THE ASSOCIATION'S MEDALS AND PRIZES, 1963-64

Attention is specially drawn to the Medals and Prizes which are offered annually by the Association. The conditions of award are set out fully in the Year-Book.

Bronze Medal and Prize

Dissertations for the Association's Bronze Medal and Prize should be forwarded to reach the Registrar not later than 30 April.

Divisional Prizes

Papers certified as eligible for this competition must be forwarded to reach the Registrar not later than 30 April.

Gaskell Medal and Prize

The examination for the Gaskell Medal and Prize is held in May. An entrance fee of £3 3s. is charged, returnable to bona-fide candidates. Entrance fees are due by 31 March.

FORTHCOMING CONGRESSES, Etc.

Psychosomatic Medicine

The Third International Congress of Psychosomatic Medicine in the French Language will be held in Paris in July, 1966. The principal theme will be "Fatigue and Relaxation" and there will be physiological, psychological and psycho-sociological sections. Particulars can be obtained from the Société Française de Médecine Psychosomatique, Hôpital Cochin, 27 Faubourg St. Jacques, Paris 14e.

International Psychosomatic Cancer Study Group

The Fourth International Conference on psychosomatic aspects of neoplasm will be held from 9-13 June, 1965, in Turin, Italy, under the auspices of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery of the University of Torino, on the occasion of the quadrennial "Riunioni Medico Chirurgiche Internationali (5-13 June). Fuller particulars from Dr. D. M. Kissen, Psychosomatic Research Unit, Southern General Hospital, Glasgow, S.W.1.

International Psychiatric Association

At a plenary session of the first International Congress of Social Psychiatry, it was decided to form a new international society for individual membership of all professionally trained people in this field. An internationally representative executive committee of 40 members was elected. This in turn elected Dr. Maxwell Jones of Dingleton Hospital, Melrose, Scotland, as Chairman and Dr. H. Beric Wright of the Institute of Directors, London, as Secretary. Other members of the Working Committee are:

A. E. Babayan	U.S.S.R.	J. Prokupek	Czechoslovakia
F. Gokay	Turkey		
E. Lindemann	U.S.A.	B. F. Riess	U.S.A.
A. E. Moll	Canada	J. R. Seeley	U.S.A./Canada
Ø. Ødegard	Norway		
		C. Seguin	Peru

It is proposed to have a further congress in 1967 at which a constitution and rules, etc., will be formally adopted.

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