

General notes

POSTGRADUATE SEMINARS IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY FOR 1977/78
to be held in the
NUFFIELD DEPARTMENT OF SURGERY LECTURE THEATRE
of the
RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY, OXFORD

A detailed programme of each seminar is published monthly, the first item commences at 2.15 p.m.: the following is a list of main speakers for the new session (commencing at 4.45 p.m.).

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| 21 November 1977 | Dr. Mary Catterall,
M.R.C. Cyclotron Unit,
Hammersmith Hospital.
'The Possible Implications of Fast Neutrons in the Treatment of Cancer'. |
| 12 December 1977 | Mr. David Brain,
Birmingham and Midland E.N.T. Hospital.
'Evaluation of Septal Surgery'. |
| 16 January 1978 | Surg.-Capt. Peter Head,
R.N. Haslar.
'Otitic Barotrauma'. |
| 20 February 1978 | Mr. A. E. S. Richards,
Charing Cross Hospital.
'Sudden Sensori-neural Hearing Loss'. |
| 13 March 1978 | Mr. R. J. Bennett,
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham.
'The Pathogenesis of the Chronic Otitides—the Clinical Significance'. |
| 18 April 1978 | Prof. Jack Worsley,
The College of Chinese Acupuncture, U.K.
'Acupuncture in the treatment of Sinusitis'. |
| 15 May 1978 | Prof. I. G. Taylor,
University of Manchester.
'Can Congenital Deafness be prevented?' |
| 19 June 1978 | Invited speakers.
A Symposium—'Adeno-tonsillectomy—A justifiable operation?' |

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UNIVERSITY OF NIJMEGEN, HOLLAND POST GRADUATE COURSE IN EAR SURGERY

2-8 APRIL, 1978

THE Department of Otolaryngology, University of Nijmegen, Holland, desires to announce that the 13th post graduate course in ear surgery will be held from 2 April to 8 April, 1978. The course will be organized by Professor W. F. B. Brinkman and his Staff, assisted by Dr. H. C. Overbosch, Holland; Prof. J. J. Marquet, Belgium; Dr. W. Offermann, West Germany; Mr. J. D. K. Dawes and Mr. W. M. S. Ironside, Great Britain.

The course, which will be given in English, will include lectures, panel discussions, films, televised operations (colour), temporal bone dissections and studies of anatomical specimens.

The fee of 2200 D.Fl. will include hotel accommodation and meals.

The course is intended for certified E.N.T. specialists and registration will be limited. A ladies program will be arranged.

For further details and an application form please write to:

Professor Dr. W. F. B. Brinkman, Department of Otolaryngology, Philips van Leydenlaan 15, Nijmegen, Holland.

FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE POLITZER SOCIETY INC. ON: TYMPANOPLASTY; ART AND SCIENCE, REVIEW OF 25 YEARS. DAVOS, SWITZERLAND

5-11 FEBRUARY, 1978

REGISTRATION FEE is 345,- Swiss francs. Residents, registrars, assistants pay 300,- Swiss francs. Five per cent reduction in case of payment before 1 November, 1977. Reduced flight rates and for hotel accommodation in different categories.

Guests of Honour: Prof. Dr. M. Arslan, Italy, George E. Shambaugh Jr., M.D., U.S.A., Prof. Dr. H. L. Wullstein, Germany. Preliminary list of the members of the faculty: D. F. Austin, U.S.A., M. Bauer, Hungary, H. Diamant, Sweden, H. Fisch, Switzerland, E. Garcia-Ibanez, Spain, R. Gristwood, Australia, J. Holmquist, Sweden, G. Jako, U.S.A., C. Jansen, Germany, J. Marquet, Belgium, M. Portmann, France, B. F. Mc. Cabe, U.S.A., J. Sade, Israel, John J. Shea, U.S.A., J. L. Sheehy, U.S.A., G. D. L. Smyth, Northern Ireland, M. S. Strong, U.S.A., G. Zechner, Austria, C. R. Pfaltz, Switzerland, D. Plester, Germany.

Further details: Conference Secretary: Dr. Claus Jansen, Winterbeckestr. 11, 527 Gummersbach 1, West Germany.

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON HEAD AND NECK MALIGNANCY THIS symposium will be held in the E.N.T. Department of the Cerrahpasa Medical School, University of Istanbul from 22-27 May, 1978.

For further information please write to Prof. Dr. O. Sunar, Halaskargazi Caddesi 332, Sisli, Istanbul, Turkey.

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COURSE IN FUNCTIONAL MICROSURGERY OF THE EAR

29 JUNE to 8 JULY, 1978

CONDUCTED by Professor Michel Portmann, M.D., with the participation of Dr. Guy Lacher, and the collaboration of the staff of the E.N.T. Department of the University of Bordeaux.

This course includes:

- Theoretical and practical lectures
- Otolological operations demonstrated by colour television
- Laboratory sessions on the temporal bone
- Case presentations

Fees: 2500 French francs.

For further information apply to: Secretary of the Course, Clinique Universitaire d'O.R.L., 86 Cours d'Albret - 33000, Bordeaux, France.

XIV INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF AUDIOLOGY CENTRO CULTURAL Y DE CONVENCIONES

ACAPULCO, MEXICO,
12-16 NOVEMBER 1978

ORGANIZING SECRETARIAT FOR THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES:

Organizzazione Internazionale Congressi,
Piazza Ognissanti, 3,
50123 Florence, Italy
Tel. 055-294301 int. 161

ORGANIZING SECRETARIAT FOR THE OTHER COUNTRIES:

Pedro Berruecos, President,
Instituto Mexicano de la Audicion y el Lenguaje,
Av. Progreso 141-A,
Mexico 18, D.F. Mexico

ROUND TABLES

1st Round Table

The value of electric responses audiometry in the clinical assesement of auditory disorders.

Moderator: Prof. Dr. A. Salomon (Copenhagen, Denmark)

2nd Round Table

Auditory Rehabilitation: Medical and Technical aspects.

Moderator: Prof. Dr. W. D. Keidel (Germany)

3rd Round Table

Auditory Rehabilitation: Psychological aspects.

Moderator: Prof. Dr. P. Berruecos Jr.

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THE XVth HEAD and NECK SURGERY COURSE

THE XVth Head and Neck Surgery Course organized by A. G. Maran and P. M. Stell will be held in St. Andrews, Scotland from 24 to 28 February 1978. The course will be augmented this year by the inclusion of a section on Rhinoplasty for Beginners. It is hoped that the guest faculty will include Professor C. Krause of Ann Arbor, Michigan, U.S.A.

Details and application forms can be obtained from Dr. A. G. Maran, M.D., F.R.C.S., 15 Cluny Drive, Edinburgh, EH10 9DW.

UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL AND SOUTH WESTERN LARYNGOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

PATRICK WATSON-WILLIAMS MEMORIAL LECTURE

on SATURDAY, 28 JANUARY, 1978 at 11.30 am in the Large Lecture Theatre, University of Bristol.

Mr. Philip Stell, Ch.M., F.R.C.S.: 'Prospects for Research in E.N.T.'