## GENERAL NOTES

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#### WHOLE-TIME COURSES FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

August 10th-November 13th, 1964.

Basic Sciences Class for Part I D.L.O. students.

This consists of approximately 50 lecture/demonstrations on the anatomy of the head, neck, thorax and brain; 20 lectures covering the physiological aspects; 6 on applied pharmacology; and 8 on histological and pathological and bacteriological subjects. Facilities are also available for dissection of the relevant parts, and this occupies about 120 hours.

### June 29th-August 8th, 1964.

Intensive Clinical Lecture Period for Part II D.L.O. and other students. These periods are primarily designed to give a clinical survey of the whole field of the Specialty as a preliminary to practical clinical training. At the completion of the Intensive Lecture Period, selected students may be given the opportunity to serve as house surgeons in the associated hospitals.

#### November 11th-24th, 1964.

Practical Revision Class for Part II D.L.O. students.

This is intended for those students who are well advanced in preparation for the examination and need only the opportunity for a final review. The class includes demonstrations of selected clinical cases and viva voce examinations.

## October 12th-24th, 1964.

Advanced Revision Course for students taking higher surgical examinations. This is limited to senior students who are about to take the Final examination. In addition to a series of lecture/discussions at the appropriate level in the Specialty and in related branches of general surgery, there are a number of clinical and viva voce sessions and arrangements for the setting and correction of test papers.

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## SECOND BRITISH ACADEMIC CONFERENCE IN OTOLARYNGOLOGY 1967

It has been decided by the General Committee that this will be held in Oxford early in July, 1967.

Further information will appear in this Journal from time to time in the future.

#### AUSTRIAN SOCIETY OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

The Austrian Society of Otolaryngology will hold its Annual Meeting at Graz (Austria) September 6th-9th, 1964. The main topic of discussion will be: Recent Advances in Oto-Rhino-Laryngology.

For further information apply to: Dr. H. J. Pichler, Alserstrasse 4, Wien 9.

## EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF AUDIOLOGY IN KYOTO

Thursday, October 21st, 1965.

President of the Congress: Mitsuharu Goto, M.D.

Executive Secretary: Shinsaku Horiguchi, M.D.

Congress Secretary: Masanori Morimoto, M.D.

Secretariat: Department of Otolaryngology, Faculty of Medicine, Kyoto University, Shogoin Sakyo-Ku, Japan.

The Second Extraordinary Congress of the International Society of Audiology will be held in Kyoto, Japan, October 21st, 1965, under the direction of the President. Mitsuhar Goto, M.D.

The presentation should be spoken in 20 minutes and only in English. The abstract within 800 words should be received in Kyoto by the end of April, 1965, and it can be written in the language which you prefer.

Correspondence is to be addressed to: Masanori Morimoto, M.D., Congress Secretary, Department of Otolaryngology, Faculty of Medicine Kyoto University, Shogoin Sakyoku, Kyoto, Japan.

## VIII INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF OTO-RHINO-LARYNGOLOGY, TOKYO, JAPAN

The Eighth International Congress of Oto-Rhino-Laryngology will take place in Tokyo, Japan, October 24th-30th, 1965.

President: Shigekazu Sato, M.D. Secretary General: Jo Ono, M.D.

Correspondence is to be addressed to: Kojimachi, P.O. Box 40, Tokyo, Japan. Further information will be announced in the near future.

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## UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Announces First International Vestibular Symposium under the direction of David Myers, M.D., Professor and Chairman, Department of Otolaryngology, to be held September 10th, 11th and 12th, 1964.

This Symposium will include a Presentation and Discussion of the latest Research and Clinical Developments relating to Vertigo and the Vestibular system. Thirty nationally and internationally known authorities will make up the Faculty of the Symposium.

For information write: Office of the Dean, Graduate School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104.

## FACTS ABOUT DE QUIROS TRANSLATION

Copies of "Accelerated Speech Audiometry, An Examination of Test Results" by J. B. de Quiros, in an English translation, are now available from the Beltone Institute for Hearing Research.

The 48-page de Quiros work was originally published in Spanish in Revista Fonoaudiologica in 1961, and was not available in English until now. Dr. de Quiros is Professor of Speech Pathology and Audiology at Universidad del Litoral, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Juergen Tonndorf, M.D., editor of the *Translations*, explains that only the second part of Dr. de Quiros' original article was translated. This part reports on Dr. de Quiros' experiences with a number of clinical patients on whom he used a variety of modern hearing tests for speech, mainly accelerated speech. These tests, most of which were developed in Italy by Dr. H. Bocca and his group, have so far found little application in the United States. It appears from Dr. de Quiros' article and others by Dr. Bocca and his co-workers that this type of hearing test has a place in the differential diagnosis of disorders in the higher auditory tracts and centres.

The Beltone Institute, financed by Beltone Electronics Corporation, is an independent, not-for-profit trust organization which supports research in hearing and other related fields. Trustees are: S. F. Posen, chairman; Raymond T. Carhart, Ph.D., Joseph E. Hind, Jr., Ph.D.; John R. Lindsay, M.D.; and S. Richard Silverman, Ph.D.

The de Quiros *Translation* is the seventeenth in a series. The sixteenth was "New Aspects on the Biology and Pathology of the Inner Ear" by Dr. K. H. Vosteen, translated from the German and published in July, 1963. The new *Translation* and earlier works may be obtained by writing to the Beltone Institute for Hearing Research, 4201 W. Victoria Street, Chicago.

# NEUROLOGICAL ASPECTS OF AUDITORY AND VESTIBULAR DISORDERS

Eleventh Annual Scientific Meeting of the Houston Neurological Society. Compiled and edited by William S. Fields and Bob R. Alford, both of Baylor Univ., Houston, Texas. Sixteen internationally known scientists and clinicians integrate current developments in scientific research with those of clinical medicine . . . providing new and provocative information and techniques for the diagnosis and treatment of the auditory and vestibular mechanisms. Attention is focused on both new and recently modified surgical techniques.

August 1964 About \$18.00 About 354 pp. 102 figs.

# AUDIOLOGICAL EVALUATION OF THE PEDIATRIC PATIENT

By Maurice H. Miller and Ira A. Polisar, both of State Univ. of New York Downstate Medical Center, Brooklyn, N.Y. Emphasis is on various diagnostic techniques for hearing evaluations. The personnel, equipment, and physical plant for proper performance of these procedures are described. Techniques are then evaluated as to over-all clinical value and related to other aspects of total evaluation. Detailed case histories illustrate the contribution made by various procedures. (Amer. Lec. Speech and Hearing edited by Robert West.)

May 1964 \$5.75 132 pp. 8 il. 5
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## THE HUMAN LARYNX

By Mervin C. Myerson, Univ. of California, Los Angeles, Calif. Brings the subject completely up to date in a treatise aimed particularly at the laryngologist. A comprehensive section on paralysis reflects the newer concepts of cricothyroid function and dysfunction. Thorough coverage is given to cancer of the larynx. Other sections deal with lymphatics. pathology, carcinoma-in-situ and method of spread, voice after laryngectomy, acute epiglottitis, keratosis and leukoplakia, mycoses, neuroses, and benign tumours.

August 1964 About \$14.00 About 542 pp. 192 figs.

# MENINGIOMAS INVOLVING THE TEMPORAL BONE: Clinical and Pathological Aspects

By George T. Nager, The Johns Hopkins Univ., Baltimore, Md. Points the way toward early recognition of the condition and better clinical care. Covers ætiology, incidence, symptomatology, regional behaviour, life history, and surgical end results.

January 1964 \$11.50 193 pp. 129 il.

## EAR, NOSE AND THROAT FOR THE GENERAL PRACTITIONER

By Albert P. Seltzer, Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa. Shows by example how diseased conditions in widely different parts of the body do have either their primary origin or a secondary relationship in abnormal conditions in the ear, nose and throat cavities and in their nearby tissues.

April 1964 \$7.75 244 pp.

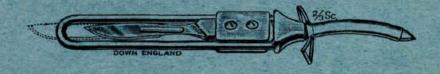
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