

C. Izadi (Psychiatric Society of Iran); Dr R. O. Jones (Canadian Psychiatric Association); Dr G. C. Boral (Indian Psychiatric Society); Dr Margrit Fischer (Danish Psychiatric Association); Professor F. Rinald (Società Italiana di Psichiatria).

Professor H. Wijsenbeek (Israel Psychiatric Association) and Dr D. Farrukh Hussain (Pakistan Psychiatric Society) were unfortunately prevented from attending at the last minute.

The President also welcomed the many Members and guests from overseas attending the meeting. There were visitors from Australia, Greece, Kuwait, The Netherlands, Tanzania and the USA.

Presentation of Prizes

The Gaskell Medal and Prize was presented to Dr ALEC ROY, of the Maudsley Hospital.

The Bronze Medal and Prize was presented to Dr ROBIN MURRAY, the Institute of Psychiatry.

Presentation of a Mace to the College

Dr MARTIN CUTHBERT, former President of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association presented to the College a handsome silver Mace.

Social Events

The Annual Dinner was held in the Great Hall at St Bartholomew's Hospital. Dr M. M. WHITE proposed the toast 'The Guests' and Dr WILFRID HARDING replied. The toast of 'The Royal College of Psychiatrists' was proposed by Sir FERGUSON ANDERSON and the President replied.

Members and their wives and husbands attended the first Reception at the new headquarters at 17 Belgrave Square, and had the opportunity of viewing the new portrait of Sir MARTIN ROTH, the silver Mace presented by Dr Cuthbert and other gifts generously donated to the College.

Members and their wives or husbands were accompanied by Mrs W. LINFORD REES on visits to Hatfield House and to Greenwich to see the *Cutty Sark*, the Painted Hall, the Chapel and the Royal Naval Museum.

A NOTICE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The College is arranging a Reception at the Hyatt Regency Hotel on Thursday, 1 September, at 6.30 pm, for Fellows and Members from the United Kingdom and overseas who are attending the World Congress of Psychiatry in Honolulu. I have sent a personal letter and invitation to all those who are known to be going, but I am having to rely on information supplied by the World Psychiatric Association and we may not have located everyone. If you have not received my letter but would like to be at the Reception, please contact the College as soon as possible.

W. LINFORD REES
President