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AND

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

FOR THE

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# Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland.

## NINETY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNCIL.

### *Attendances at Council.*

The Council, from their election on the 8th June, 1936, until 13th May, 1937, held 10 meetings, at which the attendance of each member was as follows:—

#### *The President—*

	<i>Attendances.</i>
Adams A. McConnell ... ..	8

#### *The Vice-President—*

W. Doolin ... ..	7
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<i>Attendances.</i>		<i>Attendances.</i>	
Sir T. Myles ... ..	6	E. F. Stephenson ... ..	7
Sir R. H. Woods ... ..	5	T. O. Graham ... ..	7
Trevor N. Smith ... ..	7	F. Gill ... ..	6
Seton Pringle ... ..	6	J. L. Keegan ... ..	6
Sir A. Ball ... ..	7	M. P. Bourke ... ..	5
E. Sheridan ... ..	7	R. R. Woods ... ..	9
R. Atkinson Stoney ... ..	9	S. Heatley ... ..	6
W. Pearson ... ..	2	H. Stokes ... ..	7
G. E. Pugin Meldon ... ..	8	R. V. Slattery ... ..	3
W. C. P. Smyly ... ..	4		

Seven candidates were admitted to the Fellowship.

Forty-three candidates received the Conjoint Diplomas in Medicine, Surgery, and Midwifery of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons.

Six candidates received the Licence in Dental Surgery.

Seventy-seven candidates passed the Conjoint Preliminary Examination in Arts with the Royal College of Physicians.

Nine candidates received the Conjoint Diploma in Psychological Medicine of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons.

One candidate received the Conjoint Diploma in Public Health of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons.

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## Admissions to the College.

The following have passed the

### PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION.

Bowen, Leo Thomas.	Lawther, John Ringland.
Bramble, Peter Michael.	Leader, Leonard.
Butler, Kathleen Teresa.	Liddell, Brian Hall Stewart.
Butler, Thomas Michael.	Magill, David Cecil.
Carlisle, James.	Magner, John Philip Austin Peter.
Casey, William Bernard Joseph Henry.	Mahood, Charles Vernon Martin.
Connolly, George Rankin.	Mathews, Patrick John.
Cope, Arthur James.	Moffit, Joseph Wilson Reid.
Corrigan, Owen.	Monaghan, Gerard Patrick.
Crawford, Richard John O'Neill.	Mooney, Arthur James.
Crummey, John Gabriel.	Mullooly, John James.
Crothers, Dorothy Edith.	M'Clay, Muriel Stuart.
Cullen, Simon Patrick Berehmans.	M'Donald, John Joseph.
Davin, Patrick Noel.	M'Givern, Dermot.
Devlin, Francis.	M'Grath, Joseph.
Devlin, Jane Bridget.	M'Mahon, John Brendan Valentine.
Donald, Esther Marion.	M'Mahon, Kevin Mary Noel.
Erskine, James Wylie.	M'Phillips, Brian.
Ewers, Bernard.	M'Roberts, Cyril Herbert Beresford.
Farrell, Michael Joseph.	Nally, John Joseph Gabriel.
Farrelly, Edward.	Neill, James Harold.
Freedman, Simon.	O'Hagan, William John.
Gilchrist, Henry Robinson.	O'Hanlon, John.
Gilmore, William Victor.	O'Neill, Francis Joseph.
Gray, Matthew Brendan Conheady.	O'Neill, Gerard Joseph.
Hannon, Catherine.	Perry, Patrick Joseph.
Harney, William Albert.	Reddin, George Vincent.
Hayes, Patrick Sarsfield.	Robinson, William Ernest.
Heraty, Peter John.	Roden, John Desmond.
Hunniford, Joseph Nevan.	Ryan, John Joseph.
Hutchinson, Douglas Victor.	Ryan, Michael Joseph.
Jackson, Bernard.	Russell, Francis William.
James, Walter Joseph.	Silverman, Isaac Myer.
Keith, William John Monison.	Tanham, Kyrán.
Kennedy, Michael Joseph.	Walsh, John Edward.
Keogh, Desmond Foche Blanchfield.	Watchman, Harold.
Kirkwood, Harold Francis.	White, John Francis.
Lawrence, James Bryce Armstrong.	Wilson, Herbert Edward.
	Wilson, Mary.

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION—*continued.*

## FELLOWSHIP EXAMINATION.

Fitzsimons, John Joseph.	Modi, Chandu Lal.
Kennedy, Dermot Patrick.	O'Kelly, Cyril John Aloysius.
Levitt, Tobias.	Taylor, Robert George.
Malik, Hatimbhoy Shaikh Abdulally.	

## CONJOINT DIPLOMA IN MEDICINE, SURGERY, AND MIDWIFERY.

Abernethy, Victor Alexander.	Manning, Francis James.
Akerele, Elizabeth Abimbola.	Mathews, Joseph Gerard.
Ashforth, Eric Stanley.	Meenan, Patrick Francis.
Clinch, James Daniel.	Morris, Edmond George.
Coleman, Henry.	Morrissy, Daniel Francis.
Crummie, John Patrick.	M'Call, Kevin.
Duff, James Norman.	M'Call-Coffey, Victoria Philomena.
Duffy, John Bernard.	MacGuire, Constantine Francis.
Erskine, Cecil Alexander.	MacKay, Ian Francis Stuart.
Eustace, William Desmond.	MacNamara, Patrick Joseph.
Farrell, John Andrew.	M'Vey, James Francis.
Hill, John Patrick.	O'Dwyer, William.
Kavanagh, Stephen.	O'Ryan, Innocent.
Kieran, John Desmond Murphy.	Pilsworth, Thomas Neville.
Kiernan, Patrick William.	Quinn, Patrick Joseph Gerard.
Keith, Rebecca Isabella.	Rea-Clarke, Annie Gladys Gabrielle.
Kennedy, Patrick Gerard.	Rice, Derrick William.
Kinsella, Austin Michael.	Robinson, Mary Angela Bridget.
Kirkpatrick, Robert Moore.	Staunton, Nora Mary.
Linehan, Maurice Gerald.	Stein, Maurice.
Magee, Ita Ignatius.	
Laing, Henry Lougheed.	
Malin, James.	

## EXAMINATION FOR THE DIPLOMA IN PSYCHOLOGICAL MEDICINE.

Fraser, James Douglas.	O'Doherty, Patrick Joseph.
Garry, John William.	Ormston, Ronald Mark Ayton.
Kelly, Daniel Lane.	O'Sullivan, Daniel Joseph.
Mackenzie, Donald Lachlan.	Richards, Beresford Tom.
M'Laren, Robert Gordon Alexander	

## FINAL DENTAL EXAMINATION.

Bermingham, William Ambrose.	M'Namara, James.
Harty, Michael John.	Owens, Gerald Henry.
Martin, Eileen Elizabeth.	Prescott, Robert William.

## DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC HEALTH.

Devlin, Arthur Francis.

### Professors.

<i>Anatomy</i> ... ..	... ..	Evatt, Evelyn John R.
<i>Physiology and Histology</i>	... ..	Jessop, W. J. E.
<i>Surgery</i> ... ..	... ..	Chance, Arthur.
<i>Chemistry</i> ... ..	... ..	Rae, W. N.
<i>Practice of Medicine</i> ... ..	... ..	Abrahamson, L.
<i>Pharmacology</i> ... ..	... ..	Micks, R. H.
<i>Midwifery and Gynæcology</i>	... ..	Davidson, A. H.
<i>Preventive Medicine</i> ... ..	... ..	Bewley, G.
<i>Botany, Zoology, and Biology</i>	... ..	Henry, R. F. J. ( <i>Acting</i> ).
<i>Ophthalmic Surgery</i> ... ..	... ..	[ <i>Vacant</i> .]
<i>Dentistry</i> ... ..	... ..	[ <i>Vacant</i> .]
<i>Pathology</i> ... ..	... ..	Boxwell, W.
<i>Physics</i> ... ..	... ..	Rae, W. N.

### Examiners.

#### COURT "A."

For Conjoint License, Diploma in Public Health, License in Surgery  
(for Registered Practitioners and Preliminary).

*Anatomy*.—E. J. R. Evatt.

*Surgery*.—Arthur Chance; R. F. J. Henry.

*Pathology and Bacteriology*.—Wm. Boxwell.

*Physiology and Histology*.—W. J. E. Jessop.

*Forensic Medicine and Public Health*.—G. Bewley.

*Midwifery and Gynæcology*.—A. H. Davidson.

*Biology*.—R. F. J. Henry.

*Ophthalmology*.—L. E. Werner; E. Maxwell.

*Chemistry*.—W. N. Rae.

*Materia Medica, &c.*—R. H. Micks.

*Physics*.—W. N. Rae.

*Engineering and Architecture*.—R. G. Millar.

*Languages*.—J. M. Henry.

*Mathematics, Dictation, and English Essay*.—J. R. Cotter.

#### COURT "B."

For Fellowship, License in Midwifery (for Registered Practitioners),  
and License in Dental Surgery.

*Anatomy*.—E. J. R. Evatt.

*Surgery*.—Arthur Chance; A. B. Clery; Ian Fraser; R. J. Henry.

*Physiology and Histology*.—W. J. E. Jessop.

*Pathology and Bacteriology*.—Wm. Boxwell; J. T. Wigham.

*Midwifery and Gynæcology*.—A. H. Davidson.

*Chemistry and Physics*.—W. N. Rae.

*Dental Surgery and Pathology*.—K. M'Grath; W. Stewart.

*Mechanical Dentistry*.—J. Cockburn; Daniel L. Rogers.

# ANNUAL REPORT.

*May, 1936.*—The Finance Committee recommended the purchase of £3,000 G.S.R. 4 per cent. Debentures and £2,000 Dublin Corporation 4 per cent. Debentures.

The Finance Committee recommended that the various Professors, etc., be given a bonus on their year's work of 50 guineas each, and that the Part-time Professors be paid for the new year at an increased rate.

*July, 1936.*—It was proposed that the President, the Vice-President, and Mr. Chance be empowered to arrange for re-seating in the lecture theatre, to spend approximately £500.

Dr. Earl resigned his position as Assistant to the Professor of Pathology.

*October, 1936.*—The Registrar reported the death of Mr. W. G. Ridgway, F.R.C.S.I., member of the Council. A resolution of sympathy with the members of his family was passed.

Recommendation from Mr. D. L. Rogers, L.D.S.I., asking the Council to set standard of marks at the Final Dental Examination as follows:—

- 1st class honours to students obtaining 75 per cent.
- 2nd " " " " 65 "

*November, 1936.*—Mr. George Ridgway's offer to present an elk's head to the College was accepted with thanks. Mr. Stokes was asked to arrange for the setting up of same.

The Council appointed Professor Jessop to represent the College in place of Professor Boxwell on the Hospitals' Trust Medical Research Council.

*January, 1937.*—Sir Thomas Myles, F.R.C.S.I., was appointed to represent the College at the meetings of the General Medical Council.

It was decided to hold the Charter Day Dinner on 6th February, 1937.

February, 1937.—Professor Boxwell recommended Mr. J. J. Carter to be awarded the Barker Prize of £26 5s. for his dissection of the knee joint.

The use of the Examination Hall was granted to the following:—

- Women's National Health Association.
- Literary Society R.C.S.I.
- Bank of Ireland.
- Royal Zoological Society.
- Biological Society, R.C.P.I & R.C.S.I.

### Library.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report.

The Library has been used by a large number of students, Licentiates, and Fellows of the College.

The usual Calendars of the various Universities and Licensing Bodies have been received; also very many interesting pamphlets.

The following Journals were received:—Annals of Surgery; British Medical Journal; Bulletin, Johns Hopkins Hospital Reports; International Clinics; Journal of Anatomy; Journal of Mental Science; Surgery, Gynæcology, and Obstetrics; Lancet; Medical Press; Practitioner; Physiological Abstracts; Archives of Surgery; Journal of Neurology and Psychiatry; Journal de Chirurgie; Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery; Medical Directory; Proceedings of the Royal Society; British Journal of Dental Science; Irish Journal of Medical Science; Medical Annual; Journal of the Royal Naval Medical Service; British Dental Journal; Surgical Clinics of North America; Revue de Chirurgie.

The following books were presented to the Library by the authors:—

A Short Practice of Midwifery for Nurses. By Henry Jellett, M.D., F.R.C.P.I.

An Experimental Analysis of Centripetal Visceral Pathways based upon the Viscero Pannicular Reflex. By David Morton Ashkenaz.

Biological Flaps. Edited by J. F. S. Esser and Dedicated to the Committee of Honour of the Institut Esser de Chirurgie Structive.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient Servant,

ALFRED MILLER,

*Assistant Librarian.*

**Museum.**

GENTLEMEN,

The work in this Department during the year has been satisfactory and the use made of the material from the collection of pathological specimens for teaching purposes has been up to standard.

Specimens borrowed for demonstrations:—

Dr. Coolican	...	...	...	12
Pathological Department	...	about	150	
For examination—Medicine	...	30		
		Surgery	...	14
		Pathology	...	45
		—	...	89

New specimens added to the collection—

Dr. Lewis	...	...	1	
Dr. Owens	...	...	1	
The Curator	...	...	9	
Jervis Street Hospital	...	1		
		—	...	12
New specimens mounted	...	...	8	
Specimens remounted	...	...	5	

The impounding of the space in the old museum for the new lecture room has certainly served a very useful purpose. It has, however, naturally reduced the remaining available space to narrow limits. Since, besides being a museum of Zoological specimens and anthropological varieties, it is mainly used as a lumber room and furniture store, it is now almost impossible to see them at all, and what are left of the specimens in separate glass cases are in danger of irretrievable ruin. The Curator would again respectfully suggest to the Council that these specimens be made over for safe keeping to the Zoological Museum in Trinity College, where their value will be appreciated and which is the only School in this country where Zoology as a subject is systematically taught. The Professor of Zoology in Dublin University,

Dr. J. Brontë Gatenby, has already inspected some of these specimens and has expressed his willingness to take them over. Under his supervision, the specimens would be classified; they would still be the property of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, and would be available at all times to anybody expressing a desire to study them.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

WILLIAM BOXWELL,

Curator.

May, 1937

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ABSTRACT OF TOTALS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Dr.

Receipts.

5th April, 1937.

£ s. d.      £ s. d.

To NET DIVIDENDS CONJOINT EXAMINATIONS, viz.:—

SURGEONS' FEES	...	...	...	...	2,805	12	0
Less expenses deducted by Conjoint Board					218	19	3
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					2,586	12	9

FELLOWSHIP FEES	...	...	...	...	...	367	10	0
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DENTAL FEES	...	...	...	...	...	213	3	0
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MISCELLANEOUS—

Dividend on Dublin Corporation Stock	...	31	0	0
Dividend on War Loan Stock	...	238	0	0
Dividend on Great Southern Railways				
Debenture Stock	...	154	16	10
Dividend on London, Midland & Scottish Railway				
£1,005 4 % Preference Stock	...	30	13	0
Refund of Income Tax	...	10	0	8
Clinical Club	...	2	2	0
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		466	12	6

Forward	...	...	£3,633	18	3
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FROM 5TH APRIL, 1936, TO 5TH APRIL, 1937.

Disbursements.

CR.

5th April, 1937.

£ s. d.      £ s. d.

By ESTABLISHMENT—

Rent, Rates, and Insurance ... ..	169	2	6		
Salaries, Servants' Wages, Pension, and Clothes ...	637	6	9		
Gas ... ..	2	16	9		
Fuel ... ..	9	14	2		
Electric Lighting and Fittings ... ..	49	4	10		
Printing and Stationery ... ..	156	12	0		
Repairs and Painting ... ..	477	10	3		
Seriventry ... ..	10	10	0		
Petty Expenses, Postage, &c. ... ..	15	0	0		
Bank Charges, &c. ... ..	1	1	0		
Income Tax ... ..	63	0	0		
Telephone ... ..	27	3	2		
Furniture ... ..	42	16	8		
Sundries, Audit Fee, etc. ... ..	60	5	2		
Sluagh Committee ... ..	21	0	0		
				1,743	3 3

LIBRARY—

Assistants ... ..	178	17	6		
Books, Periodicals, and Binding ... ..	8	19	10		
Fuel ... ..	6	0	0		
Electric Lighting and Fittings ... ..	43	1	8		
Insurance ... ..	10	14	0		
				247	13 0

MUSEUM—

Curator ... ..	100	0	0		
Fuel and Gas ... ..	4	0	0		
Electric Lighting and Fittings ... ..	6	3	1		
Insurance ... ..	10	14	0		
				120	17 1

Forward ... .. £2,111 13 4



FROM 5TH APRIL, 1936, TO 5TH APRIL, 1937.

Disbursements.

CR.

By Amount brought forward ... .. £2,111 13 4

EXAMINERS' FEES ... .. 732 7 7

INVESTMENTS ... .. 4,844 9 3

Total Expenditure for year ... .. 7,688 10 2

Deduct Balance to Credit in Bank at beginning of year  
(5th April, 1936) ... .. 298 6 6

£7,390 3 8

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# Conjoint Examinations in Ireland,

BY THE

## ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

*Cash Statement for year ended April 5th, 1937.*

To Fees received on a/c R.C.P.I., as per statements	£1,998	3	0
„ Do. on a/c R.C.S.I., do.	2,805	12	0
			£4,803 15 0
By Secretary's Salary ... ..	125	0	0
„ Auditor ... ..	10	10	0
„ Servants, R.C.P.I. ... ..	12	0	0
„ Do. R.C.S.I. ... ..	10	0	0
„ Petty Charges ... ..	8	11	0
„ Printing and Stationery ... ..	74	4	3
„ Allowance—Chairman of Examiners ... ..	15	15	0
„ Examiners D.P.M. ... ..	75	6	9
„ Pre-Registration Examiner ... ..	95	0	6
„ Superintendent at Preliminary ... ..	5	5	0
„ Examiners D.O.M.S. ... ..	6	6	0
			437 18 6
Charged against R.C.P.I. ... ..	218	19	3
Charged against R.C.S.I. ... ..	218	19	3
			4,365 16 6
Remitted, R.C.P.I. ... ..	1,779	3	9
Remitted, R.C.S.I. ... ..	2,586	12	9
			£4,803 15 0



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Dr.

INVESTMENTS

1937.		Cost.	Present Value.
April 5—To	£4,495 Great Southern Railway 4 % Debenture Stock ... ..	£5,778 5 4	£4,570 8 6
„	£1,005 London, Midland, & Scottish Railway 4 % Preference Stock ...	1,000 0 7	829 2 6
„	£5,723 13s. 7d. 3½ % War Stock	5,437 10 7	5,949 0 11
„	£1,050 „ „	997 10 0	1,091 6 10
„	£26 6s. 5d. „ „	25 0 2	27 7 2
„	£2,000 Dublin Corporation Stock 4 % 1960/85 ... ..	2,065 7 0	2,085 0 0
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		£15,303 13 8	£14,552 5 11

CARMICHAEL PRIZE

1936.			
April 5—To	Balance as per last Account ... ..	£228 5 8	
July 15 „	Dividend on £1,016 G. N. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	15 15 0	
Do. 15 „	Do. on £913 15s. G. S. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	14 3 4	
1937.			
Jan. 15 „	Dividend on £1,016 G. N. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	15 15 0	
Do. 15 „	Do. on £913 15s. G. S. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	14 3 4	
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		£288 2 4	

BARKER ANATOMICAL

1936.			
April 5—To	Balance as per last Account ... ..	£485 3 2	
July 15 „	Dividend on £787 G. N. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	12 4 0	
Do. 15 „	Do. £578 G. S. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	8 19 2	
1937.			
Jan. 15 „	Dividend on £787 G. N. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	12 4 0	
Do. 15 „	Do. £578 G. S. R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...	8 19 2	
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		£527 9 6	

SCHOOL PRIZE

1936.			
April 5—To	Balance as per last Account ... ..	£598 7 3	
1937.			
April 5 „	Dividend on Carmichael Bequest, £782 12s. 2d. Bank of Ireland Stock ... ..	81 17 8	
Do.	Mayne Memorial, £359 13s. 8d. Consols	4 17 0	
Do.	Stoney Memorial, £66 16s. 5d. Consols	1 13 4	
Do.	M'Naughton Jones Gold Medal Funding Loan, £300 ... ..	9 4 0	
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		£695 19 3	

MONTGOMERY

1937.			
April 5—To	Cash in Bank ... ..	£18 4 0	

FRANCIS NOLAN PRIZE

1937.			
April 5—To	Cash in Bank—Legacy ... ..	£989 4 0	

ACCOUNT.

CR.

1937.

Present Value.

April 5—By Balance ... .. £

£

ESSAY FUND ACCOUNT.

1937.

April 5—By Balance in Bank ... .. £288 2 4

£288 2 4

PRIZE FUND ACCOUNT.

1937.

April 5—By Prizes ... .. £26 5 0  
          „ Printing ... .. 1 7 6  
          „ Balance in Bank ... .. 499 17 0

£527 9 6

FUND ACCOUNT.

1937.

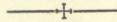
April 5—By Class Prizes ... .. £60 0 0  
          „ Medals ... .. 42 1 0  
          „ Bank Charges ... .. 1 1 0  
          „ Balance in Bank ... .. 592 17 3

£695 19 3

LECTURESHIP.

FUND ACCOUNT.

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.



We have examined and vouched the foregoing Accounts, and certify them to be correct.

The balance to credit at commencement of the year was ... .. £298 6 6

The Receipts for the year amounted to ... .. £3,633 18 3

And the Expenditure, including £4,844 9s. 3d. for Investments, came to ... .. 7,688 10 2

Showing an excess of Expenditure over Receipts for the year of ... .. 4,054 11 11

Making a balance to debit at end of the year of ... .. £3,756 5 5

KEAN & CO.,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Auditors.

DUBLIN, 1st May, 1937.