

## GENERAL NOTES

### THE SEMON LECTURE

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON. The Semon Lecture for 1949, entitled "Tonsillar Function; A Review of the Evidence", will be given in the Lecture Hall of the Royal Society of Medicine, 1 Wimpole Street, London, W.1 (by kind permission), by A. J. Wright, F.R.C.S., Director of Medical Postgraduate Studies, University of Bristol, at 5 p.m. on Thursday, November 3rd, 1949. The Chair will be taken by Professor F. C. Ormerod, M.D., F.R.C.S., Professor of Laryngology and Otology in the University of London.

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### ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND.

A SERIES of advanced lectures on Otolaryngology for students and consultants will be given during the winter. The first lecture will be given by Professor Geoffrey Jefferson, F.R.S., on "Brain Abscess", on December 1st, at 5 p.m.

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### THE INSTITUTE OF LARYNGOLOGY AND OTOLOGY

AND

### THE ROYAL NATIONAL THROAT, NOSE AND EAR HOSPITAL

THE members of the Committee of Management and Lecture Staff of the Institute and of the Board of Governors and the Medical Staff of the Hospital, dined together in the Refectory at Gray's Inn Road on Friday, October 7th, to celebrate the establishment of the Professorial Unit and the appointment of Mr. F. C. Ormerod to the Chair.

The Chairman of the Board of Governors and of the Committee of Management (Mr. Ernest E. Taylor) presided. The University of London was represented by Dr. E. R. Boland (Dean of the Faculty of Medicine) and Dr. D. W. Logan (Principal).

The British Post-graduate Medical Federation, of which the Institute is an integral part, was represented by Sir Archibald Gray (Chairman of the Special Purposes Committee) and Professor Sir Francis Fraser (Director).

After the loyal toast, the Institute and the Professorial Unit was proposed by Sir Francis Fraser and responded to by Mr. Taylor and Professor Ormerod. The Dean of the Institute (Mr. C. Gill-Carey) proposed the toast of the University and the Federation, to which Dr. Logan and Sir Archibald Gray responded. The Chair was proposed by Dr. Charles Newman (Dean of the Post-graduate Medical School of London).

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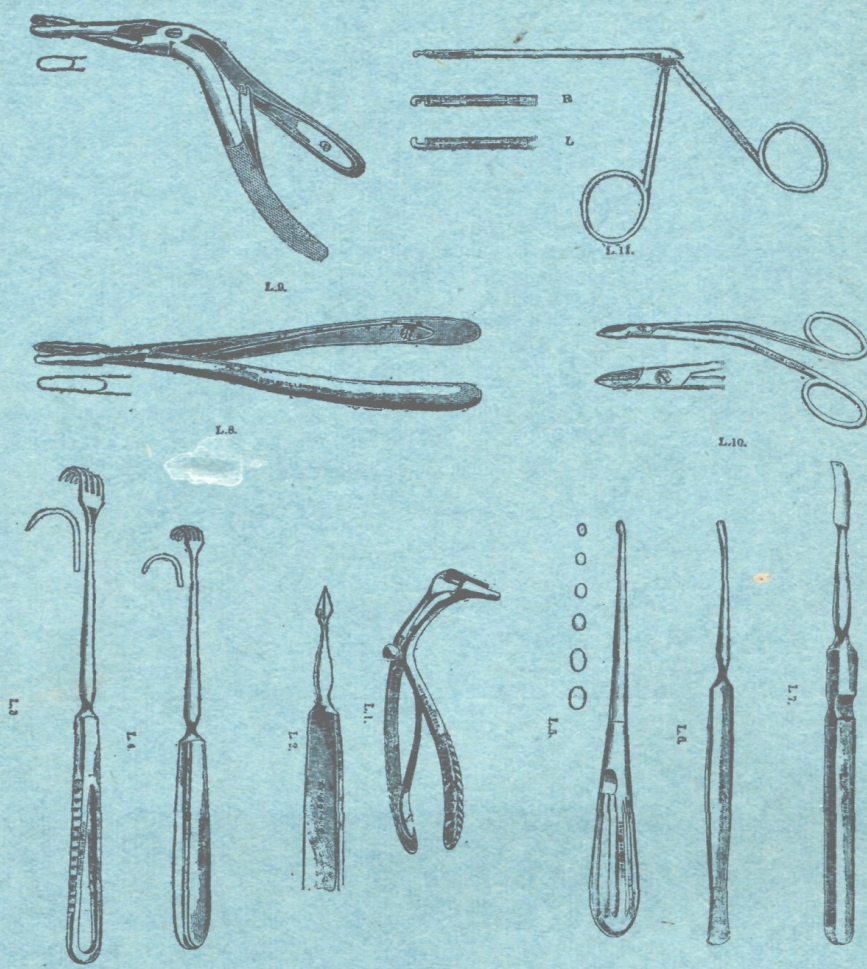
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