the psychiatric organization in the future. Replying on behalf of the Association, Dr. Hardwick, Chairman of the Division, expressed his gratitude for the most interesting arrangements made by the Hospital.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting held at Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Herts., were read and approved.

The Divisional Committee of Management's Report referred to the Special Adjourned Annual General Meetings held in London on 20 November, 1965 and 11 February, 1966. At the November Meeting the proposals relating to the substitution of Branches for the Divisions were carried with the following amendments:

1. Candidates for Chairmanship of Branches and Special Divisions shall be proposed and seconded by meetings of the Special Executive Committees.
2. When Representative Members of Council are elected, deputies shall also be elected to act in their place if the principal cannot attend.

The new Bye-laws would have the effect of dissolving the present South-Eastern Division; this would be replaced by the Southern Branch, consisting of the present geographical areas comprised by the South-East and South-West Metropolitan Regional Hospital Boards.

The Committee had the current policy of the Ministry of Health in relation to the merging of psychiatric hospital groups with the general hospital groups under discussion, and further information was being sought from the Psychological Medicine Group of the B.M.A. and from the Parliamentary Committee of the R.M.P.A.

The following Officers, recommended by the Divisional Committee of Management, were elected unanimously:

Chairman	Dr. B. M. Gilsenan
Secretary	Dr. A. J. Oldham
Assistant Secretary	Dr. D. M. Leiberman
Junior Representative on Council	Dr. I. G. Christie

Members of Committee:
Drs. Russell Barton, A. Graham, G. P. Hartigan, A. M. Edwards, P. G. Woolf, J. Bruce.

The following were elected ordinary members of the Association:

ATSYOR, JOHN OLYMPIO KWESI EKUDI, M.B., Ch.B., B.A.O., Clinical Assistant, Bethlem Royal and Maudsley Hospitals: Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, S.E.5.
Proposed by Drs. G. F. M. Russell, D. L. Davies, E. H. Hare.

BOYD, PHILIP RALSTON, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Clinical Assistant, Academic Department of Psychiatry, Middlesex Hospital, London, W.1.
Proposed by Drs. J. M. Hinton, A. K. Crisp, N. Moore.

COCHEME, MANUEL ALFRED XAVIER, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., D.T.M. & H., D.P.M., Consultant Psychiatrist, West Park Hospital, Epsom, Surrey.
Proposed by Drs. P. A. Bachrich, H. J. Stott, J. Merry.

CULLEN, PATRICK JOSEPH, M.B., B.Ch., D.P.M., Registrar, Halliwick Hospital; 75 Lady Margaret Road, London, N.W.5.
Proposed by Drs. S. Benaim, E. Larkin, J. T. Bruce.

EVANS, DAVID GWYN, M.A., B.M., B.Ch., D.P.M., Registrar, St. George's Hospital, London, S.W.1.
Proposed by Drs. P. B. Storey, P. R. Evans, D. H. Dick.

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GARCIA, CARLOS R., M.D., Clinical Assistant, Institute of Psychiatry; 40 Canfield Gardens, London, N.W.6.
Proposed by Drs. P. J. Graham, E. Moran, D. L. Davies.

GREEN, ELIZABETH AIMEE, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M., Senior Registrar, Cell Barnes Hospital, St. Albans, Herts.
Proposed by Drs. G. W. Fisher, J. M. Berg, A. Shapiro.

HARWIN, BRIAN GORDON, M.B., Ch.B., General Practitioner, 4 The Birches, Fanrborough Common, Orpington, Kent.
Proposed by Drs. L. Gilchrist, E. Dunkley, R. Tredgold.

HATTON, WILLIAM MICHAEL, M.B., B.S., Registrar, Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Watford, Herts.
Proposed by Drs. E. W. Shepherd, J. T. R. Bavin, W. W. Campbell.

HEINE, BERNARD EDMUND, M.B., Ch.B., D.C.H., D.P.M., Registrar, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5.
Proposed by Drs. W. Warren, F. Post, D. H. Bennett.

HOLLAND, E. K., B.A., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., General Practitioner, 200 Hermon Hill, London, E.18.
Proposed by Drs. D. A. Pond, E. M. Rich, A. Walk.

ISSROFF, JUDITH, M.B., B.Ch., Registrar in Child Psychiatry, West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex.
Proposed by Drs. F. P. Haldane, J. R. Hood, N. Cohen.

KANAKARATNAM, GUNASEELAN, M.B., B.S., Registrar, Fairfield Hospital, Stotfold, Hitchin, Herts.
Proposed by Drs. J. D. Farley, Anne Buckley, T. M. Moylett.

KEANE, ANDREW ALPHONSUS, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., D.C.H., Registrar, Leavesden Hospital; Gabled House, College Road, Abbots Langley, Watford, Herts.
Proposed by Drs. J. T. R. Bavin, C. Finn, E. W. Shepherd.

LYON, JOHN STUART, M.B., B.Chir., Junior Medical Officer, Tooting Bec Hospital, London, S.W.17.
Proposed by R. D. Watson, T. H. Bewley, M. Markowe.

MACLEAN, RONA, M.B., B.S., D.P.M., D.R.C.O.G., Clinical Assistant, Department of Psychological Medicine, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, E.C.1.
Proposed by Drs. C. M. B. Pare, W. Linford Rees, Vivienne Cohen.

MORGENSTERN, FRANZ STEPHEN, M.A., B.M., Ch.B., D.P.M., Research Worker, Institute of Psychiatry; 3 Thorpewood Avenue, London, S.E.26.
Proposed by Drs. I. M. Marks, M. L. Rutter, D. H. Bennett.

OSBORN, JANET ANNE, M.B., Ch.B., Registrar, Mabledon Hospital, Dartford, Kent.
Proposed by Drs. G. Bram, J. Willis, H. I. Rose.

PAINE, DAVID STEVENS, M.A., M.B., B.Chir., Registrar, Netherne Hospital; 44 Dry Hill Park Road, Tonbridge, Kent.
Proposed by Drs. H. E. S. Marshall, M. J. Raymond, R. K. Freudenberg.

PEDDER, JONATHAN RICHARD, M.A., B.M., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., Registrar, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5.
Proposed by Drs. R. Levy, A. J. Costello, M. H. Lader.

RASCHID, MOHAMMAD SALMAN, M.A., M.B., B.Chir., Registrar, Banstead Hospital, Sutton, Surrey.
Proposed by Drs. P. W. Richmond, E. A. Brown, J. C. Higginson.

RIDDALL, MICHAEL WALTER, B.A., M.B., B.Chir., Registrar, West Park Hospital, Epsom, Surrey.
Proposed by Drs. G. Woolfson, H. J. Stott, A. L. Parker.

RUSSELL, MICHAEL ANTHONY HAMILTON, B.M., M.R.C.P., Registrar, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5.
Proposed by Drs. M. G. Gelder, R. E. Kendell, P. J. Noble.

SHEIKH, IGBAL HUSSAIN, M.B., B.S., Junior Medical Officer, Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Watford, Herts.
Proposed by Drs. E. W. Shepherd, J. T. R. Bavin, C. I. Finn.

STRAND, KARL, M.D., Ph.D., Junior Medical Officer, West Park Hospital, Epsom, Surrey.
Proposed by Drs. G. Woolfson, J. Merry, P. R. Bachrich.

TEO, SENG HOCK, M.B., B.S., Clinical Assistant, Bethlem Royal Hospital; 110 Westbury Court, Clapham South, London, S.W.4.
Proposed by Drs. G. H. B. Baker, L. K. Hemsi, P. J. Graham.

Dr. S. T. Hayward, Dr. D. G. Cooper, and Dr. D. T. Bardon, read papers on **"Why Villa 21?"**. The speakers described the setting up in a Villa at Shenley Hospital of a special unit for the treatment of schizophrenic patients. This unit was run on group therapy lines, with a minimum of pharmacological treatment, and the patients were encouraged to organize their own occupations and therapeutic programme.

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Problems in the running of this unit were described in relation to medical treatment and organization and also from the point of view of the nursing staff. Mr. A., himself a patient in the unit, gave a most graphic account of his reactions. A prolonged and detailed discussion ensued.

At the end of the Meeting, the Chairman thanked the speakers for their most interesting papers.

SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION

THE AUTUMN MEETING of the South-Western Division was held at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, Southampton, on Thursday, 28 October, 1965, by kind invitation of the Officer Commanding, Colonel Desmond Murphy.

During the forenoon, members were shown round the Hospital. At lunch, members and guests were welcomed by Major-General W. B. F. Brennan, D.D.M.S., Southern Command. The Divisional Chairman, Dr. A. J. Galbraith, gave thanks in reply.

The Divisional Committee of Management reported on its meeting that morning. With reference to the proposed new Branches, which were to replace the Divisions, the Committee considered that it would be of benefit to the West Country Branch (South-Western and Wessex Regions) if the Oxford Region remained in it, instead of being aligned with the North-West Metropolitan Region. It was understood, however, that there was some divergence of opinion about this in the Oxford Region, and the Committee felt that a more definite opinion of the views of members in the Region should be sought by a postal ballot.

Arrangements were proceeding for the meeting of the Psychotherapy and Social Psychiatry Section in Bristol in April, 1966.

The Committee had agreed to put forward the following names for appointment to the Welsh Hospital Board, on which there was at present no psychiatric representation: Drs. J. P. Spillane, T. P. Riordan and G. M. King.

Professors Russell Davis and Rawnsley and Drs. Heaton-Ward and Lindsay Walker were due to retire and were not eligible for re-election to the Divisional Committee of Management. The Secretary was asked to approach Drs. Francis Pilkington, J. Lomas, P. Swinson, H. J. Crow, to ask if they would be willing to serve on the Committee, and Members were asked to forward any other nominations to the Secretary.

The following Candidates were elected to Ordinary Membership:

ARROYAVE-PORTELA, FERNANDO, L.M.S., Senior House Officer, Littlemore Hospital, Oxford.
Proposed by Drs. F. J. J. Letemendia, D. H. C. Surridge, K. L. K. Trick.

COOK, ANTHONY RAYMOND, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.M., Registrar, Morgannwg Hospital, Bridgend.
Proposed by Drs. J. M. Cuthill, H. V. R. Jones, M. W. Annear.

CROW, HENRY JAMES, *D.F.C.*, M.A., M.D., Clinical Director, Burden Neurological Institute, Bristol.
Proposed by Professor F. L. Golla, Drs. V. O. G. Smyth, W. A. Heaton-Ward.

HINCHLIFFE, MARY KATHERINE, M.B., B.S., D.C.H., D.P.M., D.Obst.R.C.O.G., Medical Officer, Glenside Hospital, Stapleton, Bristol.
Proposed by Drs. D. F. Early, A. H. Ogden, R. W. K. Reeves.

JONES, EVAN JOHN, M.B., B.Ch., Registrar, Knowle Hospital, Fareham, Hampshire.
Proposed by Drs. A. J. Galbraith, R. A. Sandison, S. McKeith.

KELLAND, CLIFFORD HENRY, M.B., B.S., Trainee Psychiatrist, Royal Victoria, Hospital, Netley.
Proposed by Drs. G. G. Wallis, N. Lis, A. W. Scott-Brown.

LIPSCOMB, COLIN FRANCIS, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.M., Registrar, St. James's Hospital, Portsmouth.
Proposed by Drs. E. G. W. Cross, P. C. Matthews, G. D. Knight.

ORR, JAMES HENRY, M.B., Ch.B., Medical Officer, H.M. Prison, Winchester.
Proposed by Drs. R. W. Simpson, W. L. Milligan, D. Duncan.

SCOTT, JOHN FREDERICK, B.A., M.B., B.Ch., D.P.M., Consultant Psychiatrist, St. Matthew's Hospital, Lichfield, and Walsall Group of Hospitals; 67 Orchard Avenue, Parkstone, Poole, Dorset.
Proposed by Drs. J. L. Clegg, M. R. Morton, E. T. Rolston.

SINGH, GURMEET, M.B., B.S., D.P.M., Registrar, St. John's Hospital, Stone, Aylesbury, Bucks.
Proposed by Drs. D. C. Watt, A. Elkes, A. Wadud.

The Chairman informed the Meeting that Dr. Mary Monro had been awarded the Divisional Prize for her Paper read at the Spring Meeting at Oxford in 1964.

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