#### GENERAL NOTES

### TRAVELLING AWARDS IN OPHTHALMOLOGY AND OTOLOGY 1951-52

THE Medical Research Council invite applications for travelling awards for the academic year 1951-52 to be provided from the Alexander Pigott Wernher Memorial Trust, in accordance with a scheme approved by the Trustees. Under the terms of the bequest, the funds are to be applied "towards the prevention and cure of blindness and deafness in the United Kingdom and British Empire, and in particular research in connection therewith by financing medical men and students within the Empire to study methods and practices in all countries of the world".

These awards are intended for suitably qualified medical graduates with some previous experience of research work in ophthalmology or otology; in general, fellowships will be made for periods of up to a year for specific research purposes, but grants may also be given for short-term visits abroad to study particular methods of investigation and treatment in these fields. Fellowships will as a rule provide for appropriate maintenance allowance and travelling expenses, whereas grants for short-term visits (up to 3 months) will ordinarily cover travelling expenses only.

Forms of application for these awards may be obtained from the Secretary, Medical Research Council, 38 Old Queen Street, London, S.W.I, with whom applications must be lodged by the 1st May, 1951.

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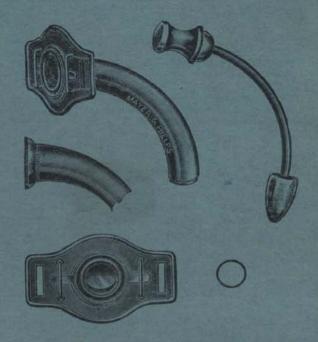
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