

General Notes

PLASTIC SURGERY OF THE ORBIT.

THE EDITOR,

The Journal of Laryngology and Otology.

DEAR SIR,—I had the privilege of reviewing the most recent book by Dr Eastman Sheehan of New York on the "Plastic Surgery of the Orbit" (*Journal of Laryngology and Otol.*, October 1928, p. 761). In my brief review I expressed the hope that at some time Dr Sheehan would produce a similar volume on the "Plastic Surgery of the Nose." I now write to correct this error on my part, and to inform you that Dr Sheehan had, in 1925, produced exactly such a volume which is of the same high standard as his more recent one.—Yours faithfully,

J. J. M. SHAW.

EDINBURGH, *May* 1929.

GENERAL NOTES

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE.

1 *Wimpole Street, London, W. 1.*

Section of Otology.—*President*, Mr Somerville Hastings, M.S. *Hon. Secretaries*, Mr Nicol Rankin, *M.C.*, M.B., 56 Harley Street, London, W.1, and Mr F. C. Ormerod, M.D., F.R.C.S., 22 Upper Wimpole Street, London, W.1.

The Summer Meeting of the Section will be held on Friday, 21st June and Saturday, 22nd of June at Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge. There will be two Sessions on Friday, 2 to 4 and 4.30 to 6, and two Sessions on Saturday, 9.30 to 11 and 11.30 to 1.

Section of Laryngology.—*President*, Mr H. Bell-Tawse, F.R.C.S. *Hon. Secretaries*, Mr Lionel Colledge, F.R.C.S., 2 Upper Wimpole Street, London, W.1, and Mr M. E. Vlasto, F.R.C.S., 26 Wimpole Street, London, W.1.

The Summer Meeting of the Section will be held on Friday, 7th June. Papers will be read at 10 A.M. and the ordinary clinical meeting will take place at 5 o'clock.

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BRITISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, MANCHESTER, 1929.

The Ninety-seventh Annual Meeting of the British Medical Association will be held in Manchester in July. The Association meets under the Presidency of Arthur Henry Burgess, M.B. (Vict.), F.R.C.S. Eng., Honorary Surgeon to the Royal Infirmary, and Professor of Clinical Surgery, Victoria University, Manchester.

The Section of Laryngology and Otology will meet under the Presidency of Mr F. H. Westmacott, C.B.E., F.R.C.S.

The other officers are :—

Vice-Presidents : F. J. Cleminson, F.R.C.S. ; Lionel Colledge, M.B., F.R.C.S. ; D. L. Sewell, M.B., B.S.

General Notes

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The following provisional programme has been arranged:—

Wednesday, 24th July.—10 A.M. *Discussion:* The Cerebrospinal Fluid as an aid to Diagnosis and Treatment of Inflammatory Intracranial Lesions. To be opened by Dr Wells P. Eagleton (Newark, N. J.), followed by Dr J. G. Greenfield (London) and Dr H. Cohen (Liverpool).

In the afternoon clinical cases will be shown at the Manchester Royal Infirmary.

Thursday, 25th July.—10 A.M. *Discussion:* Persistent Nasal Catarrh, especially in Children. To be opened by Mr Dan McKenzie (London), followed by Mr F. B. Gilhespy (Birmingham) and Mr Douglas Guthrie (Edinburgh).

11.30 A.M. (Joint meeting with Section of Tuberculosis.) *Discussion:* Tuberculosis of the Larynx. To be opened by Mr Walter Howarth (London), followed by Sir St Clair Thomson (London) and Mr H. Morriston Davies (Vale of Clwyd Sanatorium).

In the afternoon there will be a demonstration of instructional methods at the Royal Deaf Schools, Old Trafford, by Mr J. Spalding.

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“COLLEGIUM OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGICUM AMICITIÆ SACRUM.”

This Society (a note on the formation of which was published in the January number of the *Journal of Laryngology and Otology* for 1927) holds its Annual Meeting this year in London. By kind permission of the Royal Society of Medicine, their rooms at No. 1 Wimpole Street have been placed at the disposal of this Society for their meetings, which are arranged for 18th, 19th, and 20th July (9 A.M. to 1 P.M. and 2.30 P.M. to 6.30 P.M.).

The Committee of the Society beg to announce that any members of the Sections of Otology and Laryngology will be welcomed at these meetings, and trust that members will accept this general invitation. Inquiries as to further details should be addressed to the Secretary, Professor Dr C. E. Benjamins, Verlengde Heereweg, 143 Gröningen, Holland, or to Dr Albert A. Gray (President for the year) at Ferens Institute of Oto-Laryngology, Middlesex Hospital Annexe, Cleveland Street, London, W.

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BOOKS RECEIVED FOR REVIEW.

Branchial Cysts. By Hamilton Bailey. Published by H. K. Lewis & Co., Ltd. Price 5s.

Notes on Chronic Otorrhœa. By A. R. Friel, M.D. Published by John Wright & Sons, Bristol; Simpkin Marshall, London. Price 6s.

The Medical Annual. Published by Wright, Bristol; Simpkin Marshall, London. Price 20s.

Das Ohr, und die Entstehung der Sprache und Schrift. By Prof. Dr Pietro Tullio. Published by Urban & Schwarzenberg.

Le Tractus Thyreoglosse. By G. Remy Neris. Published by Gaston Doin & Cie. Price 30 Fr.

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