GENERAL NOTES

THE VISITING ASSOCIATION OF THROAT AND EAR SURGEONS OF GREAT BRITAIN.

Arrangements have now been made to hold the Second Meeting of the Association in Amsterdam from the 27th to the 29th September. Members will cross from Harwich to the Hook of Holland on the night of Friday, the 26th. Saturday will be devoted to visiting the special clinics in Amsterdam. On the morning of Monday, 29th September, the members of the Association will travel to Utrecht, and on the evening of the same day, they will leave the Hook on their return journey, arriving in London on the morning of Tuesday, the 30th September.

Congrès Français D'Oto-Rhino-Laryngologie, 1924.

The Annual Session of the French Society of Oto-Rhino-Laryngology will be opened on Wednesday, 15th October, at 9 A.M., in the Faculty of Medicine, Paris, under the Presidency of Professor Jacques of Nancy.

The following subjects will be discussed :-

- Posterior Sinus Inflammation and Ocular Complications; introduced by MM. Canuyt, Ramadier, and Velter.
- 2. Diathermy in Oto-Rhino-Laryngology; by MM. Bourgeois, Dutheillet de Lamothe, Portmann, and Poyet.

THE SEMON LECTURE, 1924.

Dr Jean Guisez of Paris will deliver the Semon Lecture, University of London, in the Hall of the Royal Society of Medicine, on the afternoon of Thursday, 6th November, at 3 o'clock. The subject of the address will be "Malignant Disease of the Esophagus."

THE MITCHELL LECTURE, 1924.

Sir St Clair Thomson, M.D., will deliver the Mitchell Lecture in the Hall of the Royal College of Physicians, Pall Mall East, on Thursday, 6th November, at 5 o'clock. The subject of the address will be Tuberculosis of the Larynx.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE—SECTIONS OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY.

The Session 1924-25 will open on Friday, 7th November. The Section of Laryngology will meet on the afternoon of Friday, at 5 o'clock, and the Section of Otology on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

AMERICAN OTOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

At the Annual Meeting of the American Otological Society held in Swampscott, Mass., on 4th June, Dr John Smith Fraser, F.R.C.S. Ed., was elected an Honorary Member of the Society.

General Notes

CHARING CROSS HOSPITAL.

Dr Leonard Graham Brown, M.C., M.D. B.Ch. Oxon., F.R.C.S., has been appointed Assistant Surgeon to the Ear, Nose, and Throat Department, Charing Cross Hospital.

Dr Adolph Bronner, Bradford, has presented to the Library of the Royal Society of Medicine 300 volumes on Laryngology and Ophthalmology. The collection will prove a valuable addition to the Library.

THE ÓNODI COLLECTION.

In the Annual Report upon the Museum of the Royal College of Surgeons of England recently issued by Sir Arthur Keith, Conservator, the following paragraph occurs: "The dissection of all the 'wet' preparations belonging to the Ónodi Collection has been finished, the later dissections being illustrative of the development and growth of the accessory sinuses of the nose. A further series of macerated specimens has been selected and added by Mr T. B. Layton, who has written descriptive accounts of the same."

ROYAL EAR HOSPITAL.

We understand that negotiations have now been completed for the purchase of a site on which to rebuild the Royal Ear Hospital. It is situated at the corner of Huntley Street and Pancras Street, Bloomsbury, and is adjacent to University College Hospital and the new Rockefeller buildings. Our readers will recall that this scheme has been made possible through the generosity of Mr Geoffrey E. Duveen.

POST-GRADUATE INSTRUCTION IN PARIS.

Dr Ferdinand Lemaître, at the request of several American colleagues, is prepared to organise a course of instruction in the specialty in collaboration with his colleagues at the Hôpital St-Louis, 40 Rue Bichat, Paris.

Arrangements will be made to give the course in the English language in February, March, or April 1925. Details of the scheme will be announced in a future number of the *Journal*.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.

At the Quarterly Meeting of the Council of the College held on 10th July, Dr V. E. Negus was appointed one of the Hunterian Professors to deliver a lecture during the ensuing session. The title of the lecture will be "Disorders of the Mechanism of the Larynx."

BOOK RECEIVED FOR REVIEW.

Handbuch der Neurologie des Ohres, Band I., 2 Hälfte. By G. Alexander, Otto Marburg, Hugo Frey, and Hans Brunner. Urban and Schwarzenberg: Vienna, Mahlerstrasse, 4, 1924. Price, 33.60 Kr.

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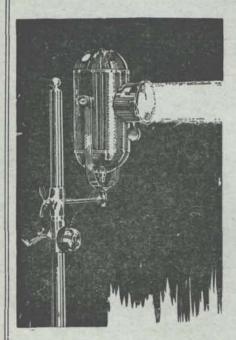
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