General notes

WINTER MEETING 1980

MONT TREMBLANT LODGE

2-8 MARCH 1980

MONT TREMBLANT LODGE, a unique French Canadian village type resort, 80 miles north of Montreal is the site of this five-day meeting cosponsored by the Departments of Otolaryngology of the University of Toronto and the University of Pittsburgh.

For further information, address communications to: William S. Crysdale, M.D., 555 University Avenue, Suite 6118, Toronto, Canada M5G 1X8.

THE JOSEPH SOCIETY, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF WURZBURG E.N.T. CLINIC,

ANNOUNCES A COURSE IN

PLASTIC SURGICAL TECHNIQUES FOR THE HEAD AND NECK

this Course will be held from

14-17 October 1979

THERE will be an International teaching faculty with lectures, televised operations with video-tape presentations, and discussions.

Registration fee (which includes a full social programme, coffee, lunch and tea) will be:

DM 700 for Joseph Society Members DM 900 for non-members

Applications and further details are available from:

T. R. Bull, F.R.C.S., Hon. Secretary, The Joseph Society, 107 Harley Street, London W1.

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POSTGRADUATE COURSES IN AUDIOLOGY

THE University of Melbourne runs a one-year full time course for a Postgraduate Diploma in Audiology. The course for 1980 extends from February to November.

The course of instruction in audiology will be conducted at the University of Melbourne in the Department of Otolaryngology and in close association with clinics at the Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital, the Royal Children's Hospital, the National Acoustic Laboratories and the State Health Department, Melbourne.

It will consist of a comprehensive series of lectures, demonstrations, seminars, tutorials and practical work on audiology, and the physical and biological sciences associated with it, and will also include clinical work in all areas of audiology. Instruction in the basic sciences will cover acoustics, anatomy, biophysics, physiology and psychology. Instruction in audiology will cover diagnostic audiology, aural habilitation and rehabilitation, hearing aids, industrial audiology, otolaryngology, paediatric audiology, geriatric audiology and speech and language.

The Diploma in Audiology may lead on to a further one-year full time course of work study for the degree of Master of Science (Audiology). This course offers advanced level training in many of the areas covered in the Diploma in Audiology, in particular diagnostic audiology, paediatric audiology and aural rehabilitation.

Applications for the course in 1980 will close on 30 November 1979.

Further details may be obtained from: The Secretary, Audiology, The Department of Otolaryngology, University of Melbourne, Parkville 3052, Victoria, Australia.

JOINT MEETING

Sociedad Española de Cirugia Oral y Maxilofacial

American Society of Maxillofacial Surgeons

OFFICIAL THEME: "Reconstructive Cranio-Maxillofacial Surgery"

PROGRAMME:

1st day Opening by the Secretary 2nd day Instructional Courses

- 3rd day First Official Theme: Cranio-Facial Surgery
- 4th day Second Official Theme: Reconstructive Bone Surgery

5th day Third Official Theme: Reconstructive Surgery of the Soft Tissues

Palma de Mallorca 1-6 June 1980.

For details and application form, please write to: Secretary, Muntaner 479-BARCELONA, 21 (Spain).

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UNIVERSITY OF NIJMEGEN, THE NETHERLANDS

POSTGRADUATE COURSE IN EAR SURGERY

to be held from

13 April to 19 April 1980

THE Department of Otolaryngology, University of Nijmegen, the Netherlands, desires to announce that the fifteenth postgraduate course in ear surgery will be held from 13 April to 19 April 1980. The course will be organized by Professor W. F. B. Brinkman and his Staff, assisted by 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 2,400 D.Fl. will include hotel accommodation and meals. The course is intended for certified ENT specialists, and registration will be limited. A ladies' programme 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, 6500 HB Nijmegen, the Netherlands.

Erratum

In Professor H. F. Schuknecht's James Yearsley Lecture, which was published in the Journal in August, 1979, the first half of the third sentence under the heading 'Neoplasia' (p. 765) should have read: 'The incidence of surgically treated vestibular schwannomata, on the other hand, is about 1.5:100,000', not 15:100,000 as printed.

We apologize to Professor Schuknecht for the error.