

Royal College of Surgeons  
IN IRELAND.



*NINETY-EIGHTH*

ANNUAL REPORT

AND

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

FOR THE

**Year ending 5th April, 1941.**



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# Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland.

## NINETY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNCIL.

### *Attendances at Council.*

The Council, from their election on the 13th June, 1940, until 8th May, 1941, held 10 meetings, at which the attendance of each member was as follows:—

#### *The President—*

	Attendances.
Henry Stokes ... ..	9

#### *The Vice-President—*

T. O. Graham ... ..	10
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Attendances.	Attendances.
Trevor N. Smith ... 10	Adams A. McConnell ... 4
G. E. Pugin Meldon ... 7	W. Doolin ... 5
J. L. Keegan ... 9	W. C. P. Smyly ... 3
Seton Pringle ... 5	F. Gill ... 8
Sir A. Ball ... 1	A. S. French O'Carroll ... 9
R. Atkinson Stoney ... 8	M. P. Burke ... 4
E. L. Sheridan ... 7	R. R. Woods ... 7
W. Pearson ... 3	Seymour F. Heatley ... 6
H. S. Meade ... 7	T. A. Bouchier-Hayes ... 7

Thirteen candidates were admitted to the Fellowship.

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

Thirteen candidates received the Licence in Dental Surgery.

One hundred candidates passed the Conjoint Preliminary Examination in Arts of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons.

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

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

**Professors.**

<i>Anatomy</i> ... ..	... Evatt, Evelyn John B.
<i>Physiology and Histology</i> ... ..	... Jessop, W. J. E.
<i>Surgery</i> ... ..	... Chance, Arthur, and R. F. J. Henry.
<i>Chemistry</i> ... ..	... Rae, W. N.
<i>Practice of Medicine</i> ... ..	... Abrahamson, L.
<i>Pharmacology</i> ... ..	... Micks, R. H.
<i>Midwifery and Gynaecology</i> ... ..	... Davidson, A. H.
<i>Preventive Medicine</i> ... ..	... Bewley, G.
<i>Pathology</i> ... ..	... Boxwell, W.
<i>Physics</i> ... ..	... Rae, W. N.

**Lecturers.**

<i>Applied Anatomy</i> ... ..	... Clery, A. B.
<i>Biology</i> ... ..	... Widdess, J. D. H.

**Examiners.**

## COURT "A."

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

- Anatomy*.—E. J. R. Evatt.  
*Surgery*.—Arthur Chance; A. B. Clery; J. S. Pringle.  
*Additional Examiner in Surgery*.—J. J. Fitzsimons.  
*Pathology and Bacteriology*.—Wm. Boxwell.  
*Physiology and Histology*.—W. J. E. Jessop.  
*Forsena Medicine and Public Health*.—G. Bewley.  
*Midwifery and Gynaecology*.—A. H. Davidson.  
*Biology*.—J. D. H. Widdess.  
*Ophthalmology*.—L. E. Werner; E. Maxwell.  
*Chemistry*.—W. N. Rae.  
*Materia Medica, &c.*—R. H. Micks.  
*Physics*.—W. N. Rae.  
*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; R. G. Inkster.  
*Surgery*.—Arthur Chance; A. B. Clery; J. J. Fitzsimons; J. S. Pringle.  
*Physiology and Histology*.—W. J. E. Jessop; W. R. Fearon.  
*Pathology and Bacteriology*.—Wm. Boxwell; J. T. Wigham.  
*Chemistry and Physics*.—W. N. Rae.  
*Dental Surgery and Pathology*.—K. M'Grath; W. Stewart.  
*Mechanical Dentistry*.—J. Cockburn; Daniel L. Rogers.  
*Surgery and Medicine*.—Arthur Chance; A. B. Clery.

# ANNUAL REPORT.

June, 1940.—The following Committees were elected for the ensuing year :—

## Finance Committee:

*Chairman:*

\*Mr. Frederick Gill.

*Ex-officio Members:*

\*The President.

Mr. William Doolin.

\*The Vice-President.

\*Mr. Seton Pringle.

Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney.

*Members:*

\*Mr. Trevor N. Smith.

\*Mr. J. F. L. Keegan.

Mr. Adams A. McConnell.

Mr. A. S. French O'Carroll.

\*Treasury Sub-Committee.

## Education Committee:

*Chairman:*

Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney.

*Ex-officio Members:*

The President.

Mr. William Doolin.

The Vice-President.

*Members:*

Mr. E. L. Sheridan.

Mr. Seymour Heatley.

Mr. H. S. Meade.

Mr. T. A. Bouchier-Hayes.

## Examination Committee:

*Chairman:*

Mr. William Doolin.

*Ex-officio Members:*

The President.

Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney.

The Vice-President.

*Members:*

Mr. William Pearson.

Mr. H. S. Meade.

Mr. J. F. L. Keegan.

Mr. R. R. Woods.

## General Purposes Committee:

*Chairman:*

Mr. Seton Pringle.

*Ex-officio Members:*

The President.

Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney.

The Vice-President.

*Members:*

Mr. William Doolin.

Mr. Seymour Heatley.

Mr. R. R. Woods.

Mr. M. P. Burke.

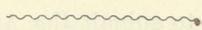
## Representatives on the Committee of Management:

Mr. William Doolin.

Mr. Seton Pringle.

Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney.

## REPORT.



*11th July, 1940.*—The Council accepted the privilege of qualifying for the Fellowship extended to the Fellows of the College by the American College of Surgeons.

Mr. W. C. Somerville-Large informed the Council of his absence on War Service and his inability to make the Declaration. His election to the Council, therefore, became void.

*10th October, 1940.*—Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney was re-elected for the year commencing October 14th, 1940, to be a member of the General Council of Medical Education and Registration of the United Kingdom.

The Registrar reported on the public air raid shelters constructed in the College basements and on the air raid precautions taken in the College and the Schools.

*9th January, 1941.*—The President and Secretary were appointed to act as a deputation to wait upon His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, Dr. McQuaid, to convey to him the congratulations of the College on his consecration as Archbishop.

*13th February, 1941.*—Mr. R. Atkinson Stoney was nominated a member of the Lister Memorial Fund Committee.

*10th April, 1941.*—A vote of condolence was passed with the relatives of the late Sir William Smyly, Fellow of the College, and the Registrar was instructed to convey to the Misses Smyly the sympathy of the Council in their bereavement.

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### Library.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report.  
The Library was used in the year by a large number of Students, Licentiates, and Fellows of the College.

The Calendars of the various Universities and Licensing Bodies were received and also some pamphlets.

The usual Medical and Surgical Journals were received.

The following books were purchased:—

Surgery for Dental Students, by P. H. Mitchner, Clement Shattock, Edward C. Slesinger and C. P. G. Wakeley, 1936.

Rectal Surgery, by W. Ernest Miles, 1939.

Green's Manual of Pathology. 16th Ed. Revised and Enlarged by H. W. C. Vines, M.A., M.D., 1940. (Two copies.)

Handbook of Hygiene, by Joseph W. Bigger, M.D.

Cushny's Pharmacology and Therapeutics. 12th Ed.

The following books were presented by their authors:—

The Chronicle of Crichton Royal, 1833-1936, by C. C. Easterbrook, M.A., M.D., F.R.C.P.I., Physician Superintendent, 1908-1937.

The Mind Changers, by E. Douglas Hume.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient Servant,

NORMAN RAE,

for Librarian.

Museum.

GENTLEMEN,

There is little fresh to report this year from this department.

Specimens from the collection have been utilised to the full for the purposes of teaching and examination.

Specimens borrowed for examinations in Surgery numbered 28, in Medicine 18, in Gynæcology 6.

The Curator made use of a large number in examinations for the Final Fellowship, for the Membership of the Royal College of Physicians, for the Diploma in Child Health; as well as in the Conjoint Examinations. The numbers used for demonstration during the regular lectures in Pathology from October to May ran into hundreds.

The Curator would thank the Council for the interest they take in the department, especially in the matter of lighting. The new arrangements will add greatly to its comfort and efficiency.

Our principal desideratum still is fresh material of surgical interest.

Practically all the material is derived from a single source and is mainly of "medical" interest. We receive little of a gynæcological nature, and only by accident anything fresh that is of interest to Surgeons. Any material of this character would be gratefully accepted, and gladly sent for.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

WILLIAM BOXWELL.

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# ABSTRACT OF TOTALS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

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DR.

Receipts.

5th April, 1941.

£ s. d.      £ s. d.

TO NET DIVIDENDS CONJOINT EXAMINATIONS, VIZ.:—

R.C.S.I. FEES	...	...	...	...	3,490	13	0
Less expenses deducted by Conjoint Board	...				389	12	9
					3,101	0	3

FELLOWSHIP FEES	...	...	...	...	582	15	0
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DENTAL FEES	...	...	...	...	337	1	0
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MISCELLANEOUS—

Dividend on Dublin Corporation Stock	...	...	...	...	54	0	0
Dividend on War Loan Stock	...				273	0	0
Dividend on Great Southern Railways	...				137	7	3
Debenture Stock	...				23	2	4
Dividend on London, Midland & Scottish Railway	...				£1,005	4	%
£1,005 4 % Preference Stock	...				487	9	7

Forward					£4,508	5	10
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FROM 5TH APRIL, 1940, TO 5TH APRIL, 1941.

Disbursements.

CR.

5th April, 1941.

£ s. d. £ s. d.

By ESTABLISHMENT—

Rent, Rates, and Insurance ... ..	208	10	6		
Salaries, Servants' Wages, Pension, and Clothes ...	798	3	6		
Gas ... ..	3	8	8		
Fuel ... ..	81	17	0		
Electric Lighting and Fittings ... ..	32	0	5		
Printing and Stationery ... ..	77	9	1		
Repairs and Painting ... ..	88	2	7		
Scrivenery ... ..	10	0	0		
Petty Expenses, Postage, &c. ... ..	20	0	0		
Bank Charges, &c. ... ..	387	4	2		
Income Tax and Corporation Duty ... ..	586	11	2		
Telephone ... ..	22	10	6		
Sundries, Audit Fee, etc. ... ..	70	1	3		
				2,385	18 10

LIBRARY—

Assistants ... ..	205	16	8		
Books, Periodicals, and Binding ... ..	88	2	6		
Fuel ... ..	6	0	0		
Electric Lighting and Fittings ... ..	27	9	0		
Insurance ... ..	10	14	0		
				338	2 2

MUSEUM—

Curator ... ..	100	0	0		
Fuel and Gas ... ..	4	0	0		
Electric Lighting and Fittings ... ..	4	11	5		
Insurance ... ..	10	14	0		
				119	5 5

Forward ... .. £2,843 6 5

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ABSTRACT OF TOTALS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Dr.

Receipts.

To Amount brought forward ... .. £4,508 5 10

Total Receipts for year ... .. £4,508 5 10

Add Balance due to Bank at end of year (5th April, 1941) ... .. 3,232 4 9

£7,740 10 7

FROM 5TH APRIL, 1940, TO 5TH APRIL, 1941.

Disbursements.	Cr.
By Amount brought forward ... ..	£2,843 6 5
EXAMINERS' FEES ... ..	964 7 8
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Total Expenditure for year ... ..	3,807 14 1
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Add Balance due to Bank at beginning of year (5th April, 1940) ... ..	3,932 16 6
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	<u>£7,740 10 7</u>

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1941.

	Cost.	Present Value.
April 5—To £4,995 Great Southern Railway 4 % Debenture Stock ... ..	£5,778 5 4	£2,460 0 9
„ £1,005 London, Midland, & Scottish Railway 4 % Preference Stock ...	1,000 0 7	550 4 9
„ £5,723 13s. 7d. 3½ % War Stock	5,437 10 7	5,970 10 2
„ £1,050 „ „ „	997 10 0	1,095 5 7
„ £26 6s. 5d. „ „ „	25 0 2	27 9 2
„ £1,000 „ „ „	1,016 8 0	1,043 2 6
„ £2,000 Dublin Corporation Stock 4 % 1960/85 ... ..	2,065 7 0	2,092 10 0
	£16,320 1 8	£13,239 2 11

## CARMICHAEL PRIZE

1940.		
April 5—To Balance as per last Account ... ..		£463 4 10
July 15 „ Dividend on £1,016 G.N.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		14 4 6
Do. 15 „ Do. on £914 G.S.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		12 15 11
1941.		
Jan. 15 „ Dividend on £1,016 G.N.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		13 14 4
Do. 15 „ Do. on £914 G.S.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		12 6 9
		£516 6 4

## BARKER ANATOMICAL

1940.		
April 5—To Balance as per last Account ... ..		£574 15 1
July 15 „ Dividend on £787 G.N.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		11 0 5
Do. 15 „ Do. £578 G.S.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		8 1 10
1941.		
Jan. 15 „ Dividend on £787 G.N.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		10 12 6
Do. 15 „ Do. £578 G.S.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		7 16 0
		£612 5 10

## SCHOOL PRIZE

1940.		
April 5—To Balance as per last Account ... ..		£595 4 10
1941.		
April 5 „ Dividend on Carmichael Bequest, £782 12s. 2d. Bank of Ireland Stock ... ..		67 5 1
Do. Mayne Memorial, £359 13s. 8d. Consols		2 5 2
Do. Stoney Memorial, £66 16s. 5d. Consols		1 13 4
Do. M'Naughton Jones Gold Medal Funding Loan, £300 ... ..		7 18 0
		£674 6 5

## MONTGOMERY

1941.		
April 5—To Cash in Bank ... ..		£18 4 0

## FRANCIS NOLAN PRIZE

1940.		
April 5—To Cash in Bank ... ..		£84 6 4
1940.		
July 15—Dividend on £1,154 G.S.R. 4 % Debenture Stock ...		16 3 1
1941.		
Jan. 15— Do. do. do. ... ..		15 11 7
		£116 1 0

## ACCOUNT.

CR.

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1941.

April 5—By Balance	...	...	...	...	...	Present Value
					...	£13,239 2 11

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 £13,239 2 11

## ESSAY FUND ACCOUNT.

1941.

April 5—Balance in Bank	...	...	...	...	...	£516 6 4
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 £516 6 4

## PRIZE FUND ACCOUNT.

1941.

April 5—By Class Prize	...	...	...	...	...	£21 0 0
,, Balance in Bank	...	...	...	...	...	591 5 10

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 £612 5 10

## FUND ACCOUNT.

1941.

April 5—By Class Prizes	...	...	...	...	...	£47 0 0
,, Medals	...	...	...	...	...	36 17 0
,, Bank Charges and Cheque Book	...	...	...	...	...	1 5 2
,, Balance in Bank	...	...	...	...	...	589 4 3

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 £674 6 5

## LECTURESHIP.

## FUND ACCOUNT.

1941.

April 5—By Class Prizes	...	...	...	...	...	£44 2 0
,, Cheque Book	...	...	...	...	...	4 2
,, Balance in Bank	...	...	...	...	...	71 14 10

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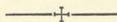


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 £116 1 0

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# AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.



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

The balance to debit at commencement of the year was	...	...	...	£3,932 16 6
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The Receipts for the year amounted to	...	£4,508 5 10		
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And the Expenditure	...	3,807 14 1		
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Showing an excess of Receipts over Expenditure for the year of	...	...	700 11 9	
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Leaving a balance to debit at end of the year of	...	...	...	£3,232 4 9
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KEAN & CO.,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Auditors.

DUBLIN, 28th April, 1941.



