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WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

THE WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING was held on Thursday, 11 February, 1965, at the Royal Society of Medicine under the Presidency of Dr. Ian Skottowe.

Minutes

The Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting held on 20 November, 1964, having been published in the Supplement to the *British Journal of Psychiatry*, were approved.

Obituary

The President announced with regret the death of the following members:

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HINCKS, CLARENCE MEREDITH, A.B., M.D., General Director of Mental Hygiene Committee for Canada. A Corresponding Member since 1931.

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Election of Ordinary Members

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Election of Associate Members

The following, approved by Council on 19 November, 1964, were unanimously elected to Associate Membership:

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Proposed by Drs. J. D. W. Fisher, R. W. K. Reeves, A. R. May.

Report of Council Proceedings

The General Secretary read the following report:

"At the meeting of Council held yesterday afternoon the General Secretary gave a detailed report regarding the position reached in presenting the Petition to the Privy Council for a change of title to Royal College of Psychiatrists. Individual approaches to Government departments which might be concerned had resulted in somewhat differing opinions being expressed. These varied from a distinctly unfavourable opinion which suggested that the R.M.P.A. was unlikely to be granted a Supplemental Charter to change its name, to a distinctly more favourable opinion. The latest information suggested that the change of title might not be granted until the new structure of the higher qualification had been demonstrated as working successfully in practice for some time."

The General Secretary said that the position might perhaps be summarized by saying that if the Association is to get the name of College it must be shown that it is merited and is in the public interest.

The General Secretary's report continued:

"Council next considered the Report of the Special Committee on a Higher Qualification and the Revision of the Bye-Laws. The Committee reported that they appeared to be nearing agreement about the recommendation they were to submit to Council about the method of electing the President. The Committee had considered carefully the question as to whether there should be one or two academic levels after the passing of the first qualification. They had considered, in other words, whether to follow the pattern of the Royal College of Physicians with Members by examination and Fellows awarded that distinction some time after becoming Members, or whether to follow the example of the Royal College of Surgeons and to have a Fellowship granted as a result of passing the higher examination. The Committee had reached agreement that it would be recommending to Council to have a Fellowship analogous to the Fellowship of the Royal College of Surgeons. The Committee were ready to recommend to Council on the general structure of an examination leading to election to the Fellowship. The designing and running of the examination will, if these recommendations are accepted, be in the hands of a Court of Electors. The President and the Registrar would be *ex-officio* members: There would be 15 other members. Nominations would normally be made by Council, but provision would be made for nominations by other channels. The members of the Court of Electors would be elected from the list of nominations, by a postal vote of all Fellows. The Electors would have discretion to exempt applicants for the Fellowship from some or all parts of the examination except the final viva conducted by the Court of Electors. Exemptions could be granted on the basis of the candidates' existing qualifications, or on the basis of the standing or experience of the candidate, or his published work. The final viva could, at the discretion of the Court, be anything between a very searching test and a formality. The proposals were that the examination should consist of:

(*a*) A general paper on the history of psychiatry and current trends of thought, and on basic sciences and methods.

(*b*) A paper on general medicine in relation to psychiatry.

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(*c*) A paper on psychopathology in the broadest sense and on social psychiatry and social pathology.

(*d*) A paper on clinical psychiatry, with alternative questions for those whose experience is in special fields such as subnormality or child psychiatry.

(*e*) A clinical and viva voce examination.

(*f*) The final interview by the Court of Electors.

Exemption from the first five parts could be granted by the Court of Electors.

"This is the pattern so far, but it may well be changed by Council. It was emphasized that the question of Foundation Members and the setting up of the Court of Electors *de novo* had not yet been discussed.

"I have condensed this report on other matters because of the importance of the first two items.

"It was announced to Council that the lease for the premises at Chandos House had been signed. There is every hope that the move will start next week.

"The Treasurer reported that the excess of income over expenditure for 1964 amounted to £1,801. The accounts will be published in the Annual Report which will be submitted to the Annual General Meeting in July.

"The Editor-in-Chief secured the support of Council for a proposal to publish a series of Monographs in connection with the *Journal*.

"The Registrar reported two further series of very successful Maudsley Bequest lectures.

"The Education Committee reported that they had set up a Sub-Committee to consider improvements in the teaching of mental deficiency to undergraduates. They recommended that steps should be taken to produce a new edition of the Handbook for Mental Deficiency Nurses. They reported that they were preparing evidence for the Special Committee on Medical Education of the General Medical Council.

"The Parliamentary Committee reported that they had set up a Sub-Committee to consult with the Ministry of Health on the drafting of future Building Notes and the revision of existing Building Notes, when these fell due.

"The Papers and Discussions Committee report outlined the arrangements for the Joint Meeting with the American Psychiatric Association in Edinburgh, which were now complete. They also reported on arrangements for the Annual Meeting in July in Glasgow. Full details will, of course, be published.

"The Public Relations Committee recommended that the Council should postpone consideration of a Joint Working Party with the Public Information Committee of the National Association for Mental Health for the present.

"A letter from the Forensic Psychiatry Sub-Committee asking that the Sub-Committee should be raised in status to a Section was deferred for the present. The matter was referred to the Special Committee considering the revision of the bye-laws.

"Council approved the Report of the Joint Committee of the R.M.P.A. and the Society of Medical Officers of Health and passed a special vote of thanks to Dr. Isabel Wilson for her work in ensuring that the Report was completed."

The President invited questions from the audience, but none were forthcoming.

PAPERS

Drug Treatment of Schizophrenia

"Chemical Structure of Phenothiazine Derivatives in Relation to Their Action."
Dr. Derek Richter.

"Therapeutic Indications and Clinical Effects of Different Phenothiazine Drugs in Schizophrenia."
Dr. John Denham.

"Treatment of Schizophrenia by Non-Phenothiazine Derivatives."
Professor W. H. Trethowan.

"The Use of Neuroleptics in Association with Physical Methods in Treatment of Schizophrenia."
Dr. William Sargant.

"The Place of Drug Therapy in Schizophrenia in Relation to Social Therapy and Rehabilitation."
Dr. D. Bennett.

Seminars

Seminars organized jointly by the Association and the International League Against Epilepsy were held at the Royal Society of Medicine under the following headings:

"General Introduction and Neurological Aspects of Epilepsy."
Dr. Aldren Turner.

"The Neuropathology of Epilepsy."
Dr. R. M. Norman.

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"EEG and the Neurophysiology of Epilepsy."
Dr. M. W. Driver.

"The Biochemistry and Biophysics of Convulsivity."
Dr. Derek Richter.

"The Psychiatric Aspects of Epilepsy."
Dr. Donald Liddell.

"Treatment: (*a*) Surgical."
Dr. John Potter.

"Treatment: (*b*) Social and Pharmacological."
Dr. Robert Porter.

Film Show

At the Film Show Dr. J. A. R. Bickford introduced his film "High Road or Low Road". "The Seven Ages of Psychiatry" was also shown.

Section Meetings

Professor Norbert Elias presented a paper "Sociology and Psychiatry—Interdisciplinary Problems" to the Psychotherapy and Social Psychiatry Section. The Child Psychiatry Section met at University College Hospital Medical School and Dr. Mavis Gunter and Dr. L. Frankl discussed the film "First Responses in Feeding". This meeting was followed by the Section's Annual Dinner. Dr. J. M. Berg opened a discussion by the Mental Deficiency Section on Records and Clinical Documentation. The following papers were presented at the open meeting of the Research and Clinical Section at the Maudsley Hospital:

"Cerebral Biopsy in the Investigation of Pre-Senile Dementia.

(*a*) *Clinical Aspects.*
Dr. Myre Sim.

(*b*) *Pathological Aspects.*
Dr. Walter Smith.

"The Genetical Aspects of the Dementias."
Dr. Valerie Cowie.

"Is Dementia a Unitary Defect or a Collection of Specific Disabilities?"
Mr. Malcolm Piercey.

"EEG in Pre-Senile Dementia, with Particular Reference to Huntington's Chorea."
Dr. J. Margerison.
Dr. D. Scott.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

The Autumn Meeting of the Scottish Division was held at Crichton Royal, Dumfries, on 25 September, 1964, Dr. M. M. Whittet in the Chair.

The following were elected Ordinary Members of the Association:

Ali, Safdar, M.B., B.S., Registrar, Ailsa Hospital, Ayr.
Proposed by Drs. H. J. B. Miller, Margaret Inglis, A. McClelland.

Crosbie, John Clarkson Forrest, M.B., Ch.B., D.Obst.R.C.O.G., Registrar, Gartnavel Royal Hospital, Glasgow.
Proposed by Drs. A. MacNiven, J. Moffat, J. F. Anderson.

Short, Richard, L.R.C.P.&S.E., L.R.F.P.S.G., D.P.H., Senior Medical Officer, Mental Health Services, Edinburgh.
Proposed by Drs. A. K. M. Macrae, F. G. Lassalle, D. E. H. Beattie.

Soutter, Catherine Isabel, M.B., B.S., D.Obst. R.C.O.G., D.C.H., Assistant Medical Officer of Health, Mental Health Services, Edinburgh.
Proposed by Drs. A. K. M. Macrae, F. G. Lassalle, D. E. H. Beattie.

Membership of the Scottish Health Services Council. The Division recommended that Professor Carstairs should be put forward for re-appointment and that the name of Dr. James Harper should also be put forward for consideration by the Secretary of State.

Future Meetings. The response to the questionnaire sent out on the pattern of future meetings had been disappointing. Only 48 members replied, of whom 33 were in favour of maintaining the present pattern and 15 wished some change. It was decided to maintain the present pattern of meetings.

Future Organization of the Division. The Division recommended that an approach be made to the Scottish Home and Health Department with a view to arranging regular meetings between representatives of the Division and the Scottish Home and Health Department. It was noted that the only member of the Scottish Division who was a member of the R.M.P.A. Sub-Committee on the revision of the Bye-Laws and the institution of a Higher Qualification was Professor Carstairs, and it was decided that Professor Carstairs should be elected a member of the Committee of Management of the Scottish Division.

Membership of Regional Hospital Boards. The Division

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