2. Dr. H. WEIL-MALHERBE.—**" Experiments on the Presence of Hexokinase Activators or Inhibitors in Insulin Coma."**

3. Dr. Tow (in the absence of Dr. Robert H. F. Smith).—**" Penicillin in Neurosyphilis."**

Dr. BIERER then gave a demonstration of apparatus used in recording psychiatric interviews.

The members were afterwards entertained to tea.

NORTHERN & MIDLAND DIVISION.

AUTUMN MEETING.

The Autumn Meeting of the Division was held on Saturday, 27 September, 1947, at St. Nicholas' Hospital, Gosforth, Newcastle-on-Tyne, by kind invitation of the Medical Superintendent, Dr. J. Sawle Thomas.

The Hospital was open to inspection at 11 a.m., and at 12.30 p.m. the Divisional Committee of Management met at the Hospital.

A very excellent lunch was served at 1 p.m., and afterwards the Lord Mayor of Newcastle (Chairman of the Committee) welcomed members and guests.

The Divisional Chairman replied, and expressed the great appreciation of those present for the hospitality provided.

Election of Ordinary Members.

The following 11 Candidates were elected *en bloc ;*

ANARATSCHKE, BERTHA, M.D.Prague, The Cassel Hospital, Ash Hall, Bucknall, Stoke-on-Trent.
Proposed by Drs. T. F. Main, W. D. Wilkins and J. R. Rees.

BERLINER, FRITZ, M.D.Berlin, Senior Assistant Medical Officer, County Hospital, Mickleover, Derby.
Proposed by Drs. E. U. H. Pentreath, J. Victor Fennell and J. H. Colhoun.

BOURHILL, MAY TEODORA WALSHE, M.B., Ch.B.Edin., Oxford House, Warrington, Lancs.
Proposed by Drs. Gertrude Jefferson, J. E. Nicole and J. E. Howie.

GIBB, GEORGE MIDDLETON, M.B., Ch.B.St. And., D.P.M., Junior Assistant Medical Officer, Salop Mental Hospital, Shrewsbury.
Proposed by Drs. W. Stanley Hughes, G. Garmany and D. Early.

HARDMAN, WILLIAM LAWRENCE, M.D.Leeds, D.P.M., Psychiatric Specialist Ministry of Pensions ; Cons. Psychiatrist to the St. Helens School Medical, Service ; Inglewood, Grange-over-Sands.
Proposed by Drs. R. D. Newton, T. M. Cuthbert and D. D. Webster.

JARVIE, HUGH FORREST, B.Sc., M.B., Ch.B.Glasg., Assistant Medical Officer Cheadle Royal Mental Hospital, Cheadle, Cheshire.
Proposed by Drs. J. A. C. Roy, W. G. Thomson and P. M. Crowe.

KANE, FRANK, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.Belf., D.P.M., First Assistant Medical Officer, Salop Mental Hospital, Shrewsbury.
Proposed by Drs. W. Stanley Hughes, L. Barber and D. C. Dewar.

MUCKLE, THOMAS AUBREY, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.Belf., Senior Medical Officer, St. Nicholas' Hospital, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Proposed by Drs. J. Sawle Thomas, Frieze Stephens and T. M. Cuthbert.

MURPHY, JOHN, M.B., Ch.B., St. Nicholas' Hospital, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Proposed by Drs. J. Sawle Thomas, Alexander Kennedy and T. M. Cuthbert.

TETLOW, CLIFFORD, B.Sc., M.B., Ch.B.Manch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.R.C.O.G., Medical Officer, Central Hospital, near Warwick.
Proposed by Drs. E. S. Stern, S. W. Gillman and S. M. Reid.

WALLER, EVA, M.B., Ch.B.Leeds, Assistant Medical Officer, St. Nicholas' Hospital, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Proposed by Drs. J. Sawle Thomas, Alexander Kennedy, and T. M. Cuthbert.

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Two extremely interesting papers on aspects of juvenile delinquency were then given :

"**The Psychiatric Examination and Observation of Juvenile Delinquents,**" by ALEXANDER KENNEDY, M.D., M.R.C.P., D.P.M., Professor of Psychiatry in Durham University, and

"**The Classification of Boys Admitted to Approved Schools,**" by JOHN GITTINS, Esq., M.A., B.Sc., Principal, Aycliffe School and Classification Centre.

In the discussion which followed the following took part :

Dr. MUCKLE, Professor SPENCE, Drs. KRAUSS, FENTON, RUSSELL, SAWLE THOMAS, and one other member.

The Chairman then called on Professor NATTRASS, Professor of Medicine in the University, to propose a vote of thanks to the speakers.

This was seconded by Dr. J. R. MURRAY, and carried with acclamation.

The Chairman then conveyed to Dr. SAWLE THOMAS, the Medical Superintendent, the thanks of the meeting for a most interesting and successful meeting.

This concluded the meeting.

SCOTTISH DIVISION.

A MEETING of the Scottish Division of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association was held at the Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons, Glasgow, on Friday, 3 September, 1948, at 2.30 p.m.

Present.—Drs. Kate Fraser (Chairman), Laura Mill, Margaret Methven, Eliz. Cruikshank, Mary Knight, Professors D. R. MacCalman and Ferguson Rodger, Drs. A. Dick, T. R. Spence, W. N. J. Chapman, J. W. Macpherson, H. I. Clapham, J. Mathers, M. Millar, Ford Robertson, J. K. Grant, J. C. Anderson, J. H. MacDonald, W. Boyd, Haigh Mitchell, D. Yellowlees, M. Nirenbirski, A. M. Shenkin, R. Stewart, P. K. MacCowan, W. Mayer Cross, Hunter Gillies, J. McDougall, M. M. Whittet, A. McNiven, E. J. C. Hewitt.

Apologies for absence from—Prof. Sir David Henderson, Drs. W. McAlister, W. D. Chambers, W. MacWilliam, R. Bailey, C. A. Critchlow, J. Milne, G. M. Bell,

1. The CHAIRMAN opened the meeting by referring to the recent death of Dr. Francis Sutherland, a member of the Association since 1918, and a Deputy Commissioner of the Board of Control. Dr. Sutherland had been a well-known figure in Scotland, and would be extensively missed in the many homes he visited in the course of his duties. Members stood for a moment in silent tribute to the memory of a colleague who had passed on.

The Chairman then asked the SECRETARY to read the Minutes of the last meeting; these were read, found to be correct, and were duly signed. Arising out of the Minutes, the CHAIRMAN referred to a letter from the Hon. General Secretary, which she asked the SECRETARY to read. This explained that the nomination for Honorary Membership put forward by the Division for Dr. Jardine, Chairman of the Board of Control, had not been received in time for consideration by the Nomination Committee, and would have to be deferred until next year. With regard to copies of the Bye-laws, these were issued to all members two years ago ; extra copies can be obtained from the Hon. General Secretary at a cost of 2*s*. 3*d*. (including postage). The question of Section meetings would be discussed at the next Quarterly Meeting.

2. The names of those present were recorded and apologies for absence notified.

3. *Election of Ordinary Member.*—ISABELLA PATRICIA HARVIE, M.B., Ch.B., Kirklands Mental Hospital, Bothwell, Lanarkshire. *Proposed by* Drs. A. Dick, W. F. Thomson and A. M. Shenkin. After ballot Dr. Harvie was declared unanimously elected.

4. *Child Psychiatry.*—The Chairman called on Professor MACCALMAN to tell members about the recent meeting of the Child Psychiatry Sub-Committee, and also to outline the present position. Professor MacCalman discussed the Memo. of the Scottish Association for Mental Hygiene. He also referred to the admirable scheme now operating in Fife. Professor MacCalman felt that the Division should now recommend the adoption of the Memo., try to arrange with the S.A.M.H. for certain alterations, and for a final Memo. to be drawn up.

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