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## NEWS ITEMS

### THE LAUGHLIN PRIZE

Through the generosity of Dr Henry P. Laughlin, of Bethesda, Maryland, the College has been able to institute a new prize to be known as 'The Laughlin Prize'. Dr Laughlin was the founder and first President of the American College of Psychiatrists. He has been a warm friend of the RMPA and the College for many years and has attended a number of our Annual Meetings, representing his College, the APA and the American Psychoanalytic Society. He was elected a Corresponding Member of the RMPA in 1961 and an Honorary Fellow of the College in 1976.

The Prize is awarded to the candidate who obtains the highest marks and the best recommendation from the Examiners in the Membership Examination. The Prize will be awarded twice a year after the Spring and Autumn Examinations, and the winner will receive a cheque for £50.

The winner for the May 1979 Membership Examination is Dr M. J. D. Hobbs.

### PROFESSOR POND

The British Psychological Society has recently honoured the President of the College, Professor Desmond Pond, by making him an Honorary Fellow.

### AVAILABLE FROM THE COLLEGE

Christmas cards, with the College coat of arms embossed in four colours: £1.80 per dozen. Postage, U.K. 20p. Overseas Air Mail £1.50.

Wall plaques, measuring 7 in by 6 in approximately and showing the College coat of arms in four colours, raised on a wooden shield of light oak: £5.50 each if bought at the College. Postage, U.K. 50p, overseas surface mail £1.00.

Ties, £3.00 each. Postage, U.K. 12p, overseas air mail 50p.

## PSYCHOTHERAPY SECTION

The Psychotherapy Section announces the following Open Meetings for 1979-80:

Wednesday, 12 September, at 8.15 p.m.

What is Family Health and Ill Health? (including video presentation): Dr A. Bentovim and Dr W. Kinston.

Wednesday, 10 October, at 8.15 p.m.

Ernest Jones: Innovator and Pioneer: Dr T. Main

Thursday, 15 November, at 4.30 p.m.

Personal Mystery and Reality in Psychotherapy: Dr Mark Aveline

(This meeting, held in conjunction with the Autumn Quarterly Meeting of the College, will be at the Institute of Psychiatry, De Crespigny Park, Denmark Hill, London, SE5)

Wednesday, 9 January, 1980, at 8.15 p.m.

Miss Audrey Newson, Chairman, British Association for Counselling (title to be announced)

Unless otherwise stated, these meetings will be held at the Tavistock Centre, 120 Belsize Lane, London, NW3.



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## EIGHTH PSYCHIATRIC TUTORS' CONFERENCE—26-28 SEPTEMBER 1979

As only a few applications for places at the Dublin Conference were received, the Clinical Tutors' Subcommittee has reluctantly had to cancel the arrangements.

## COLLEGE MEETINGS

Annual and Quarterly Meetings of the College will be held on the following dates in 1980:

Winter Quarterly Meeting 5 and 6 February (London)

Spring Quarterly Meeting 6 and 7 May (Broadmoor)

Annual Meeting 8-11 July (London)

Autumn Quarterly Meeting  
20 and 21 November (London)

and on the following dates in 1981:

Winter Quarterly Meeting  
10 and 11 February (London)

Spring Quarterly Meeting 28 and 29 April (Montrose)

Annual Meeting 7-9 July (venue to be announced)

Autumn Quarterly Meeting  
18 and 19 November (London)

## ERRATUM

Dr Ranjith Chandrasena would like to correct an erroneous impression in his article ('Psychiatry in Sri Lanka: An overview', *Bulletin*, July 1979, p 119), regarding the administration of ECT in Sri Lanka.

ECT is administered in most centres without the aid of an anaesthetist and without the use of muscle relaxants, the psychiatrist himself injecting the intravenous anaesthetic.