General notes

OXFORD ENT COURSE

3-7 July 1981

The main sessions will be as follows:

- Short papers on otological subjects by selected guest speakers—on topics of their own choice.
- 2. The Deaf Child.
- 3. Aspects of Tympanoplasty in Adults and Children.
- 4. Glue Ear.
- 5. Aspects of Nasal Surgery in Adults and Children.
- 6. Head and Neck Neoplasia in Children.
- 7. Childhood Airway Problems.
- 8. Micro-laryngoscopy.

The principal speakers will include: J. C. Ballantyne (London), D. Brain (Birmingham), T. R. Bull (London), Professor R. Cotton (Cincinnati), E. Douek (London), P. D. M. Ellis (Cambridge), J. Evans (London), Professor I. Friedmann (London), R. E. Gristwood (Adelaide), Miss E. Hadfield (High Wycombe), T. Manford McGee (Detroit), R. Pracy (London), H. J. Shaw (London), Professor I. G. Taylor (Manchester), J. L. W. Wright (London), as well as speakers from Oxford itself.

There will be an opportunity to present a limited number of free papers and these are now invited from individuals planning to attend.

A Trade Exhibition is being organized.

Accommodation for the period of the Course is available in St. Anne's College, Woodstock Road, Oxford (opposite the Radcliffe Infirmary).

There will be an informal reception one evening and a banquet in Oriel College another evening.

The inclusive cost is £150.

The Course is designed for people working at consultant and senior registrar level.

It is hoped that the Course programme will meet the requirements of the DHSS for the Advanced Postgraduate Training Scheme and by the Council for Postgraduate Medical Education in England and Wales and that this will assist British applicants for the Course to obtain Study Leave and expenses.

Application forms are now available from Mrs. D. W. Scott, Academic Secretary, Department of Otolaryngology, Radcliffe Infirmary, Oxford. To encourage informality the number will be limited to 60 and accordingly early application is advised.

INTERNATIONAL RHINOLOGIC SOCIETY

HILTON HOTEL, BUDAPEST

16-19 June 1981

A postgraduate course in functional surgery of the septum and external nasal pyramid will be given prior to the XII World Congress of ORL.

The course will include lectures, video-tape operative demonstrations and discussions in smaller groups. There will be an international panel of guest lecturers. The course will be given mostly in English, with discussion groups in French, German, Japanese and Eastern European languages.

Registration limited to 150.

Course fee: U.S. \$300—before 1 April 1981; after 1 April, U.S. \$400. Limited scholarships are available. The registration fee includes the course book, buffet receptions at the American Embassy, five coffee breaks, two luncheons and course banquet on the final night (Friday, 19 June 1981).

Registration and further information: Professor Dr. H. Masing, Waldstraße 1,

D-8520 Erlangen, West Germany.

'CANCER 1981/CANCER 2001 AN INTERNATIONAL COLLOQUIUM'

10-14 November 1981

THE SHAMROCK HILTON HOTEL, HOUSTON, TEXAS

On the 10th anniversary of the National Cancer Program, outstanding authorities will take a hard look at the directions cancer research and treatment should take in the near future. Presentations will focus on promising avenues of cancer research and likely developments in related fields, such as imaging, artificial intelligence and monitoring. Participants will consider the possible impact of likely developments on cancer patient care and the probable status of cancer patient care in the year 2001.

Presentations will be made by both basic and clinical scientists.

For additional information: Dr. C. Stratton Hill Jr.,

Conference Coordinator,
Room 115,
UT M D Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute,
6723 Bertner Avenue,
Houston,

Texas 77030, (713) 792-2222.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS

THE Court of Examiners reports to the Council that at the recent Final Examination for the Fellowship 44 candidates presented themselves for the Examination in Otolaryngology, 9 of whom acquitted themselves satisfactorily. Of the successful candidates one has not yet complied with the regulations.

The following are the names of the 8 candidates who are therefore entitled, subject to the approval of the Council, to the Diploma of Fellow:

John William Ridley Capper, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., M.B., B.S. Andrew Anthony Moir, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., M.B., B.S. Kamaluddin Khan, M.B., B.S. (Karachi) Stuart James Cleland, M.B., CH.B. (Otago) Nicholas Joseph Kay, M.B., CH.B. Jeffrey Robert Knight, M.B., CH.B. William Martin Flood, M.B., B.S. Christopher Howard Raine, M.B., B.S.

DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY EDINBURGH

A REVISION COURSE IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY

28 September-2 October 1981

TO BE HELD IN THE CITY HOSPITAL, EDINBURGH

THE Course, which is intended for those preparing for postgraduate examinations, will cover all aspects of modern otolaryngological theory and practice. Lectures will be given by all senior members of the Staff of the Department. In addition there will be round table discussions and clinical demonstrations.

Course Fee: £90.

Further particulars and application forms from:

Mrs. A. White, Secretary, Department of Otolaryngology, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Edinburgh EH3 9YW, Scotland.

THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY

BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES

ADVANCED NASAL SURGERY COURSE

A one-week course on the above subject will be held from Monday 7 to Friday 11 September 1981, at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham B3. The course will largely be devoted to the surgery of the nasal septum and the external pyramid. There will be an international panel of guest lecturers. The course will be quite comprehensive and will include lectures, televised operative demonstrations, films and opportunities for cadaver dissection.

The University will give assistance in obtaining suitable hotel accommodation and, in addition, a limited amount of accommodation will be available in one of the University Halls of Residence at an additional cost of £12.00 per night for dinner, bed and breakfast.

Enrolment on the course is limited to 30 and early application is advised. Course Fee: £175.00.

Enquiries and applications should be addressed to: Mrs. Victoria Gilbert, Administrative Assistant, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham B15 2TJ, and accompanied by the course fee. Cheques should be made payable to the 'University of Birmingham'. Please indicate on your application if you wish accommodation in a Hall of Residence or in an hotel.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

COURT OF EXAMINERS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council on 11 June 1981 will elect members of the Court of Examiners to take office on 9 July 1981:

OTOLARYNGOLOGY—two examiners to be elected, one of the retiring examiners being eligible for re-election.

Fellows of the College desirous of becoming candidates for the office must make application by letter to the Secretary of the College on or before 1 May 1981, stating their date of birth in the application. (A member will not normally be elected or re-elected after his or her 62nd birthday.)

R. S. JOHNSON-GILBERT, O.B.E., M.A. Secretary

35/43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

LIONEL COLLEDGE MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY

A travelling Fellowship to commemorate the late Mr. Lionel Colledge, F.R.C.S. has been endowed by his daughter, Miss Cecilia Colledge, with a capital sum of £25,000. The Fellowship will be administered by the Royal College of Surgeons of England and awarded under the terms of the Trust Deed by a committee representing the British Association of Otolaryngologists, the Specialist Advisory Committee in Otolaryngology and the Council of the College. The maximum award to any one Fellow will be £5,000. The first award or awards will be made in July 1981.

The following conditions are laid down by the Trust:

- 1. Applicants must be United Kingdom born Fellows of the Royal College of Surgeons of England aged between 25 and 35 years at the closing date for receipt of applications who are senior trainees or recently appointed consultants, or of similar status, in otolaryngology.
- 2. The subject of the award is head and neck surgery with an emphasis on laryngology.
- 3. The Fellowship is tenable for a period of study or research in the Continent of North America.

Applications for the award or awards for 1981–82 must reach the Deputy Secretary of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, 35/43 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN not later than 30 June 1981 and must include the following:

- (a) Name, qualifications and brief curriculum vitae, including present appointment;
- (b) Proposals for the tour or visit to be made during the tenure of the Fellowship;
- (c) Letters of support from the applicant's present consultant (or, if already a consultant, the name of an independent referee in the United Kingdom) and the head(s) of the department(s) to be visited;
- (d) A statement of the expenses to be incurred and of available financial resources.

Short-listed applicants may be required to attend for interview in London, in which case necessary travelling expenses will be reimbursed.

R. S. JOHNSON-GILBERT, O.B.E., M.A. Secretary, Royal College of Surgeons of England.

THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY BOARD OF GRADUATE CLINICAL STUDIES

COURSE IN CLINICAL OTOLARYNGOLOGY

8/9/10 May 1981

A three-day course, suitable for candidates for the Part II DLO and the Final FRCS(ENT) Examinations, will be held at the Birmingham and Midland Ear and Throat Hospital, Edmund Street, Birmingham B3 2HH, from Friday 8 to Sunday 10 May 1981.

The fee for the course is £38.00 and applications to attend, accompanied by the course fee, should be addressed to: Mr. P. G. Bevan, Director, Board of Graduate Clinical Studies, The Medical School, Birmingham B15 2TJ. Cheques should be made payable to the 'University of Birmingham'.

TEMPORAL BONE SURGICAL DISSECTION COURSES OFFERED BY

THE DEPARTMENT OF OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MEDICAL SCHOOL, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

MALCOLM D. GRAHAM, M.D.—COURSE DIRECTOR

1-5 June 1981 19-23 OCTOBER 1981 30 November-4 December 1981 18-22 JANUARY 1982

8-12 March 1982 19-23 APRIL 1982 14-18 June 1982 20-24 SEPTEMBER 1982

8-12 November 1982

THESE Courses will be given in the new Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Laboratory of the Department of Otorhinolaryngology and the Kresge Hearing Research Institute of the University of Michigan.

These intensive one week courses will emphasize the surgical and anatomical approaches to the temporal bone and will be presented in a manner relevant for the otologic surgeon, utilizing lectures and videotape presentations of surgical techniques, as well as temporal bone dissection.

Both mornings and afternoons will be spent in the dissection laboratory, thereby giving extensive drilling experience in both temporal bone anatomy and surgical techniques. Lectures and demonstrations will be provided by members of the faculty of the Department of Otorhinolaryngology and Kresge Hearing Research Institute, thereby uniquely blending basic science and clinical otologic instruction. Drill handpieces and dissection instruments will be provided.

The fee for these courses will be \$1,000.00 for each physician. For further information, contact: Malcolm D. Graham, M.D.,

Department of Otorhinolaryngology, Kresge Hearing Research Institute, University of Michigan Medical Center,

Ann Arbor, MI 48109,

U.S.A.