

**The Archives**  
of the  
**Oral Surgery Club of**  
**Great Britain**

**Minute Book 3 2000 to 2003**

**and**

**1957 Correspondence with the General Dental  
Council about the title Oral Surgeon**

**and**

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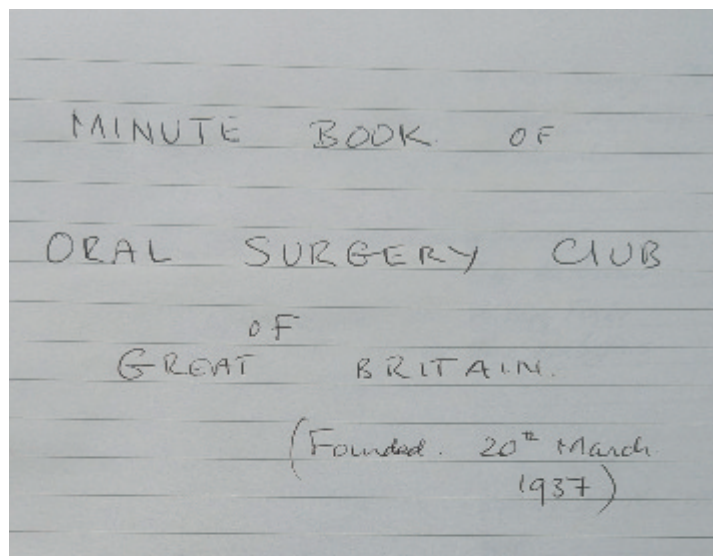
**Rupert Sutton Taylor: CV, Obituaries, Celebrations  
and Photographs**

# Introduction

This the third volume of minutes of the Committee and Annual General Meetings of the Oral Surgery Club. It also contains reports of the scientific and overseas meetings. This third minute book contains handwritten material in note form recorded by Alex Babajews the secretary of the years included.

After 2003 records were typed on computer and the prints glued into the book. However copies were also placed in the records of the individual meetings and so I have not duplicated them here. So this file contains only 2000 to 2003. Minutes and records of later meetings will be found in the corresponding meeting archive.

In 1957 the General Dental Council wanted the opinion of the club on the use of the title Oral Surgeon and this correspondence is here. Also a number of letters, mostly about membership.



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## 2000 Committee Meeting Hellaby Hall Rotherham

A meeting of the committee of the Oral Surgery Club was held at Hellaby Hall Hotel, Rotherham at 3:30 pm Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2000

Present were: The President Mr Richard Juniper  
Prof Kurshood Moos, Mr Peter McAndrew  
Mr Peter Banks, Mr Murray Foster  
Mr John Bradley, Mr Max Babajews  
Mr David Barnard

Apologies: Mr Mike Wake

The minutes of the previous AGM held on 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 1999 at Oxford were approved and signed

There were no matters arising from the minutes

Hon Treasurer Report

Mr Banks apologized for missing previous meeting as he had overseas commitments. The accounts were in a healthy state and were received.

Assets stood at £5514.65. Sponsorship for the autumn meeting had increased, so meeting expenses could be better subsidised.

The annual dues for the past 12 years stood static at £10 for active members. It was proposed by Mr Barnard that it be increased to £25 for active members. This increase in subscription would be used to pay for Secretarial Services for the Hon Treasurer and Hon Secretary. It was felt that a realistic amount of £300 per be adopted. The committee agreed and would present this to the AGM.

Hon Secretary.

Submitted a report of the Clubs visit to Israel on 24-26<sup>th</sup> May 2000. Eleven members and some spouses made the trip. Dr Danny Tenkimi unit at Porvici was visited by members, who were made most welcome by his team.

The visit was awarded 9 CME points.

CME points would be applied for for the Annual meetings to try to attract more active members.

Members of the Committee

Mr McAndrew was to replace Mr Jumper as president, Mr Foster was to succeed Mr McAndrew and Mr Babajan was to become secretary leaving a vacancy on the committee. Mr Wredlund's name was put forward to join the committee after AGM approval.

Discussion took place about the length of tenure of committee members. It was decided that the Hon Treasurer and Hon Secretary remain in post for 4 years. Extension could be possible if necessary.

It was decided that every year, one of the four committee members be replaced, insuring a new committee every 4 years.

President 2002:

After some discussion of names put forward, Mr Tate was selected.

## Membership, Retirement, New Members.

The committee was sadly informed of the passing on of Mr John Gibson and Mr Derek Wilson. The Hon Sec had written to their families offering the Clubs condolences.

Two retirements were announced, Mr Richard Jumper and Mr Peter Leopard. The committee proposed that both be offered Hon Membership with the approval of the A.G.M.

A prolonged discussion took place with regard New members. Many names were put forward for membership. It was felt that younger active members were needed. Active membership stood at 39 and the Rules permitted 50.

The following were proposed for Membership.

Peter Ramsay-Baggs (M<sup>h</sup> Ireland), Shida Fisher (Heads)  
Mick Baker (Southampton), John Hayter (Leicester)  
Cliff Beirne (Dublin), Tim Mellow (Portsmouth)  
Steve Dover (Birmingham), Mowin Morton (Blackburn)  
Ian McVicker (Nottingham), Nick Rennee (Bardon).  
The AGM would be asked for approval.

The resulting membership in the club would be

Active members	50
Honorary	52
Total	102

For the first time in the Clubs history, 2 Ladies would be invited to become members and would be eligible to attend the centenary dinner. This is not new as in the past, ladies who were lecturers had attended as guests.

A discussion took place with regard ladies attending the centenary dinner - Ladies were now admitted to male bastions such as race; Royal Yacht Clubs,

Livery Dinners. - It was felt that changes were present in society and perhaps opening dinners to spouses. Should be discussed by the membership. To this effect, a questionnaire would be sent to members on a variety of club activities to seek members opinions on the format of meetings, including timing, duration, content and ladies attendance to dinners.

Amiens 2001

Mr McAndrew announced that he had met Prof. Devauchelle recently in Edinburgh at the European Meeting and was well received. Mr Foster had recently written to Prof Devauchelle and was awaiting a reply.

The meeting was set for 9-11<sup>th</sup> May 2001. Mr McAndrew was to book a local hotel that was known to him, for members.

Any Other Business

Mr Bradley (Hon Archivist) informed the committee that Mr Henry Noble (BDA) had asked him to speak to the Lindsay Society of BDA on the Oral Surgery Club. This would spur him on to write a history of the Club which had been his intention for some time. This would be made available to club members.

There being no other business, the meeting was closed at 5 pm.

President     *Antybidel*

date     1/11/01.

## 2000 AGM and Scientific Meeting report Rotherham

The Annual General Meeting of Oxal  
Surgery Club, held at Hellaby Hall Hotel,  
Rotherham at 5.15 pm. Thursday  
2<sup>nd</sup> November 2000.

The President Mr Jumper was in the chair, 30 members  
were present. Apologies were received from 37  
members. The minutes of the AGM held on  
4<sup>th</sup> Nov 1999 at Oxford were read and approved.  
no matters arose.

The Hon Treasurer had tabled the Club records of  
accounts which indicated a healthy balance.  
The accounts were audited and it was recommended  
that they be adopted.

A discussion on Revised Subscription from  
£10 to £25.20 took place. Informing the membership  
that it had remained static for the past 12 yrs.  
The meeting agreed to adopt these changes.

The Hon Sec. reported the Club visit to  
Israel. when 11 members <sup>attended</sup> the Danny Tomkins unit  
in Poriya on 24-26<sup>th</sup> May 2000.

It was a most enjoyable meeting and the  
club were made most welcome.

Mr Jumper gave a short. Validictory address and  
welcomed the New President Mr Peter McAndrew.

Mr McAndrew thanked Prof Moos and also thanked  
Hon Sec Murray Foster who was retiring as Hon  
Sec. to become President after Mr McAndrew.

Mr Alex Babajews was made Hon. Sec. He thanked

Murray Foster for his sterling work and informed the members he would do his best and was honoured to become the new Hon Sec.

The deaths of 2 members Mr Gibson and Mr Wilson were announced. It was then a period of 1 mins silence.

It was recommended that Retiring members Messrs P. Leopard and R. Juniper be offered Hon Membership and this was approved.

Mr Woodward was recommended to become a member of the Committee and was approved.

The names of Peter Ramsay-Bagg (Inch), Mick Baker (Southampton); Cliff Borene (Inch), Steve Dover (Birmingham) Shula Fisher (Leeds), John Hayter (Leicester) Tim Moller (Portsmouth) Morna Morton (Blackburn) Ian McVicker (Nottingham) Nick Rennee (Aberdeen)

were put forward as new members and were approved.

This would bring the Number of Active Members to 50  
Hon Members to 52  
Total Members 101

It was proposed that a Questionnaire would be sent to all members in the next month to determine members views on the format of meetings and the admission of Ladies to the Autumn dinner.

Mr McAndrew welcomed members to the Amiens meeting and showed colour transparencies of the town.

There being no other business, the meet was closed.

President: Peter Fisher  
1/11/01

The Scientific Meeting was held on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2000 in the Hellaby Hall Hotel Rotherham.

The first presentation was by Mr Peter Cant, a dynamic General Surgeon trained in South Africa, Canada and New Zealand. titled. It is not what it seems; Unexpected

Results from Scientific Studies.

Did Nelson say kiss me Hardy? It may have been Arabic for the end is in sight. Goats in Zaire were common because of lack of iodine. This resulted in Cretinism and infertility. Treatment with iodised salt resulted in males being treated, and a black market industry. - so Lipiodol was injected; no black market, no goats, no cretinism, but fertile offspring, resulting in population explosion and lack of protein.

Discussed how some clinical trials were fraudulent in order to maintain research money.

How Govt. Breast Cancer priorities have had no effect on Ca detection & treatment but has increased waiting lists for general surgery.

A dynamic and interesting presentation.

Mr Manjit Bhamra, an orthopaedic surgeon spoke on Hips and Chromosomes. He gave a history on hip prostheses and methods of retention with cements. He spoke of research which showed bone loss caused by macrophages induced to deal with  $\mu$ -particles. Nickel dust from abrasion has been found to cause chromosome abnormalities that could be reversed with Vit C. - A well presented lecture which was informative.

Dr Gurnam Basran, a Respiratory Physician titled his presentation Dusts, Toxins and Airways.

presentation with histological slides of Asbestosis and Coalminers pneumoconiosis. - He explained the various types of Asbestos, how and where it is used, and the properties that give it its sinister character - The resulting mesotheliomas and the inability to treat the results of this nasty material.

A fascinating presentation. This was followed by coffee and a presentation of the Team pulled together given by a GPD Stuart Coldwell and Ken Ruiz a Consultant Anaesthetist. Together they developed a hospital based GA extraction service for local dentists. In Rotham 3 yrs ago, 3500 extractions were performed by GPD's under GA in their surgeries by 17 practitioners. - The figure has been reduced to 1000 cases / yr. A fast track service of 5 cases/hr, 30 cases/day. A lively discussion followed.

The next lecture was Motor Sport Medicine was given by Dr David Newby, a consultant anaesthetist with an interest in Rally Driving. The most common injuries sustained were dislocated thumbs and cuts from flying stones. This was a safe sport when compared to equestrian injuries which produce 136,000 visits to the A&E Dept / yr in the UK. This lecture was followed by an excellent sit down buffet.

The afternoon session was commenced by Dr Geoffrey Ceag, an oral pathologist with an interest in Forensic Odontology. - The interesting title "Don't leave your bits behind" relates to a murderer who was caught after he bit into cheese a left tooth indentation. Human bits, animal bits and murdered victims were shown as well as an excellent case report. It was a nicely presented lecture.

We were then entertained by Mr Luke Durham an ENT consultant who spoke of the "Singing voice"

In his case study, he was the patient whose voice was affected by an unknown cause. - Investigations using a stroboscope of the cricothyroid muscle. showed he had a cyst which required surgery.

He was an accomplished singer and demonstrated techniques of resonance. He entertained the audience with his excellent voice and his wit & humor.

The final presentation by Dr. Chandu Bardham was titled "The Conquest of Duodenal Ulcer? Mitostones and Signposts". He was a quiet speaker, reserved gastroenterologist. capable of holding his audience spellbound.

He discussed the history of drug treatment for ulcers, the microbiology of Helicobacter Pylori, the cause and effect of ulcers. This gentle man was a giant in his specialty. who had collected 4 million pounds in research money and had numerous PhD students. a stunning presentation.

The president thanked all his speakers for a truly excellent scientific session.

In the evening, we were taken to Hamiltons Restaurant. where a magnificent meal was enjoyed by members and guests.

We were entertained by the Surgery ENT Surgeon. Late Dartam. who sang for us and also Lawrence Oldham who played the piano.



Uter Sec. 1-11-01

## 2001 Notes about Amiens Meeting

Amiens - France

May 10<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> 2001.

Unit Chief: Bernard Devauchelle

Chief Asst: Sylvie Tostelin.

Centre Hospitalier Universitaire d'Amiens

Members Attended

BABROWS, BAILEY, BEIRNE, JOUER, FISHER

FOSTER, HENDERSON, HAWKSFORD, HANLYN

JAMES, JONES, K; KENDRICK, LELLO

MELLOE, McVICKAR, Mc GURK, Mc Andrew,

MERKS, OLLEY, PATTON, QUANT, RAY,

Ramsay-BAGGS, STASSEN, SIMPSON, M, TATE

WAKE, WELLER, WOODWARDS.

Total of 30 members, 15 partners. - biggest overseas meeting recorded.

Introduction to Unit by Prof Devauchelle.

20 beds.

Head: Prof Devauchelle.

2 Consultants: 1 FT ; 1 PT

Sen Registrar

Residents x 3

Between Lille & Paris. serves a population 1.8M. (Picardy Region)  
Amiens: 150,000

Main interests:

Reconstructive pl-surg

Cleft Surg

Skil tumours

Salivary tumours

Cancer: ← <sup>skin</sup> H&N - Thyroid

malformations: - orthognathic surgery

Aesthetic Surgery.

Start 8am, operate each day Monday → Friday.  
maxillofacial consultations. 1:30 → 7pm

See/Treat 13,000 pats / yr

It is a university hospital. i.e. Education  
- Med Students  
- Nurses  
Locally, Regionally, Nationally  
for plastics & maxillofacial Surg

Research Programs:  
• 3D Imaging / stereolithographic models  
• Bioresorbable materials  
•  $\mu$ -Surgery  
• Cleft Surgery

Dept. has developed a network to attract material.

Mon. - oncology  
Wed 1/2 skin tumour clinics  
Thurs 1/2 Cleft clinics  
4x / yr; orthographic cases

Scientific Meeting:  
commenced on Wednesday at Obstetric Hospital.

Case presentations: Ante Natal Diagnosis showing.  
(1) Teratoma ← Jejunum / Limbs } around the head  
pregnancy terminated.

(2) Cerebrocysto-mandibular Syndrome  
{ facial abnormality } Seen on U/Sound.  
no mandible

lethal malformation in 75% cases ∴ terminated.  
father had Treacher Collins Syndrome.

(3) Cystic hygroma of neck.  
/ amniotic ds, with MRI + echo.  
Sclerosed with alcohol; got attended.

(4) Genetic Defect 22 q 11 - Di George Syndrome.  
• deletion of gene  
• 1:4000  
• 25% inherit this deletion.  
• affects 3 + 4<sup>th</sup> pharyngeal arches.

Reported 8 cases in same family  
used FISH. (a fluorescent molecular analysis)

(5) Prof of Obs + gynae. presented an analysis of Ante natal clefts  
from yrs 1988-01: 46 cases, in 36,000 births

Showed how ds. improved over the years.

'88 - 1 case identified in 13 clefts

'91-97 - 10/23 identified prenatally

98-2000 - 8/9 " "

∴ Improved detection Rate

Discussed Chromosomal abnormalities - 10%

Cardiac abnormalities - 30%

Showed use of Doppler techniques for amniotic  
fluid flow between nose and mouth

(6) A Patau - Robin Syndrome case.  
Showing use of Chromosome Probes.

Patient attended with cystic hygroma.

• Family of clefts.

Discussion on pre-surgical approaches in clefts

Buffet Lunch with nice wines.

The afternoon session presented by Professor and his staff.

- Periosteal grafts from Tibia in  $\rightarrow$  6x1.5cm.  
for closure of palate in 1 stage
- Speech Therapist demonstrating speech with AEROPHONOSCOPE

Video: of Periosteal graft.

- from tibia
  - used to support epithelium from lateral border of cleft
  - a prospective Trial
- f not sure of  $\rightarrow$  acitisation  
 $\rightarrow$  affecting growth.

Aim: - . to diminish no. of operations  
• to close unilat. CL+P  
? has it inhibited growth of tibia

• Discussion on pre surgical orthopedics for clefts.

• Dynamic sphincteroplasty  
pharyngo-plasty.  
cholec - Rhinoplasty / open Rhinoplasty.

• Video on Endoscopic Surgical Removal of angular Deermoid cyst.

•  $\mu$ -Surgery for 1984-2000

- 700 free flaps
- 5% failure Rate

- cutaneous flaps
- Digestive  $\leftarrow$  stomach
- muscular  $\leftarrow$  jejunum.

composite.  
New gracilis muscle flaps

after an exhausting session: - a coach Direct to  
Amiens Cathedral where we met our partners  
- guided visit, specially arranged  
free evening.

Day 2: Theatre @ Hospital Nord.

Theatre was visited by small groups.  
Video showed operations in theatre

Cases: - 1) Difficult cystic hygroma of parotid gland

2) L. Fore I + down # with palatal separation

3) Maxilla bone graft

4) Revision of cleft lip.

We were taken to the department where various surgeons  
for set up with post op. patients.

1) Reconstruction of mandible following gunshot.

2) jejunal flap in ~~adult~~<sup>child</sup> with tongue  
haemangioma.

3) gastric flap - in pat with SCC  
+ neck dissection.

4) Demonstration of 3-D Reconstruction / Imaging  
for construction of cranio-facial plates.

Lunch: - Buffet with fine wine!

Afternoon: - Visit to Ambulance Centre,  
Run by Fire brigade.  
all ambulances have Doctors, usually  
anesthetist trained, who administer GA/pain relief  
before reaching hospital.

- Taken to Casualty Room
- Looked over ambulance.
- Looked over Emergency Equip<sup>mt</sup> Helicopter

Then afternoon Tea & Fuller lectures in  
hospital board room.

• chief administrator was to welcome us but was  
at Ministry of Health.

- Lectures included:
- Max Fac./stomatology Education
  - Local onlay grafts
  - design of Doppler flow meter for  
flaps. Blood flow

• New-mucosal free flap  
pro fabrication using silicone.

Lectures finished at 5:45 pm.  
Coach to hotel.

Evening:

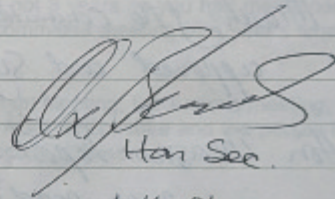
Dinner with our guests at MARRISONS Restaurant  
for our River Sumner.

no boat trip on Hornclooms as River Flooded.

• Started with champagne reception outside on wonderful evening  
finished with a memorable French meal.

Prof Demudallec was given a book on Endoscopic  $\mu$ -surgery  
Sylvie Testelin: a small miniature porcelain teapot.

Prof was offered Hon. Membership of the club



Hon Sec.

1-11-01

Alex BARBAROUS

## 2001 Committee Meeting Shrigley Hall Macclesfield

A meeting of the committee of the Oral Surg Club was held at Shrigley Hall, Cheshire at 3:30 pm. on Nov 1st 2001.

- Present: The President: Peter McAndrew  
President Elect: Murray Foster  
Past President: Nechaar Tumber  
Hon Treasurer: John Bradley  
Hon Secretary: Peter Burt  
Hon Sec: Alex Babajun

Committee members: Dave Barnard, Bob Tate  
Apologies: Mike White, Bob Woodwards, Kusbar

Minutes of the committee meeting, June 2nd Nov 2000 were approved and signed.

### Hon Treasurer Report:

was read & presented, and accounts were received. The Rotherham meeting was the most expensive to date but monies were recouped by increased sponsorship and the meeting was an excellent one.

The Hon Treasurer Secretary is no longer interested in carrying out the works and feel she was underpaid for her efforts, the Hon Treasurer will pay her a further £50.

The Hon Sec did not use allocated £300 for Secretary's services. To explain he had 3 charges of Secretary, and new Secretary will be properly remunerated.

The accounts were in a depleted state. £2116.32 as a result of a "float" of £2500 to Mr Foster for present meeting. This had not been done for Rotherham.

Hon Treasurer felt that for the overseas meeting, the Treasurer should send out account, and Hon Treasurer or Secretary should pay by credit card and

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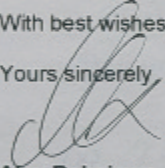
Dear John

Thank you for talking to me on the telephone the other night. As I was writing up the minutes I noticed that in the Rotherham Meeting and also in Murray Foster's Presidential address that he mentioned committee members would have a term of office of 4 years and not 3 years as you had mentioned to me. Perhaps we could work the mechanism out on our next committee meeting in a year's time as there is no great rush.

Also I enclose copies of those people that attended the Rotherham Meeting, the Amiens meeting, the apologies for the AGM at Rotherham and the apologies for the AGM at Cheshire and the people that attended the Cheshire meeting. Apparently you like to keep a record of these.

With best wishes

Yours sincerely

  
**Alex Babajews**  
Honorary Secretary  
Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain

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sent direct to Treasurer.

### Hon Secretary Report.

Summer trip to Antreas, 10-11<sup>th</sup> 2001.

Reported longest overseas visit to Prof Devauchelle's Unit  
30 members, 15 partners attended.

A superb, busy and informative meeting was had and  
the Club was warmly welcomed.

14 CME points were awarded.

The Cheshire meeting was awarded 6 CME's.

Hon Sec apologized to the Hon Treasurer for misinforming  
Club membership fees were £20 and not £25 as previously  
reported. - The fees from 2002 would be £25

Results of Questionnaire sent to all Club members with regard  
to change of format of meetings.

- |                                    |   |             |
|------------------------------------|---|-------------|
| (1) Partners to attend Club dinner | 21 Yes                                    | No change   |
|                                    | 35 No                                     |             |
| (2) Timing of Spring Meetings:     | March 4                                   |             |
|                                    | Apr. 6                                    | ∴ no change |
|                                    | May 41                                    |             |
| (3) Timing of Autumn Meetings:     | Sept 0                                    | ∴ no change |
|                                    | Oct 17                                    |             |
|                                    | Nov 37                                    |             |
| (4) Content of Autumn Meetings:    | 48 wanted to maintain<br>General Content. |             |
|                                    | 1 " to have oral Surg<br>presentations    |             |
| (5) of Seas Meetings:              | 2 Full days. 13                           |             |
|                                    | 3 x 1/2 days 26.                          |             |
- (as a result of the Israel meeting)

### Members poor attendance:

Some members of the committee felt attendance by some active members was poor in past years.

A spread sheet of attendance was examined.

It had previously been made clear that for all ACTIVE members, Club Rules stated that attendance 1 meeting in 4 was necessary to remain a member.

It was evident that there were some members who regularly failed to attend. It was decided a letter should be written to 3 poor attenders by the President or the Sec. but only if AGM approved.

Ladies Programme: a member had written to the Sec asking that a ladies program be considered. earlier. & requested it be discussed at the committee.

It was decided to send out a program, as soon as it is arranged.

### Members of the Committee.

A rotational system to introduce New members was agreed.

Mr Foster to replace Mr Mc Ardou as President.

Mr Mc Ardou to join committee as past president for 1 year

The New president Elected for 2013. to sit in on the committee to see the "workings"

The longest serving member of the committee to come off along with past President. (Mr WAKE and Mr Jumper).

Mr Humberstone's name was put forward to join the committee after AGM approval.

The new committee would include:

- Peter McAndrew (as past president)
- David Barnard
- Bob Woodward
- John Humberstone
- + President Elect for 2003.

President 2003:

After some discussion of names put forward, Mr Steve Olley was selected and the Hon Sec. to ask him if he would accept.

Membership, Retirement, New members

The committee was informed of the deaths of Mr Peter Lewis, Mr Terry English and Mr L. Young.

The Hon Sec had written to their families offering the Club condolences.

2 Retirements were announced. Mr Mike Corrigan, the Mr Tim Nagus.

Committee proposed that they be offered Hon membership with the approval of the AGM.

Resignations: - Mr Brian Miller, because of work commitments. Let an Active member could replace him as he was not able to support the Club

a short discuss took place as to special circumstances, membership could be re-offered when less busy - no decision taken.

Mr Bauls suggested that an orthodoxist be given Hon Membership  
- no discussion took place

### New Members.

- active membership stood at 47 - 3 vacancies available  
The follows were proposed.

Paul Johnson - Guildford

David Adlam - Cambridge.

Prof Tom Cowpe - Bristol.

16 ASMA would be asked for their approval.

### Hon Membership.

Prof Devauchelle - Amiens, was put forward.

It was decided from 2001, that Hon Members  
from Overseas, would be expected to attend 1 meeting in 10.  
(1 every 5 yrs) to maintain Hon status. This policy could  
not be retrospective.

### Resulting Membership:

Active Members 50

Hon Members 52.

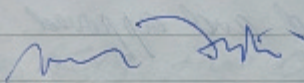
Total 102

### Overseas Meeting 2002.

The President Elect Mr Murray Foster informed the  
Committee that Prof Shmelzhtzen Freiberg had agreed to  
host the Spring meeting from 16-17 May 2002  
The choice of programme to be decided.

Mr. Bob Tate, informed the committee that Prof. Rod Ewers  
would host the Club meeting in Vienna on  
24, 25 April 2003, following Easter Sunday.

There being no other business, the meeting closed at  
5:05 pm.

President. 

Date. 31-10-02.

## 2001 AGM Shrigley Hall Macclesfield

The A.G.M. of Oral Sing Club of G-B  
held at. Brazazon Room, Shrigley Hall Cheshire  
at. 5.15 pm. Thus Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 2001

The President Mr McAndrew was in the Chair

34 members were present

35 Apologies Received

Deaths of 3 members Announced <sup>Mr Terry English, Mr Peter Lewis, Mr L Young</sup>  
7 mins Silence observed. <sup>Mr St Paul Beatty, Mr Dennis - Mr 2 of us</sup>  
Minutes of AGM held on 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov 2000 at Sherham  
were read and approved. No matters arose

Hon Treasurer Tabled. the Club records of accounts.

Balance as per Statement 30.9.01 was £116:32 +  
£2500 that to Mr Foster  
Accounts Audited by Mr John Williams and  
Mr Peter McAndrew.

Hon Archivist. Mr John Bradley showed a short  
video clip of the Inaugural 1<sup>st</sup> Scientific  
Meeting of the O.S. Club 26 Nov 1937 - Leeds Dental  
School.

He gave a brief history of the Club and circulated  
a booklet to all club members present of the  
history of the O.S. Club which he presented to the  
Lindsay Soc. of BDA.  
The was was to be sent to all members.

Hon Sec:

Reported the Club visit to Amicus 10-11 May 2001  
to Prof. Desvauchelle Unit.

This was the largest attendance to an overseas meeting, with 30 members or 15 partners attending. The host provided a busy and interesting programme.

Hon Sec. Reported Results of Questionnaire sent out to all Club members. to see if they felt the format of the meeting should change.

The only change requested was that the O/Saas meeting have 3 x 1/2 days rather than 2 full days.

Hon Sec. advised the AGM that Club membership should have been £25 and not £20. He had misread the Treasurer and apologized.

A request was made to check Membership books for any errors, and also supply e-mail addresses to aid correspondence.

Retiring President Mr Peter McAndrew installed Mr Murray Foster as the New President.

In a short address, he welcomed Mr Foster as the New president and thanked him for 10 yrs as Secretary to the Club. He also thanked the Hon Sec.

Alex Babajews and other committee members for their help and support in his year of Presidency.

The New President Mr Murray Foster, thanked the Past president for his hard work and thanked the Members for the honour bestowed on him.

The took the chair, described changes in the committee structure. Each year a new member of the committee would be installed. thereby having a new committee every 4 years.

The President put forward the name of Mr John Hankyford as the new committee member and this was approved by AGM.

It was recommended and approved that 2 Retiring members Mr Coogan and Mr Negus be offered Hon Membership.

It was recommended and approved that Prof Devardelle be offered Hon Membership.

O'Seas Hon members to attend 1:10 meetings to maintain membership

It was proposed and agreed that Active Members who fail to attend 1:4 meetings without good reason be asked if they wish to resign to allow active members to join

The names of Paul Johnson - Guildford  
David Bolton - Cambridge  
Prof Tom Cowpe - Bristol

were put forward as new members and approved.  
Reg will be invited to accept membership.

This would bring no of active members to 50  
Hon Members to 52  
Total 102

President Elect: Mr Bob Tale, informed to AG 19 of  
date of his meeting.

Autumn. 31<sup>st</sup> Oct - 1 Nov 2002 Ipswich

Spring. Vienna. 2003

Apr 23, 24, 25<sup>th</sup> 3 + 1/2 days.

The appointment of Subsequent President Mr Steve Olkey was  
announced.

This change of early notification follows a pattern set  
1 yr ago, enabling forward planning. as venues can  
be difficult to find.

Mr Olkey thanked members for the honour of being asked  
to be president.

The President spoke of the Spring Meeting in 2002 in  
Freiburg - Pig Stomach Unit.

16 - 17<sup>th</sup> May.

The program had not been decided, but  
members were offered p-surgery, clefts, endoscopic p-plate.

Mr Foster asked for views

Mr Foster welcomed members to Cheshire. As there was  
no further business, the meeting was closed.

President. *Steve Olkey*

Date. 31-10-02

## 2001 Notes about Shigley Hall Macclesfield Meeting

### Scientific Meeting.

held: Fri. 2 Nov 2001 - Shigley Hall  
CHESHIRE - Brabazon Suite

#### Morning Session:

The first presentation was given by Prof Steve Williams, who spoke on functional M.R. Scanning. This is used to measure blood flow, tissue perfusion and anatomy in a functional way. - can select areas of the brain and measure biochemistry.  $H_2$  in  $H_2O$  is magnetic,  $^{19}F$  nuclei absorb electromagnetic energy & emit a pulse of radio frequency  $\rightarrow$  Resonance. Can image parts of brain prior to surgery. A reduction in deoxygenated blood  $\rightarrow$   $\uparrow$  MR signal.

can image stroke puts - swallowing cortex

Drug action sites can be visualised

used for brain mapping

markers of cancer which show different biochemistry

$\therefore$  main use in Aiding Ds and following Therapeutic treatment.

Next presentation was by Paul Cotte - Recently Chief Superintendent of Greater Manchester Police.

This was an entertaining & interesting lecture on illicit drugs, trafficking. - He showed no audience samples of drugs used for school lessons.

Ways of growing Cannabis were described, Agriculture, wild, Hydroponics

An addict requires 18 K/yr to support his habit - usually by robbery. Home office statistics show  $\pm 6-8$  Billion spent on drugs in the "street"

There are 295,000 Heroin users & 290,000 Cocaine users

Prof Mike Dixon, head of Craniofacial Research spoke about the Human Genome Project, positional cloning and of the insulin gene and diabetes.

He spoke of Treacher Collins Syndrome and it being localized to Chromosome 5. It took 5 yrs to find the control region and 6-7 yrs to identify the gene.

It is used in prenatal Dx, but can't say if the condition will be mild or severe.

All children have a cleft palate, but if gene TGF $\beta$ 3, it prevents it.

Dr Edward Dumban, a consultant in Infectious Diseases gave an informative and entertaining lecture on AIDS, Hepatitis, needlestick injury and  $\beta$ -interferon.

Vaccine for Hep B is genetically engineered.

Spoke of immunization schedules.

Suggested all major surg, should do LFT's, if transaminase  $\uparrow$  ask for Hep C Test.

In HIV - protease inhibitors are used in 1/2 of AIDS, cost £9,000 / yr per person, 1/4 of health budget in Manhattan is spent on AIDS. - AIDS no longer ~~the~~ fatal.

any person with  $> 1$  attack of shingles, think HIV, also any unexplained  $\uparrow$  ESR.

Also spoke about Antivar.

In the afternoon, Prof Richard Rimston, ENT Surgeon spoke about type II Neurofibroma and Cochlea Implants - cost 15K, & 50/yr placed in Manchester.

Dr Ted Wu, an endocrinologist spoke about the male menopause and erectile dysfunction - Hormone replacement can  $\rightarrow$   $\uparrow$  prostate Ca and  $\uparrow$  Atherosclerosis.

The last lecture was by Dr John Rufford, Home Office  
pathologist, who spoke about the forensic aspects  
of the Shipman enquiry  
- poison, 13 exhumations and falsification of  
wills

This also was an excellent and well illustrated lecture

Dr Rufford  
Hon Sec. 31-10-02  
Max BARRETT

## 2002 Notes on Freiburg Meeting

Freiburg - Germany.  
15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> May 2002

Unit Chief: Prof Rainer Schmalzisen.  
Universitäts Klinikum

### Members Attended:

Adlam, Babajaws, Bailey, Banks, Daver, Evans  
Foster (President), Hamlyn, Hawksford, Hayler,  
Henderson, Juniper, Kendrick, Lello, Markus,  
Machtens, McAndrew, McGuek, McVicar  
Moos, Olley, Patton, Ramsay-Baggs, Sugar  
Simpson, Tate, Ward-Borsh, Weller

Total 27 Members.  
14 Partners

Wed PM:- Introduction to Dept with wine tasting  
by Prof Schmalzisen and Staff.

Dept on top floor of dental school.  
Freiburg is situated in a beautiful setting  
adjoining the black forest.

Dept interests include:

- Head malignancy
- Reconstructive pt. surgery
- Cleft surgery
- Orthognathic surgery.
- Cosmetic surgery of the face.

Dynamic Research is carried out in the  
fields of computer aided navigational Surgery

- endoscopic surgery.
- Colour coded ultrasound.
- Tissue engineering in Abs with "Bio-tissue"
- Implant placement & CT Navigation

On Wed Evenng, Bio-tissue invited the club

members & partners to an evening meal at  
"Alte Wache" Restaurant at  
Munsterplatz in the center of town.

Thurs 16<sup>th</sup>:

Members attended theatre - 2 theatres were  
running concurrently with closed circuit T.V.  
operations included

maxillary osteotomy  
maxillary augmentation with bone grafting  
Orbital Reconstruction using calvarial  
bone, and Computer Aided Navigational Surgery  
using fixed markers } to an accuracy  
of 1mm.  
Infrared Sensors }

In the afternoon we were taken to SYNTHES office  
where we had an excellent lunch followed  
by lecture in a purpose built state of the art  
lecture theatre.

Presentations were given on

(i) Freiburg Concept of maxillary osteotomy.

(ii) R.L. & P. Surgery: - 1500 documented cases  
since '63

in 2000: - 43 New patients.

2 primary operations in 15<sup>th</sup> yr of life but 4-6/12  
1 Lip, nose, alveolus

20 palate at 10/12 - hard palate & soft palate  
used Delano Technique.

### (3) Lecture on fixation techniques

- Self drilling & tapping screws

Mini plate osteosynthesis - use of LOCKING Screws

do ↓ displacement of bone segments and avoid ↓ BS with pressure

- prevents stripping & movement of screws.

### Lecture on Bio-resorbable materials

- Polymers → Lactic Acid →  $CO_2 + H_2O$   
Glycolic Acid

Tab 28/12 for resorption

but histocyte reaction can be intense

- Not as strong :- can get shearing of screw heads  
∴ need to ↑ size of screws & plates

### Lecture on Skull base & Mid face tumour surgery.

- Singular Navigation

- Accurate (use of special occlusal splint)

- used to Record  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{pre tumour} \\ \text{post tumour} \end{array} \right\}$  surgery

∴ can use accurate high Dose DXT to small volumes

### (4) Clinical Case: - of Antero-Venous Malformation

in @ Temporal Region.

- embolisation at 4/21 & 6/22

- use CT Navigation

- use of NORIAN - Bone cement.

•  $CaPO_4 + Na_2PO_4$

- injectable
- mouldable.

can use with titanium mesh.

- Replaced 2 bone with time.

### 5) Endoscopic treatment of Fractures.

- need to create a cavity  
maintain "

in Frontal Sinus  
medial wall #'s.

Zygomatic  
Condyle #'s.

to date:	14	via submand approach.	} total 34 cases.
for condyles	17	Intra orae.	

### Final lecture on Tissue or bone engineering.

- Bx  $\rightarrow$  cells  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{mesenchymal} \\ \text{osteogenic} \end{array} \right.$

• Bone or Skin grown on matrix

- Blood for pat (400 ml) used for bone.  
made "osteogenic Rings"  
 $\bar{c} \approx 2 \times 10^6$  cells/Ring

us: AM: Partners - walking tour of Freiburg + Lund.

us: PM: - Dinner @ "Zum Roten Baren"  
Restaurant. - Courtesy of SYNTHEX

Friday: 17<sup>th</sup>.

Theatres - Sinus Regeneration using  
Tissue engineered Matrix

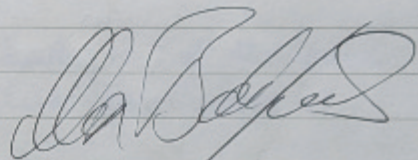
1) Cleft lip & palate

2) Free Tibular Graft to reconstruct  
bone defect.

Fri: PM:- Trip by Coach to Black Forest  
followed by Flying with Prof. S

Every Club Hosted a magnificent dinner  
at Zum Hirschen-Lehan Restaurant  
preceded by cocktails in the restaurant  
garden. as a token of appreciation to the  
hosts.

- Prof S. , left early after the meal as he  
was flying off to U.S the next morning.



Har/See 31.10.02  
Max BABABUS

## 2002 Committee Brook Hotel Ipswich

A meeting of the committee of the Oral Surg  
Club of GB was held at Belstead Brook Hotel.  
Ipswich. at 3 pm. in Ipswich. 2002  
on 31<sup>st</sup> October

Present: President Murray Foster.  
President Elect: Bob Tate.  
Hon Anchnst. John Bennett; Hon Treasurer Peter Banks Hon Sec Max Berridge  
Committee: Steve Alley.  
Robert Woodwards.

Apologies: Peta McAndrew; John Hawkford.  
David Bernard.

The committee was informed of the death of Bill MacLennan.  
The Hon Sec passed on the Clubs Condolences.

Minutes of Meeting Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 2001 Shrigley Hall were presented  
and approved.

Matters arising from minutes:

Discussion took place with regard Hon Members, eg:  
Plastic Surgeons; ophthalmist etc.

After a short discussion, it was felt the club was  
strong enough, and did not require outside membership.

There was no need to bring in other specialties.  
Brian Morgan to remain an hon member.

Hon Treasurer Report -

This was read & presented. The accounts  
were received.

accounts were split into 2:  
- overseas meeting (Reeburg)  
- Home meeting.

Bob Woodward was billed by error for Reeburg meeting, causing a discrepancy in charging.

Peg Schmelzisen did not cash cheque sent to him for taking members flying. The Treasurer was not sure that he received it, but Synthesis did cash their cheque for £850.

Again the problem of persistent bad payers, it takes extra time & effort to get debts & was bad form.

The Treasurer's job has become busier; where previously Hon Sec sent out account for overseas meeting, this is now done by the Treasurer & his secretary.

Discussion regarding Secretary's Remuneration took place.

It was decided to pay Treasurer Sec £400 pa.  
& leave Hon Sec. Sec. with £300 pa.

Hon Sec Report.

Overseas meeting was presented. - 27 members & 14 partners attended.

An excellent meeting arranged by Peg Schmelzisen.

Members of the Committee:

David Baenard and Peter McAndrew to  
come off.

Murray Foster as past president to join committee.  
Steve Olney to become president elect.

After some discussion: - Barrie Evans and Richard  
Kendrick were selected as new committee members.

Committee for 2003:

Bob Woodward  
John Hawksford.  
Barrie Evans.  
Richard Kendrick  
Murray Foster  
+ (President designate).

President Elect:

Names were put forward and discussed,  
Mr Malcolm Bailey was selected.

This year, suggested nominations were contacted prior to  
this meeting to see if they were willing to have  
their name put forward and they had agreed.  
The Hon Sec: to contact Mr Bailey to inform  
him of his selection.

## Membership, Retirement, New Members.

- death of Bill Mackinnon discussed; Bill Simpson to say a few words at AGM.

Club Rule 6. (Non Attendance of Active Members) was activated: - Graeme Zaki  
Iain Hutchinson. } Removed from Club membership.

## Retirements:

John Williams  
Peta Banks  
Peter McAndrew  
Mico Wake. } to be offered Hon membership.

Club active members: now 44; 6 New members eligible for Appointment.

- a list of past suggested names and new submissions were lodged at.

Names to be put forward for AGM approval.

Stew Worsell.  
Ian Martin  
Jim Herald.  
Mann Patel.  
JO McManners  
Chris Penfold.

Hon Membership: to be offered after AGM Approval to Prof Schmelzeisen. - Freiberg. to maintain

O/Sears Meeting. - Vienna 2003.  
23-24-25<sup>th</sup> April

- Bob Tate spoke of meeting. - Prof Ewges
- 30 rooms booked at hotel.
- will try to arrange a night at opera "Donizetti"

President Designate: Steve Olley mentioned that contact had been made for a meeting in Tübingen 2004. with Prof Sigmar Reinhardt.

### Other Business:

- Peter Wend Bostitt asked if members should present cases at O/Sears meetings, so it would be a 2 way exchange. - This was discussed, and was to be put to AGM.

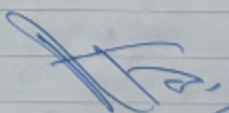
- Murray Foster: asked about gifts to confuse speakers in it was decided it was in the president's "gift" to do what he felt best.

Bob Tate was given gifts of champagne, to persons not attending the dinner.

The meeting was brought to a close at 4:55 pm.

President.

Date.

  
6.11.03  
P. WEND BOSTITT

## 2002 AGM Ipswich

The A.G.M. of oral Surg Club of G.S.  
held at Willows Suite.

Bolstead Brook Hotel. 08.15 pm.  
on Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> Oct 02

The President. Mr Foster was in the chair

35 Members were present.

43 Apologies were received.

Death of Prof. Bill MacLennan was announced and  
a min of silence held in his memory. - Mr Bill Simpson  
spoke of Bill and his achievements.

Minutes of AGM. Nov. 2001 were read and  
approved. - There were no matters arising

Hon. Treasurer. Jotted the Clubs Records of  
accounts. Balance 30.9.02. - £ 2037.21  
+ Grant £2500 to Mr Tate

The accounts were audited by Mr Simpson and  
Richard Kenchuck.

Hon Sec. Reported the Club visit to Freiburg,  
15-17 May 02, to Prof Schmitz-Reisens Unit.

27 Members & 14 partners attended. No programme  
was interesting and varied. The hosts arranged  
several evenings for which they obtained sponsorship  
at very nice restaurants.

a Resame. of the meeting at Freiburg was given.

### Installation of New President.

Mr Foster thanked the Club for having him as President and stated how much he enjoyed the honour given to him.

He then thanked the committee and the Secretary for their help.

He offered his congratulations to Mr Bob Tate and installed him as President.

Mr Tate thanked Mr Foster for his presidency and also thanked the Club for his election.

### Memberships, Retirements

As there were six vacancies (6) on the Active membership of the Club. the following names were put forward and approved by the A.G.M.

- Steve WORRELL
- Ian MARTIN
- Jim HEROLD
- Manu PATEL
- Joe McMANNERS
- Chris PENFOLD

Retiring Active Members

John Williams  
Peter Banks  
Peter McAndrew  
Mike Wake.

were offered.

Hon membership to the club

Prof Schmeckelmeier was offered Hon Membership with the approval of the AGM.

This would bring:

Active Membership	50
Hon Members	56.7
Total	107

New Committee members

Further to new Rules Regarding Committee Membership, the oldest serving member along with past president to be replaced.

Mr David Brennan to be replaced  
Mr Peter McAndrew.

by Barry Evans and Richard Kendrick.

President Designate: was announced as Malcolm Bailey to follow Steve Olley. and AGM agreed.

Overseas Meeting: 2003.

The President informed the AGM that the meeting would be in Vienna. 23-24-25<sup>th</sup> April 03

at Prof. ROTH Ewers unit.

The journal would be over 3 days. Visiting to and back afternoon, all day Thursday and Friday AM.

- Hotel Reservations had been made at a 4 star hotel with the city, walking distance to everywhere. It was hoped to get tickets for a DONAZETTI OPERA.

Information to be sent out as soon as available. - A DVD of Vienna was shown to what the appetite

President Elect. - Steve they mentioned that the Autumn meeting will be Nov 6-7<sup>th</sup> 03. based at the Prince Rupert Hotel.

The overseas meeting will be in TUBINGEN Germany at Prof Sigmar Reinhardt's unit.

### Other Business:

Asenow members suggested that at overseas meetings members could contribute by doing presentations.

- This was discussed, although some members agreed, it was felt this would be difficult.

- The programme was left to the host unit. discussions at past visits were good.

It was felt that the president could nominate members to start discussions after the programme has been sent out.

The Hon. Andrew discussed the possibility of writing a much needed book on the oral and Maxello Funes song in the UK.

— A publisher has been found

— still a few older Retired Members around to help with the history.

Peter Barb suggested that Mark McGe be approached, as already he is doing articles for BJOAS

as no further business.

The meeting was called to a close at

6 pm.

Ita

President.

Date. 6.11.03

## 2002 Ipswich Scientific Meeting Notes

Scientific Programme.  
Held: Nov 1st 2002.  
Belstead Brook Hotel Ipswich.

Morning Session:

1<sup>st</sup> Presentation: Mr Matthew Jung - ENT Surgeon

Spoke for Jung vent for middle ear ventilation.  
Ear is an air pocket connected with middle ear space

Air is necessary for conduction of sound

- hence grommets in children

- in adults, a TITANIUM VENT based on a Brouha vent

Implant has been designed by speaker

it has a TEFLON inner tube. to prevent blockage

Potential for

• ventilation

• introduction of gas to ↑ inner ear pressure.

• Delivers samples

• Sample gases from middle ear

Can use a closure cap when swimming - drainage studs as  
fashion accessory.

also spoke of Endoscopic dacryocystorhinostomy.  
has done 216 cases bt. 94-99

now doing a 1 day clinic/surgery with LA

pedicle flaps using nasal epithelium

Dr Paul Siklos

- an analysis of intensity comparison Anatomy of  
Graeff. along with comparative physiology

3M: from head to top of head  
3M: .. .. to feet.

discuss pressure heart must generate to perfuse tissues  
Dead space in trachea

Do not vocalise

- in interesting & entertaining lecture

Sam Osman

a renowned vascular surgeon who spoke of "Economy Class Syndrome" - Silent DVTs with flying

• not only in econ class

eg: President Nixon & Air Force 1

Know it: - 5 hrs flying minime.  
1 studies

Study in Sydney: 97 - 98 → 21 million flights

Silent DVT's 1/100 in >40 yrs

18% of air flight f's from PE

The commonest cause is MI

10% of DVT's in >50's with no prophylaxis

Compression stockings Reduces 10% → 0%

Aspirin: ✗ no effect on DVT's  
if affects atherosclerosis.

Best is Low mol. Heparin - eradicates Risk.  
1 inject b4 flight

Risk f: -  
• immobile leg pos  
• dehydration  
• low O<sub>2</sub> content.

✗ Showed exercise Device that was Calf pump + foot pump.

• David Hodgkinson: - A&E consultant.

Spoke of trauma systems & guidelines

Discussed survival in WWI, WWII & Korean Vietnam  
| Quantin leaf

•: aggressive resuscitation & early definitive surgery.

Presentable f's: -

- ① Recognise hypoxia & R.
- ② DS & R Hypovolaemia.
- ③ Timely surgery.

- Disease

SAHMU - France

USA - Trauma system

UK - TRISS: (injury Severity Score.)

an anatomical & physiological score.

Spoke of trauma centres

• Dr Maarten De Cleen: (GMP - Suffolk Accident Service)

- Spoke a little about Suffolk Accident Rescue Service  
• equipment used

Started '72: ; called by ambulance service.

Saw various gorey photos & videos of accidents

• Mr. Ian Scott:

- gen surgery Medical Director

Consultant friend or foe

a forceful presentation, on same day as

Comments contained voting results.

Spoke of role of Med Director

• Dave Marx: - on Poprad's Surgeon.

- chairman of SAC

- Spoke of weekly hours decrease

- insufficient Drs & training program

- a nice clear presentation.

Calman (two or two factors

of doctors / med students

med students: 700 female.

Surgeon: 13 out of 1150 = 11% - problem for  
in means. to fulfil

• Alan Cameron: - finished the day with  
an entertaining look at consultants.

problem in NHS, "pushy a ball up  
the mountain"

an excellent programme; followed by club  
dinner.

Alan Cameron  
Alex Sabarwal

## 2003 Vienna Meeting Notes

Vienna 23-25<sup>th</sup> April 2003

Unit Chief: Prof. Rolf Ewers.  
Medical University of Vienna - Austria.

### Members Attended.

Adlam, Babajews, Bailey, Brown, A,  
Evans, Fisher, Haultyn, Hawksford,  
Hayter, Juniper, Kendrick, Lello,  
Markus, Martin, McGuirk, Mellor,  
Moss, Morton, Oldham, Patton  
Penfold, Ramsay-Baers, Schmelzerisen  
Simpson, Tate

Total 25 members. (44 total.)  
19 Partners.

Wed AM : - Walking tour of Vienna.

Wed PM - Tour of hospital.

Welcome to Group by Maxine.

Team:

Weather: - fantastic.

- group used 'Vienna Cards' for transport to hospital and around the city.

Department Interests included all aspects of oral & Maxillofacial Surgery.

- orofacial malignancy & Reconstruction.
- orthognathic Surgery
- Cosmetic Surg to face
- TMJ Surgery
- Surgery using Navigation.

Because of the large group, the team presented Surgery in 2 Theatres via Video-Link. we were able to ask questions during surgery and could switch from either operating Theatre.

Television pictures were sharp & clear because of the use of endoscopic cameras.

During dull periods in the theatres, excellent Papers were delivered. - Presentations were interrupted at vital moments to show interesting surgical procedures & techniques:-

Live surgery & lectures were concurrent.

Surgical Procedures shown included:

- TMS surgery:- with arthroscope.
  - use of Titanium Yag Laser
  - debridement of bone and cartilage.
- (The clarity of vision had to be seen to be believed)
- Open Rhino/Septoplasty
- onlay bone grafting to Ant. Maxilla from angle of mandible
- # (L) condyle. plating intra orally with specially designed bone plates.
- Distraction orthognathic surgery in mandible
- Sinus grafting using "Algopore" manufactured from Algae.
- Hirsch's Obstruction (9:30 → 7pm).

lectures were given over the 2 days interspersed with live surgery.

Lectures on Maxillary Surgery:

- Computerised Ds & R of TMJ disorders
- Endoscopic procedures for TMJ surg.
- Single tooth distraction V Augmentation
- Sinus grafting
- Histomorphometric Results of Sinus grafting with Allogene
- Treatment of orbital #'s.
- Apert's Syndrome.

The Scientific meeting was excellent, to be followed by an equally good social programme.

- Visit to the opera. (Vienna State) <sup>LA FAVORITE</sup>
- Tour of outskirts of Vienna on a Tractor train and Dinner at a Heuriger (a traditional wine/food restaurant).

• A Vienna Woods tour, with a boat trip in a subterranean limestone cave.

Finally Dinner for our Hosts/Guests & members at "Griechentais Restaurant", one of the finest in Vienna.

The President presented a Textbook on NASR Reconstruction to Prof Ewers on behalf of the club, & Mrs Ewers received a personal gift from the president of a fine English China plate.

An Honary Club Membership was offered to Prof Ewers, but it was explained that it had to be Ratified at the AGM. and Club Rules pertained to this offer.

Max Baskins  
Max BASKINS Hon Sec.

30.4.03

## 2003 Committee Prince Rupert Hotel Shrewsbury

The Committee Meeting of the Ocular Surgery Club of G.B. was held at  
The Prince Rupert Hotel - Shrewsbury  
3:30 pm. Thurs. 6<sup>th</sup> November 03

Present      President: Robert Tate  
                  President Elect: Steve Olley

Hon Treasurer: John Bradley  
Hon Treasurer: Peter Banks  
Hon Sec: Alex Babajewski

Committee: John Hawley (J.H.)  
                  Muleph Bailey (President designate) (B.M.W.)

Apologies: Bob Woodward  
                  Bessie Evans  
                  Murray Foster  
                  Richard Kendrick

The committee was informed of the Death of Prof David Roswell. The Hon Sec informed the committee that he had passed on the clubs condolences.

Minutes of the meeting Ipswich 31.10.02 were presented and approved.

Matters arising from minutes

Hon Treasurer informed the committee that Prof Schmetzen had not paid for Novembers meeting

- J.H. asked about gifts for speakers - after some discussion about engraved club plates/paper weights, it was

mentioned that such discussions were held in the past and dismissed because of cost/storage.  
- it is for the President to decide what gift should be given to Host Professors & guest lecturers.

It was felt that many lectures didn't attend

- ∴ 1) They didn't go on club coach.
- 2) couldn't drink/dine

taxis to a fun venue would encourage speakers to come to club dinner.

- Mr Bailey asked if an A4 Quality Resume of the Club could be produced to send to host units. Hon Archivist will produce this.

- Remuneration for Secretaries: To be a Standing Agent item
  - Increase Treasurer Sec. to £500
  - Low Hon Sec. Sec. at £300

### Hon Treasurer Report.

This was read & presented. The accounts were received. - Hon Treasurer was thanked again for his hard work. There were no outstanding bad debts. The O/Secs meeting didn't quite balance ∴ of Euro conversion. In future, Treasurer would only

- ① Breakdown of persons attending
- ② Total Cost of each event
- ③ leave amount in Euros.

### Hon Secs Report:

- The report of the overseas meeting to Vienna was presented. : 25 members attended.  
19 Partners.

an excellent meeting was arranged by Prof Cur

- There was a long & open discussion of Active Members not attending meetings.

A Spread Sheet was produced by the Hon Sec. for Active members going to all meetings for Present

to Shrewsbury meety 03.

All members of the club for several years had been informed by the Hon Sec. about club Rules regarding attendance. Poor attendees were discussed.

It was felt that 2 members. Prof Coupo & Mr Johnson (both elected 01) had not attended a single meeting and their membership should be rescinded. It was felt that this matter should be discussed at A.G.M.

Hon Sec. (A.B) to write to Prof Coupo & Mr Johnson.

Hon Treasurer informed the committee that in the past, a newly appointed member would have been expected to attend the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting after membership.

The committee was unanimous in adhering to Club Rule 6. - Re attendance

Members of the Committee: & officers.  
for 2004

cons:

President: Steve May.

President Elected: Malcolm Barkby

Hon Treasurer: Peter Banks.

Hon Architect: John Bradley.

Hon Sec: - Max Briggs to be replaced by Robert Woodward. (who comes off committee)

Committee:

. John Haulted.  
. Bazzie Evans.  
(\* Richard Kendrick.)  
Robert Tate. (past president)

1 vacancy - Peter Ramsay Baggs. (04)

\* Peter Weller to replace R.K.

President for 2005:

After some discussion, Richard Kendrick's name was put forward and he was duly elected.  
Hon Sec to Inform him of election

a vacancy now existed on the committee, and after some discussion Peter Weller's name was put forward

Memberships, Retirements, Resignations

New members, Hon Members, Deceased Members.

Active Members: (50) - two persons to be removed.

Hon Members: 54 (+) 1 Prof Ewers, if AGM agrees.

Resignations: nil.

Retirements: Nil

Deceased Members: 1 Prof David Paswillo.

Discussion: The ACTIVE members started again - There were about 8 names put forward but NO vacancies. - There were many worthwhile people who would be delighted to be members yet some people members did not appear to be interested enough to attend.

### Names of Persons discussed

Mastair Smythe (lead)  
Steve Leyton - Lincoln  
Peter Worthington - Birm  
Loz Newman - Lond.  
Paul Robinson - Lond.  
David Hoppel - Glasgow  
John Hopper - Londn  
Drew Nicholson - L. Park  
Andrew Sadler - Lincoln

after open discussion 2 Names  
Selected.

Mastair Smythe } to  
Paul Robinson }

Replace: P. of Cowps & Paul Johnston

Hon Sec 1) to write to Removed members.

2)

James Brown  
Mr Wood  
Cliff Bennett

Re. port  
attendance.

### Overseas Meety 2004.

Steve Olley informed committee of  
program for Meety in Tübingen, Germany.  
May 12, 13, 14<sup>th</sup> 04.

2 Hotels identified

### Any other Business:

- Mr Hanbyford expressed concern about continuity and help for Hon Sec and Hon Treasurer on Retirement

After some discussion, it was agreed that Retiring officers for the above posts to be seconded for 1 yr. Alex Babajewski to be <sup>co-opted</sup> seconded as assistant Sec. to Robert Woodward.

- Remuneration for Secretaries to officers be a standing agenda item.

• Attendance Rules 6 to be printed on inside cover of membership book.

• Discussion re Hon Membership to all Host Professors. on O/Seas meetings

- This should be automatic; those Hon members must attend 1 meeting in 10 (10 one in 5 yrs). to stay Hon Members, failure to do this, members will "slip off" without notice.

The meetg was brought to a close at 5:30 pm.

President:

Date:

## 2003 AGM Shrewsbury

The A.G.M. of Oral Surg Club  
of G.B. held at Prince Rupert Hotel.  
Shrewsbury - Shropshire.

Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2003.

President. Mr Tate was in the chair

Members present. 43

Apologies Received. 19

Death of Peg Dard Poswillo was announced. There was  
1 min silence by AGM. David Barnard then  
spoke of David Poswillo and his achievements.

The minutes of AGM of 31 Oct 02, were read and  
approved.

Matter arising:- A member asked about the  
book on oral Max Fac Surg - History  
which was mentioned in Oct 02,  
John Bradley informed the AGM that he is in  
discussion with Mark McEneaney.

Hon Treasurer Report. (Mr Banks).

The Hon Treasurer tabled the records of the  
Club accounts

Income as of 30 Sept 03. £16,270.84

Expenditure. £15,269.54

Balance: £2,001.30

the Committee

Recommended to pay

Hon Treasurer Secretary: - £500

Hon Secretary Sec. £300

This was agreed by the A.G.M.

2 Auditors appointed: Mr Barnard  
Mr Adlam.

Hon. Sec:

Reported the Club visit to Vienna 23-25<sup>th</sup>  
April 03 to Prof Ewers unit.

25 members attended } 44 Total.  
19 Partners.

The meeting was excellent as was the weather.  
A resume of the clinical and social aspects of  
the meetg was read to the A.G.M.

Non Attendance of Active Members.

An active discussion took place regarding poor attendance.  
The A.G.M. was informed of discussion held in the  
Committee. - There were no vacancies for new members  
despite 8 persons having been suggested by Club  
members.

- All members were aware of Club Rule 6  
with regard to failure to attend 1 meeting in a 2  
year period. - The Committee after some  
deliberation, activated Rule 6 and removed 2  
active members from Club Membership.

One club member asked that the names of  
(Mr Lavery)

These 2 members to made available to the AGM.

- Prof Cowpa
- Mr. Paul Johnson.

The AGM agreed <sup>with</sup> ~~to~~ this action, but suggested that the Hon Sec. write to members who had missed 3 consecutive meetings to give fair warning.

Members were informed that the new membership booklet would have Rule 6 printed inside the cover.

The AGM supported the actions of the committee with regard adherence to this Rule - obviously, special circumstances would be taken into account by the committee.

The AGM was reminded to keep the Hon Sec. informed of e-mail & change of e-mail address.

The Secretary informed the AGM that he was completing his period and was standing down.

Bob Woodward was appointed as the new Hon Sec.

Alex Babajewski to remain as a co-opted member to assist Bob Woodward for a period of 1 year.

## Installation of New President.

Mr Tate thanked members for having him as President. He was honoured to hold this position and enjoyed himself. He thanked the committee and the Hon Sec. for their hard work.

Mr Tate congratulated Mr Olley and installed him as President.

Mr Olley thanked Mr Tate for his presidency and expressed thanks to the Club for his election. - He was mindful that he was following his mentors Rupert Sutton Taylor & Ian Westop.

## New Committee Members:

The oldest serving member (Mr Woodward) and past president Mr Ester to be replaced.

New members:

- Peter Ramsay-Bagg
- Peter Weller

## President Designate:

Richard Rendaut was selected and his selection was approved by the AGM.

## Membership, Resignments, New Members

- There was no retiring active members.
- Prof. Ewars. was offered Hon Membership with the approval of the AGM. (Subject to club rules).
- 2 Active members Removed; Replaced by
  - Mstair Snythe
  - Paul Robinsonapproved by AGM.

## Overseas Meeting. 2004

- Tübingen Germany. 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> May 04.
- 2 Hotels provisionally booked.
- Display of Tübingen in Lecture Hall.

Mr Bailey (President Elect) spoke of his meetings.

2004 - 2005:

? Great Fosters Hotel. - Virginia Waters.

0/Seas: MAY 2005 - New York.

Tahir Shah. and

## Any Other Business:

Mr Hawley had thanked Bob Tate or Alex Babajewis and Murray Foster

President:  
Date.

Before I do that, however, I thought those of you who were sadly unable to come to Tübingen may like to know how the meeting went. We were greeted very warmly on the Wednesday night by Professor Reinert and his team, who had already come to the airport to meet us with 2 minibuses. We were given a brief tour of his department and then taken to an excellent restaurant in Tübingen for a most enjoyable evening meal.

On Thursday during the morning we were treated to a selection of cases carried out in Professor Reinert's operating department, following which we were transported by coach to the Aesculap factory at Tuttlingen where we were given lunch. After this, Professor Reinert and his team gave us an outstanding series of talks on wide-ranging aspects of our specialty. The coach returned us to Tübingen where we had a late supper at an Italian restaurant.

On Friday we had a further series of excellent operative demonstrations followed by lunch at the hospital and 2 more lectures from Professor Reinert's team. The afternoon was spent on a most pleasant and relaxing punting trip along the River Neckar. The dinner, which was hosted by the Club, took place across the road from our base at the Hotel Domizil, at the Hotel Krone. We held a champagne reception followed by a really first class dinner, with 19 members of Professor Reinert's team joining us for this very pleasant evening.

13/14 MAY '04

## 1957 Correspondence with General Dental Council about the title of Oral Surgeon

*Telephone:*  
Langham 2804-6

*General Dental Council,  
44, Hallam Street,  
London, W.1*

*Our Reference:* E43

*Your Reference:*

20 November, 1957.

Dear Sir,

As you know, under the Dentists Acts a registered dentist is not permitted to use any professional title or description (other than dentist, dental surgeon or dental practitioner) unless it refers to qualifications entered in the Dentists Register against his name. This prevents a dentist who specialises, for instance, in orthodontics or oral surgery, from advertising the fact on his letter heading or plate, and may occasion inconvenience to the public. For this reason the Dentists Act, 1956, made it possible for the Council to make regulations permitting the use of special titles.

Subsection (3) of section fifteen of the Dentists Act, 1957, provides that:

"If the General Dental Council are of opinion that any special branch of dentistry has become so distinctive that it would be for the convenience of the public or of the dental profession that registered dentists qualified to practise, or practising, in that branch of dentistry should use a distinctive title, they may by regulations prescribe appropriate titles and conditions under which they may be used;.."

The Council have instructed their Education Committee to inquire into this question of special titles and to draft regulations. It would greatly assist the Committee in their task if they had before them your organisation's views on the desirability of prescribing the titles Orthodontist and Oral Surgeon, and on the conditions under which these titles should be used.

R. Sutton-Taylor Esq.,  
Oral Surgery Club.

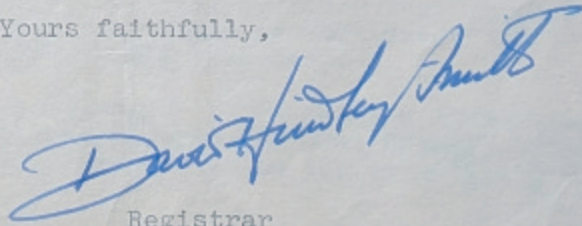
20 November, 1957.

The conditions which have so far been proposed to the Committee are:

- (a) that the user should be required to possess an appropriate higher or specialist diploma; and
- (b) that the use of title should be restricted to:
  - (i) practitioners who practise only in the specialised field indicated by the title; and
  - (ii) dentists who hold consultant or specialist posts in the hospital service, in connection with those posts but not in connection with their general practice.

I should be grateful if you could arrange for your organisation's views to reach me by the end of February, 1958, so that I may put them before the Committee at their meeting in March, 1958.

Yours faithfully,



Registrar

R. Sutton-Taylor Esq.,  
Secretary,  
Oral Surgery Club  
88, Portland Place,  
London, W.1.

*Oral Surgery Club*

12th February, 1958.

The Registrar,  
General Dental Council,  
44, Hainam Street,  
London. W.1.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter E43 of the 20th November, 1957.  
I am instructed by the President of the Oral Surgery Club to say:-

Your letter has been considered by the Committee of the Oral Surgery Club, and the opinion of the Members of the Club has been sought.

The Club agree with the conditions as proposed in your letter of the 20th November, 1957. The majority of the members were in favour of the use of a distinctive title provided the criteria be not less than those mentioned in your letter, that the special diploma's of qualifications necessary are F.D.S., or/and Medical, and an appropriate post graduate experience in the practice of Oral Surgery. They appreciate that on the introduction of special titles, the requirements as regards specialist experience would have to be interpreted in a more general manner, than in the case of subsequent additions. Subsequent additions they feel should be required to have undertaken not less than three years specialist postgraduate study in their subject, as a junior under the supervision of a chief or chiefs on the special register.

Certain members express strong doubts as to the desirability of the use of special titles, as they consider that specialists should only receive patients from other practitioners and therefore a register of special titles is not necessary.

The members were strongly of the opinion that should special titles be introduced both Orthodontics and Oral Surgery should be included, but they are very worried as to the possibility of a rash of "special titles".

I am dear sir,

Your obedient servant,

Hon. Secretary Oral Surgery Club.

TELEGRAMS  
ORAL SURG WEGDD  
LONDON

NUMBER SIX, 2nd January, 1958.  
88, PORTLAND PLACE, W.1.  
LARGHAM 6108.

To all Members of the Committee  
of the Oral Surgery Club.

I am instructed by the President of the Oral Surgery Club to forward the enclosed copy of a letter received from the General Dental Council. Your opinion is requested. It is regretted that for various reasons you have not had this letter before.

It is submitted for your consideration.

1. That prescribing of the title of Oral Surgeon at the present time is premature.
2. That if the title of Oral Surgeon be prescribed the conditions proposed to the Committee are correct and fully cover the requirements in connection with the use of the title.

signed. R.S. Taylor. Hon. Secretary.

GENERAL DENTAL COUNCIL

Telephone: 01-486 2171

REGISTRAR:  
David Hindley-Smith, C.B.E., M.A.

37 WIMPOLE STREET  
LONDON W1M 8DQ

*In reply please quote:*  
E11/1

4 October, 1977

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter dated 26 September, 1977 concerning evidence on the current state of dental education.

We have noted that the views of the Oral Surgery Club coincide with those of the British Association of Oral Surgeons, and look forward to receiving their submission in due course.

Yours faithfully,

*T. Collingwood*

Assistant Registrar

Professor R. O'Neil, BDS, FDSRCS, MRCS, LRCP.,  
University College Hospital Medical School,  
Mortimer Market,  
London, WC1E 6JD.

Mr DAVID DOWNTON

107 HARLEY STREET  
LONDON, W.1

Telephone:  
01-995 9521

DD/RO'N

6 September 1977

Professor R O'Neil  
49 Combemartin Road  
London S W 18

Dear Ray

Further to my telephone conversation, enclosed please find cheque for Hilda and also the letter from the General Dental Council.

I think you should write to the General Dental Council and thank them for contacting us and say that we have discussed the matter and that the views of the Club coincide with those of the British Association of Oral Surgery. It might be as well to mention also that every Club member is a fellow of B.A.O.S.

Yours sincerely

D Downton

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originally conceived, as they have since evolved, and as they might develop in the future;

- 11) the areas of dentistry, if any, in which dentists on qualification are believed nowadays not to be competent to provide treatment safely and without supervision;
- 111) practicable means of remedying any deficiencies which may be apparent, involving, for example:
  - a) the modification of an undergraduate course of the present length;
  - b) the lengthening of the undergraduate course;
  - c) the introduction of a compulsory period of pre-registration vocational training;
  - d) the exclusion from the undergraduate course of instruction in certain areas of dentistry.

Professor R. O'Neil., Oral Surgery Club,  
FDS, MRCP, LRCP.,

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REGISTRAR:  
David Hindley-Smith, C.B.E., M.A.

37 WIMPOLE STREET  
LONDON WIM 8DQ

*In reply please quote:*  
E11/1

1 June, 1977

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the President to invite you to submit evidence on the current state of dental education in relation to present day dental practice, a subject of which the Council is about to make a special study.

One of the purposes of the Council in embarking on this study is to test the validity of the assertion that it is no longer possible to produce dentists who on graduation are fit to enter general dental practice without further training. To do this effectively the Council must rely upon fact rather than statements of opinion.

Evidence, including the facts on which it is based, on all topics concerning dental education and its objectives in relation to dental practice, will be welcome, but of particular value would be evidence on the following subjects:

- i) the objectives of dental education, as they were originally conceived, as they have since evolved, and as they might develop in the future;
- ii) the areas of dentistry, if any, in which dentists on qualification are believed nowadays not to be competent to provide treatment safely and without supervision;
- iii) practicable means of remedying any deficiencies which may be apparent, involving, for example:
  - a) the modification of an undergraduate course of the present length;
  - b) the lengthening of the undergraduate course;
  - c) the introduction of a compulsory period of pre-registration vocational training;
  - d) the exclusion from the undergraduate course of instruction in certain areas of dentistry.

Professor R. O'Neil., Oral Surgery Club,  
FDS, MRCP, LRCP.,

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26th September, 1977

The Assistant Registrar,  
General Dental Council,  
37 Wimpole Street,  
London, W1M 8DQ

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter 1st June 1977 regarding the submission of evidence on the current state of dental education.

Following discussion with members of the Oral Surgery Club I am writing to inform you that the views of the Club coincide with those of the British Association of Oral Surgeons. (Every Club member is a Fellow of B.A.O.S.).

Thank you once again for contacting the Club.

Yours faithfully,

R. O' Neil

**Miscellaneous letters. Loosely filed alphabetically not by date or subject. Mostly, but not exclusively, about membership**

ORAL SURGERY CLUB  
Miscellaneous correspondence 1957-1990  
 mainly re membership  
 has other letters of interest.

PORTSMOUTH AND SOUTH EAST  
HAMPSHIRE HEALTH AUTHORITY

QUEEN ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL  
COSHAM  
PORTSMOUTH PO6 3LY  
Portsmouth (0705) 379451 Ext. 2466.

Please ask for Mr D Barnard.....

Our Ref. DB/ALI

Your Ref.

Mr J C Bradley  
Honorary Secretary  
Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain  
53 Reedley Drive  
Reedley  
BURNLEY  
Lancashire  
BB10 2QS

23 November 1987

Dear *John*

Many thanks for your letter of the 19 November 1987 inviting me to join the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain as an active member.

I am extremely delighted and honoured to be asked to join this most respected group and it is my great pleasure to accept your invitation.

My present appointment is Consultant Oral Surgeon, Queen Alexandra Hospital, Portsmouth. If you require more information please let me know. I presume that it is only the primary appointment that you wish to know about.

I look forward very much to attending my first meeting of the Club.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely

*David*

David Barnard  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

330 Bolehill Road  
Sheffield  
S6 5DF  
(0742) 336591

22.9.87

Dear John, I had hoped to come to the Cents meeting at the London in October but I have a chronic neurotrophic ulcer on the ball of one of my feet and this is limiting my mobility considerably these days. I think therefore that I should offer my resignation from the Oral Surgery Cents & send you & all the members my best wishes. Thank you all for

some memorable meetings over the years

With very best wishes to the cents for its future

Yours sincerely,

Peter Butler

Replied 23/9/87

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

Department of Oral and  
Maxillofacial Surgery:  
PROFESSOR PAUL F. BRADLEY



OLD HIGH SCHOOL,  
HIGH SCHOOL YARDS,  
EDINBURGH,  
EH1 1LZ.  
Telephone: 031-667 1011  
EXT. 4335  
Telex: 727442 (UNIV ED G)

22 November 1985

Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
Burnley,  
Lancashire BB10 2QS.

Dear John,

Thank you so much for your letter informing me that the President and Members of the Oral Surgery Club have very kindly invited me to attend the Club as an active member. I am most grateful for this opportunity and of course will be honoured to accept.

You do mention the pattern of attendances expected and this has been my only concern in that I should not desert my native heath too much in view of the current "little problems". I note the minimum attendances and am sure that this should prove no problem. It may be that for an initial period, I will not be able to attend as much as I would otherwise like but I am sure that I can remain within the rules.

Thank you again for this privilege,

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

*J. Stables (Miss)*

Paul F. Bradley.

(Dictated by Professor Bradley  
but signed in his absence.)

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

The Dental School  
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE  
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON

MORTIMER MARKET, LONDON WC1E 6JD

Professor of Oral Surgery  
Professor R. O'Neil

TEL 01-387 9300

Extn. 725

RO'N/RL

3rd January, 1984

The Manager,  
National Westminster Bank plc,  
Cavendish Square Branch,  
1 Cavendish Square,  
London, W1A 4NU

Dear Sir,

This is to inform you that

Mr. J.C. Bradley, MSc. FDSRCS.,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley, Burnley, Lancashire, BB10 2QS

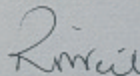
will take over from me as

Honorary Secretary, Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain.

My signature, as well as that of Mr. Bradley, will stand until the end of 1984.

Could you please send me the required form to notify you formally.

Yours faithfully,



R. O'Neil

c.c. Mr. David Downton  
✓ Mr. John Bradley

EAST SUFFOLK HEALTH AUTHORITY  
THE IPSWICH HOSPITAL  
HEATH ROAD WING, IPSWICH  
IP4 5PD  
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL SURGERY

WLS 605  
SP0571

Telephone No: 712233  
17th July, 1990

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Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
Burnley,  
Lancashire BB10 2QS.

Dear John,

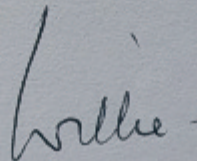
re: Secretaryship of the Oral Surgery Club  
.....

I am very sorry to know that you are going to relinquish Secretaryship of the Club but I know that you have had a long hard stint in this office and that a lot of the success of the Club has been due to your hard work. I am sure you are right to give it up but I am delighted to know that I will have your help and support for the Autumn meeting.

I will liaise with Tom Crewe and keep you posted concerning our ideas on the matter. I will shortly be in touch with you concerning the information for the October ;meeting.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



MR. W. GRAY,  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

3 North Place, Headington, Oxford OX3 0BA Telephone 5865070

P. R. HARTON, F.R.S. 1982  
1983-1984, 1985-1986

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Professor A. D. White

Dear Ray

Great Singing Club

After some tentative relations since I have decided to resign my post at Oxford, and at the age of 60 start a completely new life, in the West Highlands, climbing, painting and writing a few books. This family institution at 60 and then slipping into another life age in Oxford - just to meet a new challenge and a life I can continue naturally while I keep in touch with some few former friends!

As I have to leave in the extreme last week of December, I shall not be able to attend the meeting, also I do not intend to 'hang on' to my old life as there is a

strict limit to the number of the Great Singing Club I feel that I should offer my resignation at this juncture so that you can elect a replacement. My resignation will also eliminate the difficulty of the language and I have of both leaving Oxford for meetings. For this reason I will not be at the Edinburgh meeting.

I have felt privileged to be a member of the club and I would be most grateful if you would explain to members the reason for my resignation when you announce it.

With best wishes  
Yours  
Peter

12, Mitchell Avenue  
Newcastle upon Tyne  
NE2 3LA.

9<sup>th</sup> September 1977

Dear Dad,

I don't know to whom I should really be writing, but I am sure you will see that whoever it is will be told.

I am very sorry but I must resign from the Oral Surgery Club - you know that my eyes have not been so good, and now they have just about packed up.

I am in the process of resigning, and

I really cannot manage to go to unfamiliar places for meetings.

It was one of my proudest moments when I was elected to the Club and it is with real regret that I am writing to you in this way.

I do hope that the spirit & honesty of the Club will continue - I remember when Alan Monte wrote to me when I was elected and said that the members were always true to each other.

Kind regards

Peter Bradman.

**The University of Sheffield**

**Department of Child Dental Health**

P H Burke, MDS.  
Professor of Child Dental Health (Retired)

School of Clinical Dentistry  
Sheffield S10 2SZ  
Tel: Sheffield 78555 Ext. 6026  
STD code: (0742)

22nd November, 1985

Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
Hon. Secretary,  
Oral Surgery Club,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
Burnley,  
Lancashire, BB10 2QS.

Dear John,

Thank you for your letter of 20th November confirming my Honorary Membership of the Oral Surgery Club. David did tell me fairly late on at the dinner, but I was not sure whether he was in fact pulling my leg!

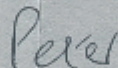
I note that I have to attend one meeting in six and would hope to be able to attend more than that. My home address is:-

330 Bole Hill Road,  
Sheffield, S6 5DF.

I am very appreciative of the honour bestowed upon my by the Club.

Kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,



Peter Burke

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

DENTAL DEPARTMENT  
11 September 1974

reference PBC/HS  
reference

ABERDEEN ROYAL INFIRMARY  
TELEPHONE No. 23 423

FORESTERHILL  
ABERDEEN  
AB9 2ZB

Mr I H Heslop  
"Trees"  
Hook Heath Avenue  
Woking  
SURREY

Dear *Jan,*

MEMBERSHIP OF ORAL SURGERY CLUB

I write with some embarrassment. Having received favourable response to my soundings regarding membership of the Oral Surgery Club I find that with the present state of inflation, my increasing financial commitments to my growing family and the cost of the return air fare to London of over £30 return I must withdraw my application and only hope that it will be reconsidered favourably at some future date, as I would very much like to join you.

Yours sincerely

*Peter Clarke*

PETER CLARKE

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

Tel. (0224) 317765  
Marlabank,  
280 Droomhill Road,  
Aberdeen,  
AB1 7LN  
16<sup>th</sup> Jan '91

Dear John,  
Many thanks  
for your letter of 9<sup>th</sup>. This  
was sorry to hear you had  
been "overdoing things".  
You had mentioned  
going up the secretarship  
of the Oral Surgery Club  
about a year ago, but  
as you had continued  
to communicate with me,  
I had presumed that you'd

changed your mind.  
Anyway, I hope you now  
feel less stressed & get back  
to your usual positive self.  
In future I will communicate  
to Murray Foster.  
Things do really look  
nasty in the Gulf now. I didn't  
know you had a daughter  
in the R.A.F. - no doubt still  
be pretty busy at the moment.  
Kindest Regards  
Yours sincerely,  
Peter  
(P.B. CLARKE)

(0224) 317765

Merlebank,  
289 Broomhill Road,  
Aberdeen,  
AB1 7LN

30<sup>th</sup> Dec '90.

Dear John,

Further to my letter of a few days ago, when I turned up at Aldershot, having been informed that I had been accepted, I was told that Max-fac surgery was fully subscribed already & I was therefore not needed! Also I'm over the arbitrary age of 55 for medical officers!

Things therefore look much more certain for the Club meeting here at end Oct.

Have a good New Year!

kindest Regards,

yours sincerely,

Peter.

01. (0224) 317765  
Merlebank,  
289 Broomhill Road,  
Aberdeen.  
AB1 7LN  
22<sup>nd</sup> Dec '90

Dear John

Oral Surgery Club Mtg.  
31<sup>st</sup> Oct / 1<sup>st</sup> Nov '91.

I have just had official confirmation that I'm being "called-up" on 2<sup>nd</sup> Jan.

I've volunteered to do 6/12, but hope that's all!

Leave the arrangements for my meeting here, & I'll be in touch in the middle of the summer, if not before.

I'm to be a aldershot on 27<sup>th</sup> for the signing on formalities + briefing, & should know at the time exactly where I'm being posted (rumour has it that I'm going to Woolwich - don't know how many Tragnis I'll meet there!).

Yours, Oly.

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Aberdeen,  
AB1 7LN

5<sup>th</sup> Dec '90

Re Oral Surgery Club Mtg.  
Aberdeen 31<sup>st</sup> Oct - 1<sup>st</sup> Nov. 91.

Dear John, I thought  
I should inform you that  
I have volunteered for a  
6 month stint in the Army  
in support of the (?) coming  
Gulf operation.  
There is no guarantee that  
(a) the Army will want me.  
(b) that I will actually get  
to the Gulf itself.  
This should not interfere

to the meeting here, but I may  
have to delay the finalization  
of arrangements until I return.  
The operative date seems to  
be 14 Dec '90.

Hope you had a good  
Club Mtg in Oct.

Kindest Regards  
Yours v. sincerely,  
Peter

T. C. CREWE,  
B.D.S. (N.Z.), F.D.S.R.C.S. (Eng.)

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8 November 1975

Raymund O'Neil Esq.,  
49, Combemartin Road,  
LONDON, SW18 5PP

Dear *Ray*

Thank you very much for your letter inviting me to join the Oral Surgery Club as an Active Member.

Arriving, as it did, in the same mail as a letter from H.M. Inspector of taxes, your timely invitation did much towards keeping my systolic pressure within an acceptable range.

Of course I am honoured and delighted to accept, but must at the same time confess to some ignorance of the detailed responsibilities of membership. The broad principles and ideals are familiar to me but I would not like to let the side down through ignorance or incapacity on my part.

My hospital appointments are:

Consultant Oral Surgeon - Plymouth General Hospital  
" " " Royal Cornwall Hospital  
Civilian Consultant to the Royal Navy.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

*Tom*

MR. GEOFFREY CHENEY

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24th November, 1983

Mr. J. Bradley,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
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Lancashire BB10 2QS

Dear John,

Thank you very much for your letter of the 8th November, 1983. It is indeed a honour to be invited to become a Member of the Oral Surgery Club and one which I gladly accept. My present hospital appointment is as Consultant Oral Surgeon to the United Norwich Hospitals and the department is based at the West Norwich Hospital. The address is:

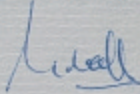
Department of Oral and Maxillo Facial Surgery,  
West Norwich Hospital,  
Bowthorpe Road,  
Norwich,  
Norfolk NR2 3TU

Telephone: Norwich 28377. Exts. 264/266.

I will send the annual subscription of £2.00 to David Downton in due course.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



G.T. Cheney, MB., BS., BDS., FDSRCS.,  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

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IN CONFIDENCE

19 November 1984

Dear John

Thank you most kindly for your letter of the 14 November 1984 informing me that I have been invited to join the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain. This gives me great pleasure indeed to join the membership and I am most grateful to my sponsors.

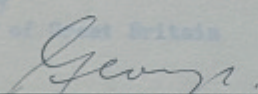
The details as you require, of my hospital appointments, are as follows:

T G Emerson MDS (QUB) FDSRCS (Eng) FFDRCSI  
Consultant Oral Surgeon  
Oral Surgery Department  
Altnagelvin Hospital  
Londonderry

I look forward to hearing further details from you in due course.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely

  
T G EMERSON MDS FDSRCS FFD  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

/DMC

# North Manchester Health Authority



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16th November 1988

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our ref: MEF/TB

your ref:

Mr J C Bradley  
53 Reedley Drive  
Reedley  
BURNELY BB10 2QS

Dear John

Thank you for your letter regarding the Oral Surgery Club. I would be pleased to accept the kind invitation to join this, although I await to hear from you verbally what the category of "Active Member" actually designates! I think for the purposes of a register I am not a fussy fellow but would suggest we put in the department heading here - Department of Oral and Maxillo-Facial Surgery, and as you know I also work at present in the same capacity at Oldham and District General Hospital and at Tameside General Hospital. In addition I do the Post Graduate Dental Tutor job here and run the Tameside division of the BMA but I am not sure what further details, if any, you would want for your register. Again, only if it is of any importance, I made the pilgrimage up to Edinburgh in 1985 for the F.R.C.S. but I'll leave that to your judgement.

I am already arranging something for April/May next year - I wonder if it would be possible to get an early warning of the dates of next year's meetings, as I obviously would very much like to come along as early as possible to this highly respected group.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

MURRAY E FOSTER  
CONSULTANT

P.S. Is it more usual to use home rather than work addresses, if so, mine is 9 Towncliffe Lane, Mellor, Stockport SK6 5AW. ?

3 ST. MARGARETS CLOSE,  
WIMBORNE,  
DORSET,  
BH21 1NA  
TEL. 0202-880391

26<sup>th</sup> November 1985

Dear John.

Thank you very much for your kind letter regarding my election to the Honorary Membership of the Oral Surgery Club.

It is a great privilege and pleasure to accept this invitation and I look forward to continuing the enormous enjoyment and good fellowship which I always derive from Club meetings — truly one of the major pleasures of life.

We had the very happy experience of meeting your father when he kindly entertained Peggy and I to coffee and showed us round his immaculate garden. What a bundle of energy he is!! He puts most of us young chaps to shame.

We hope to see him again e're long.

With very best wishes

Yours ever John



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24th November 1978

Mr. Raymund O'Neil,  
Honorary Secretary,  
The Oral Surgery Club,  
U.C.H. Dental School,  
Mortimer Market,  
London WC1E 6JD

Dear

*Ray,*

Thank you for your letter. I am, of course, very pleased to accept this invitation to join the Oral Surgery Club and look forward to my first meeting.

The two main hospitals at which I work are The Ulster Hospital, Dundonald, Belfast and the Royal Victoria Hospital, Grosvenor Road, Belfast.

Yours sincerely,

*Joh*

J. M. Gorman.

Mr. ALAN HAMILTON  
F.D.S. R.C.S., (Eng. & Edin.)

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Cheltenham,  
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2nd December 1985

J.C. Bradley Esq.,  
Hon Sec. Oral Surgery Club,  
53, Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
Burnley,  
Lancashire BB10 2Qs

Dear *John*,

Thank you very much for writing to me on my election to Honorary membership of the Oral Surgery Club which I will be pleased and honoured to accept. I had wished to come to the last two meetings, but retiring from the Hospitals and a celebration holiday prevented me. I shall hope to see you soon however. Please let me have any advance dates that are fixed so that I may work around these.

Kind Regards,  
Yours sincerely,

*Alan*

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

From: Surgeon Captain (D) T.J.C. Hall, OBE, FDS, D.Orch, RCS, Royal Navy

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J C Bradley Esq  
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27 November 1985

*Dear John,*

Thank you very much for your letter of 19 November 1985 inviting me to become a member of the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain. This is indeed a great honour and I am delighted to accept. Please convey my appreciation to the President and Members.

*Yours sincerely*

*T.J.C. Hall*

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29th January 1974

Professor R. O'Neil, BDS, FDS, MRCS, LRCP.,  
University College Hospital,  
Gower Street,  
London.

Dear Raymund,

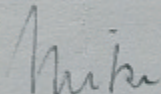
I am writing to you in the belief that you have taken over the secretaryship of the Oral Surgery Club from Ian Heslop.

At the committee meeting when the Club met at Gerrards Cross I was asked to find out tactfully whether Willie Gray would be interested in being considered for membership of the Club.

I find that he would like very much to be considered. Perhaps you would be kind enough to make a note of this for future reference.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,



V. E. Ireland

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

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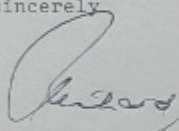
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Dear John

**ORAL SURGERY CLUB**

Thank you for your letter. I'd be delighted to accept the invitation of the President and Members of the Club, to join it as an Active Member.

Yours sincerely



R. P. Juniper  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

MR. PATRICK JAMES  
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PLJ/FW

25th November, 1985.

Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
Honorary Secretary,  
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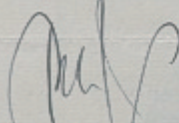
Dear John,

Many thanks for your letter of the 20th November.

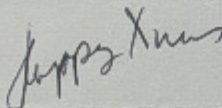
It is probably more accurate to say that it has been rumoured that I might become President for the year '87/'88 and people have been talking to me, namely Eric Morgan and Harry Alty, and I have agreed to keep this under my hat until your Council decides that they will ask me to do it. In the meantime, I am making preliminary enquiries as to the suitable places to hold dinners, lectures, etc.

If you feel that a President elect should have any say in where we should go on our foreign visit, I would be very happy to go to either but, from a personal point of view, I have never been to Vienna so this would be a great experience.

Yours sincerely,



Patrick James,  
Consultant Oral and Maxillo-Facial Surgeon.



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Basnetts Wood,  
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6th December, 1986

Mr. J. C. Bradley,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
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Dear John,

Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain

Thank you for your letter of 29th November. I am, of course, delighted to accept the kind invitation to join the Oral Surgery Club.

For the record, I am employed as Consultant Oral Surgeon, North Staffordshire District Health Authority. (West Midlands R.H.A.), and took up this appointment on 6th February, 1972.

Kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,



P. J. Leopard



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*168 Moorgate*

*Rotherham*

*South Yorkshire*

*S60 3BE*

4th January 1988.

Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
Hon. Sec. Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
BURNLEY,  
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Dear John,

Many thanks indeed for your invitation to join the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain. I was most surprised to receive this invitation but I am absolutely delighted to accept and look forward very much to the future meetings of the Club.

The details of my present appointment are:

Consultant Oral Surgeon,  
Rotherham District General Hospital and  
The Charles Clifford Dental Hospital.

Yours sincerely,

.....  
PETER G. McANDREW.

## West of Scotland Regional Plastic & Maxillofacial Surgery Unit

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W.H. REID, M.H.C. WEBSTER  
D.A. MCGROUTHER, D.S. SOUTAR  
J.G. BOORMAN

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20th November 1989

Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
Honorary Secretary,  
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Dear Mr. <sup>John</sup> Bradley,

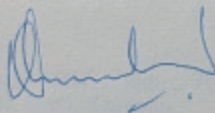
Thank you for your letter of 8.11.89 and for the kind invitation extended to me to join the Club as an active member. I am pleased to accept this invitation and would hope to attend the U.K. Meetings as well as those elsewhere.

I am not quite sure what my current title is! <sup>with</sup> as the eclipse of the Western Regional Hospital Board with reorganisation I think it just stands as Consultant Oral Surgeon, West of Scotland Regional Plastic and Maxillofacial Unit, Canniesburn Hospital.

I trust that this is adequate.

With kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,



Khurshed F. Moos, M.B., B.S., B.D.S. (Lond), F.R.C.S. (Ed);  
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KFM:EF (In case you need qualifications!!)

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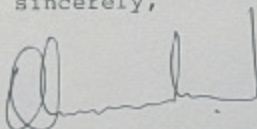
Mr. J. C. Bradley,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
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Dear John,

Thank you for your letter of 29th November 1989 and for your kind comments. I will endeavour to be at both Meetings this year and I am hoping that we may combine our holiday with the Montpellier Meeting as I have to be in Milan the following week.

With kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,



Khursheed F. Moos  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

KFM:EF

74, Eaton Crescent  
Swansea.

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Dear John,

Thank you for your  
letter + the good wishes.

I am very happy to  
accept Honorary membership  
of the Club, and would  
be grateful if you would  
convey my thanks to  
the President + Members for  
offering this to me.

As ever

Yours  
Luci

Mr. D. A. MASON  
F.D.S.R.C.S., H.D.D.R.C.P.S.

Oral Surgeon

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9th. Nov. 1982

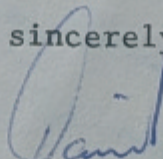
Professor R. O'Neil,  
The Dental School,  
School of Medicine,  
University College London,  
Mortimer Market,  
London WC1E 6JD

Dear Raymond,

Many thanks for your letter of 3rd. November in which you kindly invite me to become a member of the Oral Surgery Club. I am delighted to accept and I look forward to meeting you and the other members in due course.

My hospital appointment is that of Consultant Oral Surgeon to the Yorkshire Regional Health Authority, and my main duties are at St. Luke's Hospital Bradford and Airedale General Hospital.

Yours sincerely,



UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW

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PROFESSOR DAVID A. MCGOWAN  
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18. 11. '80

Professor Raymond O'Neil,  
40 Cumberston Rd.,  
London SW18 5PP.

Dear Raymond,

I was deeply gratified to receive your invitation to become a member of the Oral Surgery Club. I thank the President and Committee for the invitation which I am delighted to accept.

My home address is 107 West King St., Helensburgh, Dumbartonshire G84 8DA and telephone number Helensburgh (0436) 6288. I am Professor and Head of the Department of Oral Surgery in the University of Glasgow and Honorary Consultant Oral Surgeon to the Greater

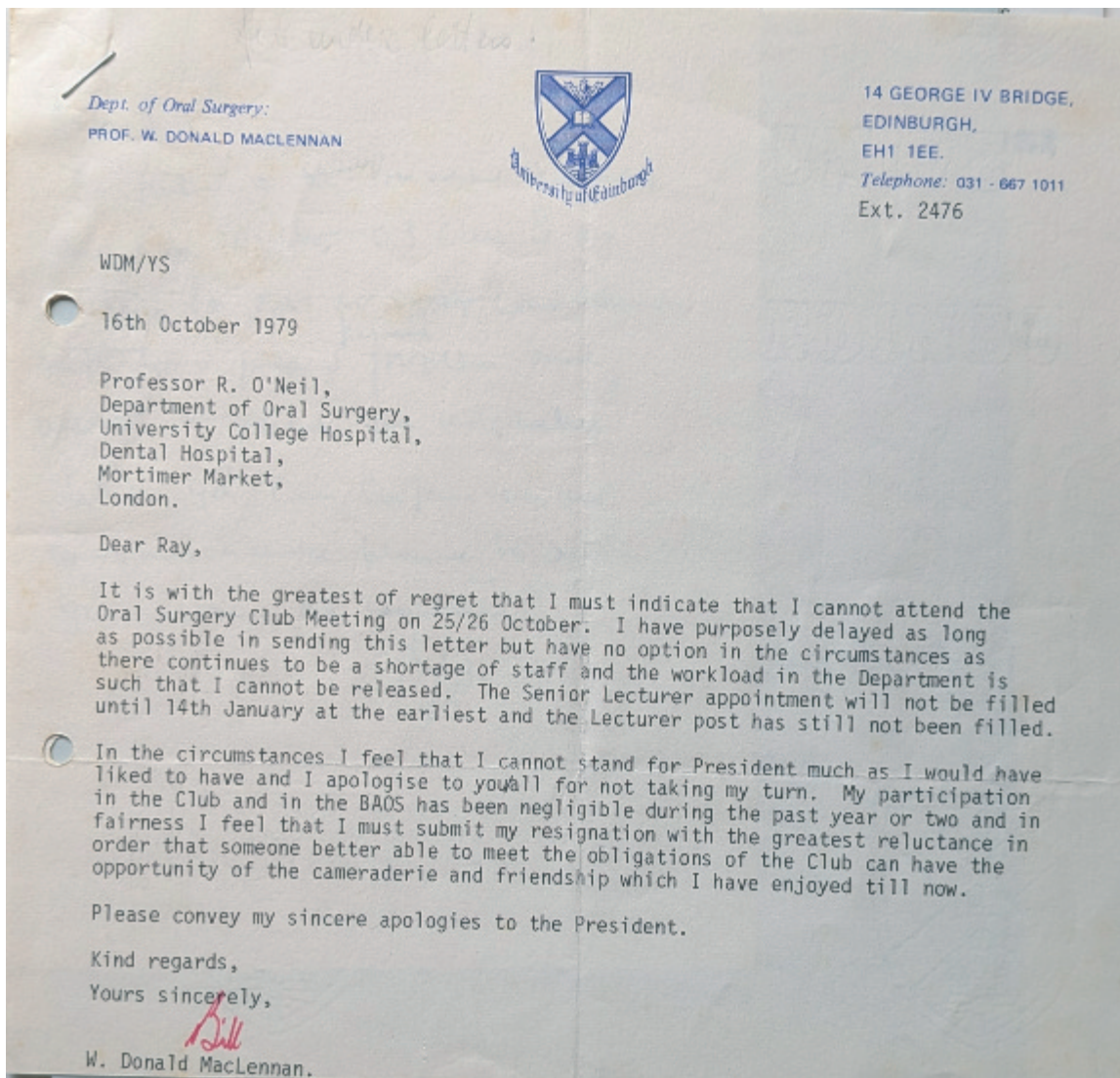
Glasgow Health Board.

I look forward to attending the meetings of the Club in due course.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,  
David

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership



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AROS HOUSE,  
TEMPLAR PLACE,  
GULLANE, EH31 2AH

Musky

Dear Ray,

Just a small note to thank you and David for your now acknowledged duties on behalf of the Club. We all tend to take these services for granted, so effectively and unobtrusively do you do them, nevertheless we do appreciate them. I am glad to say that I have now almost caught up on sleep. I do not throw on late nights.

Until we next meet, best wishes and regards

Bill

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R. O'Neil Esq.,  
49 Combemartin Road,  
London SW18 5PP.

6 February, 1976

Dear Mr. O'Neil,

re: the late Mr. Alan Edward Meeson

It is with regret that we have to advise you that Mr. Meeson died on the 19 October. By his last Will Mr. Meeson appointed our Company his sole Executor.

We have had redirected to us from "Ulverscroft", Blundellsands Road East, Liverpool 23 the attached circular and perhaps you could kindly note your records as appropriate.

Yours sincerely,

D. L. Drury  
Trust Officer



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22nd December 1980

A W Moule Esq.,  
6 Castlegate Mews  
Castle Hill  
Prestbury  
Cheshire.

Dear Alan,

Thank you for your Christmas card and note about Oral Surgery papers. In fact, most of the records of past meetings that I have are in the form of slides which could be printed to add to the history of the Club. I will have a look through my file to see whether I have any papers as such which would help, but the main collection of historical papers and records of meetings are those which Rupert Sutton-Taylor passed on to me and which I passed on to Ray O'Neill when I handed over the Honorary Secretaryship of the Club.

With kind regards and best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Yours sincerely,

Ian H Heslop

$\frac{11}{30}$  Letters to  
R. O'Neil, Hashe  
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Sorting?

Thie-ny - Chubbys  
Lezayre Road  
Ramsey, Isle of Man  
22 Aug 82

Dear Alan

Thank you very much for  
your kind letter of the 16<sup>th</sup> and  
for your promise to put John  
Bowerman's name forward.

Like you I have found Becotide  
helpful I suffer from Asthma  
as well as PA (Old Age in my  
care?).

It was good to have news about  
Freddie I have given up Field sports  
and keep to my garden

With all good wishes  
as ever Yours Rupert

RAMSEY 812585  
(S.T.D. 0624)

THIE-NY-CHIBBYR  
LEZAYRE ROAD  
RAMSEY, ISLE OF MAN

10 Aug 1982

My Dear Alan

I wonder if I might have your advice on a matter that has come to my notice.

Nostalgia prompted me to study the list of members of the OSC and I see that John Bowerman is not a member. I feel that this is a pity and wonder what should be done.

As an honorary member I can not propose him and wonder who to approach.

John is making a name for

himself as a clinical surgeon both  
in Britain and overseas, also  
it would be nice to see Westminster  
Hospital represented in the Club.

John is a plain spoken man of  
great integrity and one of the rare  
type who has fought his way up  
from a general practice in the  
country.

Your advice would be very  
welcome to me.

I hope you and yours keep fit.  
My trips outside the Island are  
few these days, as travel is not lightly  
to be undertaken until my pernicious  
anaemia responds a bit more to the  
wonder of modern medicine  
With all good wishes  
yours sincerely R V Peir

This-my-Chubbys  
Lezayre Road  
Ramsey, Isle of Man

10 Nov 1948

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My Dear Alan

It was very good to see you at the meeting, also to learn that you have <sup>become</sup> the Archivist.

I thought the meeting went very well. It was a joy to see ~~so~~ many old friends, and to meet the young men I have heard about, but did not know.

I thank you my good friend for all you have done for Oral Surgery, and for the Club.

With all good wishes

Your sincerely

R. V. Peet



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3rd December, 1984.

Professor Sir Paul Bramley,  
Department of Dental Surgery,  
School of Clinical Dentistry,  
Charles Clifford Dental Hospital,  
Wellesley Road,  
Sheffield S10 2SZ.

Dear Paul,

#### Oral Surgery Club Meeting, Sheffield 1985.

Thank you very much for your letter of the 27th November 1984, advising me of the altered meeting of the Club which is now to be held on the 31st October and 1st November. An announcement of this meeting will go out with the next notice which is imminent.

With regard to the meeting in Budapest, I think we are going to have to go ahead with it because I had acted on the Committee's order of visits made a year ago. Professor Szabo, in fact, is in Budapest and has been so for the last 3 years and Roy Whitlock had given him the wrong address. The letter had gone astray, but he ultimately got it and seemed to be keen for us to go. I think the visit will be a little more relaxed than the last meeting of the Club behind the Iron Curtain, but my brother-in-law, who has some experience of Iron Curtain countries, told me that we will have to be prepared to be organised to some extent. I have managed to negotiate a good deal with the State Tourist Board and have got provisional booking in a good hotel. Speaking to Terry English at the College a fortnight ago, he assures me that we would be extremely well entertained. The bush telegraph tells me that Kass Merkx's Unit is likely to be busy with a number of visitors this Spring and, therefore, in the event it is probably better for us to go there next year. I have not written to him about this yet, but as it will be your Presidential Year, if you are agreeable, I think I would send him a preliminary letter this Spring, so that we are not going to miss out.

Very best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

c.c. Mr. A. W. Moule.



The University of Sheffield

Department of Dental Surgery  
School of Clinical Dentistry

Professor Sir Paul Bramley,  
MB.ChB. BDS. FRCS, FDS, FRACDS

Charles Clifford Dental Hospital  
Wellesley Road  
Sheffield S10 2SZ  
Tel: Sheffield (0742) 26484 Ext. 2579

11th December, 1984.

Mr. J. C. Bradley,  
Consultant Oral Surgeon,  
Department of Oral Surgery & Orthodontics,  
Burnley, Pendle and Rossendale Health Authority,  
Burnley General Hospital,  
Casterton Avenue,  
Burnley,  
Lancashire,  
BB10 2PQ.

Dear John,

Thank you for your letter of 3rd December, the contents of which I understand. I entirely agree that you should send a preliminary letter concerning a possible visit to the Merckx's Unit in 1986.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

*B.*

cc: Mr. A. W. Moule

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Zürich, December 12th 1984 HO/as

Mr.  
A. Weldon Moule, F.D.S.R.C.S.  
6 Castlegate Mews  
Castle Hill

GB-Prestbury, Cheshire, DK 10 4AZ

Dear Allen

Thank you for your kind words with your letter of November 7th regarding my paper read at your place.

It gives me pleasure in sending you my reply to your two questions.

1.) My definition of maxillo facial surgery is as follows:

- a) Maxillo-facial Surgery is the unlimited diagnosis and mostly surgical treatment of diseases, trauma, abnormalities and malformations of the whole maxillofacial region with the masticatory system as it's central part.
- b) Maxillofacial Surgery is the surgical speciality of the masticatory system, involving mainly the lower two thirds of the facial skeleton, its adnexal structures and the overlying soft tissues.

Both definition say about the same, however, with different words.

2.) My classification of the main contents of the specialty is the following:

Ambulatory Surgery (Affections of Oral Mucosa and Facial Skin, Facial Pain, Apicectomies, Impacted Teeth, etc.)	Radiation Injuries of Soft and Hard Tissues
Cysts (Bone and Soft Tissues)	Benign Tumors
Maxillary Sinus	Malignant Tumors
Trauma	Salivary Glands
Infections of Soft Tissues	Preprosthetic Surgery
Osteomyelitis	Reconstruction of Defects
Temporo Mandibular Joint	Orthognatic Surgery
Systemic Diseases and Syndroms	Cleft Surgery, Primary and Secondary
	Cranio-Max. Fac. Surgery
	Aesthetic Surgery of the Face

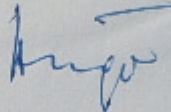
Let me hope this is what you wanted from me.

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

I'm sure my very good friend Peter Clarke as well as some other colleagues of the Brit. Assoc. of Oral & Maxillofacial surgeons are interested in this. I therefore, dare to send to them a copy of this letter.

With my best personal regards and wishes,

Yours sincerely,



Prof. Dr. H.L. Obwegeser, M.D., D.M.D.

Copies to:

- Mr. Peter Clarke, O.B.E., Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, Dental Department, Foresterhill, Aberdeen, AB9 2ZB, Scotland
- Prof. Sir Paul A. Bramley, Clifford Dental Hospital, Sheffield
- President Brit. Ass. of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons, Royal College of Surgeons of England, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3PN

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

From: Brigadier M J Newell L/RADC



Department of Dental Science  
**ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL COLLEGE**  
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Mr J C Bradley  
53 Reedley Drive  
Reedley  
BURNLEY  
Lancs BB10 2QS

Your reference

Our reference

Date 28 November 1985

Dear John

Thank you for your letter of 19 November, with the kind invitation of the President and Members of the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain to join as an Active Member.

I appreciate the great honour in being invited to join and I accept with the greatest pleasure.

My present appointment is Consultant Adviser in Dental Surgery to the Army. I can send you details of this appointment if you wish.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

*Mike*

MR. LAURENCE OLDHAM

Home and Consulting Rooms:  
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TAUNTON  
SOMERSET  
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Taunton 282762

ORAL SURGERY AND MAXILLO FACIAL UNIT  
MUSGROVE PARK HOSPITAL  
TAUNTON  
Taunton 333444 Ext 2177  
YEOVIL DISTRICT HOSPITAL  
Yeovil 75122 Ext 2318

4. 12. 85.

Dear John,

The oral surgery club of Great Britain.

Thank you for your letter dated 8.11.85  
in which the President and members of the  
above group wrote me to join as an active  
member.

I am very pleased to accept  
and send the following information at your request.

Present Appointment:

Consultant Oral Maxillo-Facial Surgeon  
South Western Regional Health Authority, with  
responsibilities at both Taunton and Yeovil  
District General Hospitals in Somerset.

Yours faithfully,

L. Oldham.

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Prof. Pa./Qu.

Mr.  
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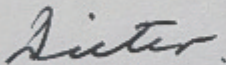
Dear John,

I was pleased and honoured to receive your invitation to become an Honorary Member of the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain. It was a great pleasure to have the members of the Club in Cologne and it is good to know that you all enjoyed the programme.

I should very much like to accept your invitation, especially as it will give me the opportunity to keep in contact with my English colleagues and friends. Although I would find it difficult to attend all your meetings it ought to be possible to attend one in six. I shall send you the requested information about my present appointments at the end of the year, when hopefully I shall have more time.

With kind regards to the President and the Members

Yours sincerely



Pape

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

... of the Oral Surgery Club with ...

Mr DAVID DOWNTON

Telephone:  
01-935 9521

107 HARLEY STREET  
LONDON, W.1

Professor R. O'Neil,  
49, Combemartin Road,  
London, S.W.19.

June 15th 77

Dear Ray,

Please find enclosed letter from David Poswillo together with a copy of my reply.

I think at the A.G.M. we should make him an honorary member and if you will place it on the agenda I will propose it. With regard to the letter from the G.D.C., I will bring it with me to Dublin and there will be sufficient members there for us to make a decision.

I will telephone you regarding a meeting place for the journey shortly.

Yours sincerely,  
*David Downton*  
David Downton.



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PLEASE REPLY TO:- Professor D.E. Poswillo

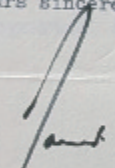
30th May 1977

D. Downton Esq.,  
Hon. Secretary,  
Oral Surgery Club,  
107 Harley Street,  
London, W1N 1DG.

Dear Sir,

I have accepted a Chair in the University of Adelaide, Australia, and I expect to take up my appointment towards the end of this year. As distance will prevent me from taking an active part in the affairs of the Club in the next few years I feel, with regret, that I must resign from membership as from the end of the financial year. Will you kindly attend to the formalities for me? I have appreciated the privilege of membership and I shall look back with pleasure on the enjoyable scientific and social occasions which I have been able to attend while a member.

Yours sincerely,

  
D.E. Poswillo

ORAL SURGERY CLUB

The next meeting of the Oral Surgery Club will be held in Dublin where Mr. Niall Hogan has kindly agreed to arrange a programme at Dr. Steevens' Hospital on Friday 1st July 1977.

Air travel 30th June and return 2nd or 3rd July.

Advance notice of the Autumn Meeting which will be held under the Presidency of Mr. Roy Whitlock, in Belfast 19th - 22nd October. This meeting will take the place of the usual overseas meeting and will consist of a two-day course on "The Emergency Treatment of Violence" given by the Staff of the Royal Victoria Hospital and the Ulster Hospital.

Please complete the form below and return to me not later than Tuesday 1st March 1977.

R. O'Neil, Esq.,  
49, Combemartin Road,  
London, SW18 5PP

~~I shall~~/shall not attend the meeting in Dublin

~~I would like to travel by air~~ (Approx. price £56 return)

~~I shall~~ make my own arrangements

~~I would/would~~ not require hotel accommodation

~~I shall/shall~~ not take my wife

NAME: A. PAIN ..... 33 Park Ave. Colchester  
(BLOCK CAPITALS)

SIGNATURE: My husband has asked me to tell you he is turning 83 & feels too old to go paddling about. So please save the postage & do not send him any more notices.  
2/2/77. Jean Pain

May. Gen. Robertson

STRUAN  
WETHFELTON HOLLOW  
EAST STOKE  
DORSET BH20 5HU  
TEL. BINDON ABBEY 462272

23<sup>rd</sup> June 76

My Dear Ray,

I enclose various bits & pieces about the next meeting & my new address

I do thank you for organising the meeting in Brunets - it was first class & I am sure all the members enjoyed themselves - also the ladies

You put in a deal of hard work & effort to get such a good result.

We hope to see you down here soon in the Tassan area  
Edna gives me in saying kindest regards to your wife & yourself

Yours sincerely  
Robbie

BRACKENDALE,  
HOLLYBANK ROAD,  
HOOK HEATH,  
TEL. 60008 WOKING, SURREY.

19th November, 1979.

Ian Heslop Esq., MB., BS., BDS., FDSRCS.,  
Trees,  
Hook Heath Avenue,  
WOKING,  
Surrey.

Dear *Ian*,

Thank you very much for your letter dated  
29th October, 1979 containing the invitation, on behalf  
of the members and Council of the Oral Surgery Club, to become  
the next President.

I understand that this would involve an Autumn  
Meeting around October/November 1980 followed by a Spring  
Meeting overseas in May/June 1981.

It is with the deepest regret that I have come to  
the conclusion that I should not accept because of the uncertainty  
of my future activities at these times, bearing in mind that I  
will be obliged to retire not later than December 1980. I would  
be grateful if you would be kind enough to convey my appreciation  
of the honour extended to me by the Council and Members and my  
disappointment at not being able to accede to their wishes.

With best wishes,  
Yours sincerely,

*Norman*

Norman Rowe

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From QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL ROEHAMPTON LONDON SW15 5PN

Professor Raymond O'Neil,  
Honorary Secretary,  
Oral Surgery Club,  
University College Hospital Dental School,  
Mortimer Market,  
London WC1

8th March 1976

Dear Raymond,

I have been asked by Professor Harry Archer, Editor, of the Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Directory of the World to revise the names of all Oral Surgeons practising in the United Kingdom. The existing list which he has sent to me is very much out of date and I think that the best thing to do would be to check the information provided against the latest membership list of the Oral Surgery Club.

I would be grateful if you could let my secretary, Mrs. Rosemary Walsh have a copy of the latest list as soon as possible since I am given to understand by Professor Archer that this is the only information outstanding before publication.

He has agreed to defray any expense incurred so that if you would let me have an account for the costs involved I will see that the Oral Surgery Club is compensated accordingly.

I am sorry to impose this burden on you but I am anxious to ensure that the entries are as accurate as possible.

Yours sincerely,

*Norman*

N.L. Rowe, FRCS, FDSRCS  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

*18/3/76*  
*I rang Mr Rowe's Sec.*  
*and explained you were*  
*off sick & for the moment*  
*couldn't deal with this*

*Reply.*

*Request unable to supply a*  
*list of members of a private club*  
*was to such an impeccable authority.*

*- For practical purposes the active members*  
*are Fellows of B.A.O.S.*

*Roe*

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

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4th December 1986

Mr. J.C. Bradley  
Hon. Secretary  
Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain  
53 Reedley Drive  
Reedley  
BURNLEY  
Lancashire  
BB10 2QS

Dear John

Thank you for your invitation to become an Active Member of the Oral  
Surgery Club of Great Britain. I am honoured and delighted to  
accept.

Appointments: Consultant Oral Surgeon, South West Wales  
Postgraduate Dental Tutor for South West Wales  
Base Hospital: Morryston Hospital  
Swansea, SA6 6NL

I look forward to meeting you at the next meeting.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely

*Charles*

C.W. ROWSE

J. SEAR, M.B., Ch.B.,  
S.D.S., F.D.S., R.C.S.ENG.

18 LANSDOWNE CRESCENT  
MALVERN  
WORCESTERSHIRE  
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16 November 1983

Dear John,

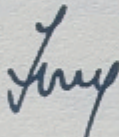
Please thank the President and Members of the Oral  
Surgery Club for their kind invitation to me to join the  
Club as an Active Member.

I shall be very pleased to accept this invitation and  
my present hospital appointments are as follows:

Consultant Oral Surgeon, part-time, to Worcester Royal  
Infirmary, Castle Street, Worcester.

Clinical Assistant in Ear, Nose and Throat Surgery,  
Worcester Royal Infirmary.

Yours sincerely,



Mr. John Bradley,  
Honorary Secretary,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
BURNLEY,  
Lancashire.  
BB10 2QS

FROM

MR. P. SELWYN  
L.D.S.R.C.S., R.D.S.  
D.ORTH. R.C.S., F.D.S.R.C.S.

208A MELTON ROAD,  
WEST BRIDGFORD,  
NOTTINGHAM NG2 6JP  
Telephone 232208

11th. November 1982

Professor R.O'Neil,  
The Dental School,  
University College London,  
Mortimer Market,  
London.

Dear

*Raymond.*

Very many thanks for your letter of November 3rd. 1982.  
I shall be delighted, of course, to join the Oral Surgery  
Club and I am most grateful to the President and your  
goodself for the invitation to do so.

My appointment here in Nottingham is as a Consultant  
Oral Surgeon to the Nottingham General and University  
Hospitals.

Yours sincerely,

*P. Selwyn*

Miscellaneous letters, mostly about membership

*David Pawnton cheque.*

# The London Hospital Medical College

University of London

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*Put on rolls.*



3rd October, 1978

*Sent 19/10/78*

Prof. R. O'Neill,  
University College Hospital,  
Dental School,  
University St.,  
London, WC1

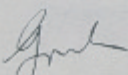
Dear Raymund,

I enclose a cheque for £1.05 as my annual contribution to the Oral Surgery Club. I should be delighted to be a member of this Club and must apologise for the delay since writing to you before.

I shall be just out of hospital when you go to Chepstow and I think I shall find it difficult to go to meetings during this, the last year of my Deanship, but hope to be a fully active member thereafter.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

  
G.R. Seward

# The London Hospital Medical College

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Department of Oral & Maxillo-Facial Surgery. Professor G. R. Seward, M.D.S., F.D.S., M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.

15th December, 1986

Mr. J.C. Bradley,  
53, Reedley Drive,  
Reedley,  
Burnley,  
Lancs. BB10 2Q2

Dear John,

### Oral Surgery Club

I have always been a bit unhappy about my membership of the Club, because of the difficulty for an academic to take time off during active teaching periods, and the majority of the Club's activities appear to coincide with peak teaching times.

There are obvious advantages to being able to avail ones-self of all the opportunities which the Club makes possible for visits to see our colleagues at work and particularly those overseas.

Perhaps it would be as well if you drop me from the list for the time being.

Yours sincerely,

G.R. Seward

NORTHWOOD 25012

MARLBROOK HOUSE,

33 SANDY LODGE ROAD,

MOOR PARK, RICKMANSWORTH,

HERTS. WD3 1LP

16/8/77

Dear Professor O'Neil.

Please will you thank the members of the Oral Surgery Club of Gt. Britain for the beautiful flowers they sent for Paul last month, it was much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,  
Dorothy Toke.

Paul letter

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Queen Elizabeth Hospital  
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Birmingham  
B15 2TH

Tel: 021-472 1311

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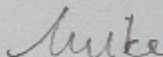
Dear John,

Thank you very much indeed for your letter of the 29th November and the invitation from the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain to join them as an active member. I am delighted to be able to accept this invitation and feel very honoured to have been so invited. I look forward to being able to join you at your next meeting.

My present appointment is as Consultant Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon to the Birmingham Central Health District based at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, but I also have a contract to the Birmingham South Health District with sessions at Selly Oak Hospital. I am also an Honorary Senior Clinical Lecturer to the University of Birmingham.

Kind regards and best wishes,

Yours sincerely,



M. J. C. Wake  
Consultant Oral Surgeon

## SUNDERLAND HEALTH AUTHORITY

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Sunderland District General Hospital,  
Kayll Road,  
Sunderland,  
SR4 7TP

Ourref: RPWB/JK

Your ref:

9th December, 1986

Orthodontic Consultants:  
D. A. DIXON, F.D.S., R.C.S., D.D.O., M.D.S.  
D. J. VASEY, F.D.S., R.C.S., D.Orth.

Oral and Maxillo Facial Surgery Consultants:  
R. P. WARD-BOOTH, M.B.Ch.B., F.D.S., R.C.S. (Eng), F.R.C.S. (Ed.)  
R. A. ORD, F.D.S., R.C.P.S., F.R.C.S. (Ed.)

### Department of Orthodontics, Oral and Maxillo Facial Surgery

In Confidence

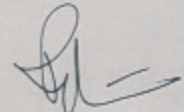
Mr. J. C. Bradley,  
Honorary Secretary,  
53 Reedley Drive,  
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Burnley,  
Lancashire. BB10 2QS

Dear Mr. Bradley,

Thank you for your letter and kind invitation. I would be very pleased to be associated with the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain. I was not sure what you meant about details of your present appointments so I have enclosed my C.V. which I hope will be of some help.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

  
R. P. WARD-BOOTH  
CONSULTANT ORAL SURGEON



49 COMBEMARTIN ROAD  
LONDON SW18 5PP  
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8. December 75.

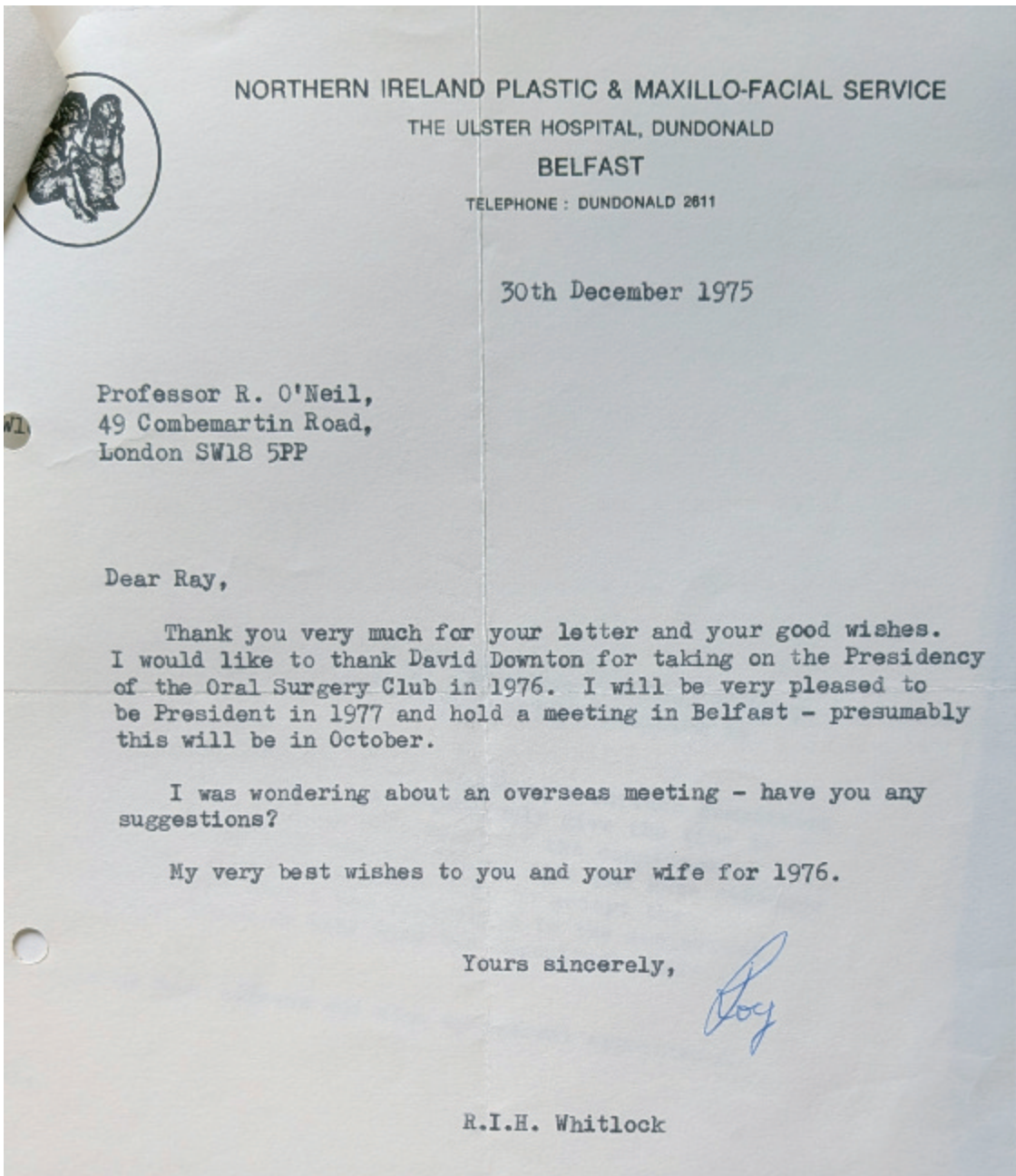
Dear David.

Ron Whitlock has written to ask if his presidency of the One Surgery Club can be delayed until 1977. The Senior Registrars are meeting in Belfast in July 76 and the Combined Denture Students Association in September 76 and he has been told that the financial situation will not allow any further hospitality until 1977. He is most apologetic and I quite see his problem.

~~If I remember correctly~~  
It seems that you are therefore the new President and that the Club

meets at the RFA next year.  
Please let me know your views as I haven't written to anyone else as yet.

Y.S.



ROYAL WEST SUSSEX HOSPITAL  
(WEST SUSSEX A.H.A. — CHICHESTER DISTRICT)

Your ref.

Our ref. JLW/JPC

ST. RICHARD'S  
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CHICHESTER  
WEST SUSSEX PO19 4SE  
Telephone Chichester (0243) 788122

28th November 1980

Mr. R. O'Neil,  
49 Combemartin Rd,  
London SW18 5PP

Dear Raymund,

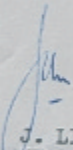
Thank you very much indeed for your letter concerning the Oral Surgery Club. It is very kind indeed of the President of the Committee to invite me to join.

I must confess to have been hesitant about accepting a further commitment simply because I was not sure that I could genuinely give the time to it that one would wish. I am however well aware of the considerable reputation of the Oral Surgery Club and the honour that you have extended to me in this invitation. I would therefore like to accept the invitation and sincerely hope that I can contribute to the activities of the club, particularly since we will have two Consultants here in Chichester.

I enclose my details of home address and also my present appointment.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

  
J. Ll. Williams,  
Consultant, Maxillo-Facial Unit

Mr. J. Ll. Williams

Home Address: 10 Elms Way,  
West Wittering,  
West Sussex

Tele: West Wittering 3671

Appointments:

Consultant Oral Surgeon - South West Thames Regional Health Authority  
Chichester and Worthing Districts

Honorary Consultant Oral Surgeon - Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton

Honorary Consultant Maxillo-Facial Surgeon - King Edward VII Hospital,  
Midhurst, Sussex

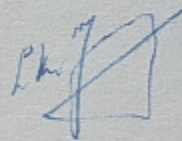
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0292-69240

"The Stables",  
62, Midton Road,  
Ayr.

Dear O'NEIL,

When I arrived home today, I had a look through my O.S. file and found the enclosed. I cannot tell if they are of any help to you but hope they are. There is no need to return any of them if you do not wish them. I must thank you for looking after us so well in Edinburgh where everything, at least from my point of view, went splendidly. Please excuse the amateurish typing, but I find that, with advancing years my handwriting becomes more and more illegible. With kind regards,

yours sincerely,



L.M. Young.

# Rupert Sutton Taylor: CV, Obituaries, Celebrations and Photographs

## RUPERT SUTTON TAYLOR

**Born:** 18 July 1905 *Carrig Buzna, Co. Wexford*  
**Educated:** Newtown School, Waterford.  
 Middlesex Hospital & Royal Dental Hospital, London.  
**Qualifications:** LRCP(Lond.), MRCS(Eng.) 1930  
 LDSRCS(Eng.) 1928  
 " FDSRCS(Eng.) 1948 (By election)  
**Decorations:** TD(three bars) 1943  
**Honours:** OBE(Military) 1945; Order of St. John 1959; Commander, 1951.  
**Appointments:** Military  
 Commissioned RAMC,TA(Hygiene Companies) 1928  
 RAMC-Major 1938 - 42; Lt.Col. 1942 - 45  
 Commanding Officer 127 Light Field Ambulance and  
 146 Field Ambulance (1939 - 45 War).  
 Commanding Officer 161 Field Ambulance (TA) 1957-58.  
 Honorary Colonel, Medical Units 54(East Anglia)  
 Infantry Division, 1959 - 66.  
Civilian  
 Dental House Surgeon, Middlesex Hospital 1928.  
 Clinical Assistant, Dental Department, Westminster  
 Hospital, 1929 - 31.  
 Senior Clinical Assistant to Dental Surgeon, Nose, Ear  
 and Throat Hospital, Golden Square, London, 1931-32.  
 Honorary Dental Surgeon, National Hospital,  
 Queen Square, London, 1933-37.  
 Consultant Dental Surgeon, Seaman's Hospital,  
 Greenwich, 1930 - 70.  
 Consultant Dental Surgeon, Westminster Hospital, 1937-70.  
 Consultant Dental Surgeon, Queen Mary's Hospital,  
 Roehampton (Westminster Hospital Teaching Group) 1962-70.  
 Honorary Consulting Dental Surgeon, Westminster Hospital  
 Teaching Group and Seaman's Hospital, 1970.  
**Examinership:** External Examiner in Dental Surgery and Materia Medica,  
 Queen's University, Belfast 1938-39 and 1945-48.  
**Committees:** Dental Member, London Executive Council (NHS) 1948 - 62  
 Vice-Chairman, 1951-53; Chairman, 1953-56.  
**Presidencies:** Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain, 1963 Foundation  
 Member 1937, Hon. Secretary 1937 - 63.  
 British Association of Oral Surgeons (now British Association  
 of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons), 1965, member of  
 Steering Committee, 1961 and Inaugural Council, 1962,  
 Honorary Fellow 1971.  
 Odontological Section of the Royal Society of Medicine, 1966.  
**Teaching:** Recognised Teacher in Oral Surgery, University of  
 London since 1948.  
**Publications:** The Surgical Correction of Skeletal Deformities of  
 (incomplete) the Mandible. 1958. British Dental Journal 105, 349-366.  
 The Treatment of Leukoplakia of the Oral Mucosa by  
 Excision and Thiersch Grafting. 1965. British Journal of  
 Oral Surgery, 3, 215-219.  
 Odontology and Malignancy. 1967. Proceedings of the  
 Royal Society of Medicine, 60, 5-7.  
**Recreations:** Fishing, Sailing, Historical Research and Gardening.  
**Club:** Savage  
**Present Address:** Thie-ny-chibbyr, Lezayre Road, Ramsey, Isle of Man  
 Tel: Isle of Man 812585



ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND

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MR RUPERT SUTTON TAYLOR OBE TD

80TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Dublin Bay Prawns

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Cream of Cauliflower Soup

Braised Supreme of Duck

Braised Supreme of Duck  
Port & Black Cherry Sauce

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Vegetables - Potatoes

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Creme Brulee

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Coffee

Macon Blanc Villages AC

Crozes Hermitage AC

Port or Brandy

18.7.85.

The Times April 29 1986

## MR RUPERT TAYLOR

Mr Rupert Taylor, OBE, TD, one of the architects of the hospital dental service at the inception of the National Health Service, died on April 4 aged 80.

An Irishman, educated in Waterford, he trained at the Royal Dental Hospital, London, and at the Middlesex Hospital.

He commanded 127 Light Field Ambulance and 146 Field Ambulance during the Second World War, was made OBE (Mil) and was awarded the Territorial Decoration with three bars.

He was the Hon Colonel of the Medical Units 54 (East Anglia) Infantry Division from 1959-66.

Taylor played an important part in the development of oral and maxillofacial surgery; he co-founded the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain and

was its first hon secretary and, eventually, its president.

From 1948-62 he was dental member of the London Executive Council (National Health Service) of which he was twice chairman.

He was on the steering committee of the British Association of Oral (now Oral and Maxillofacial) Surgeons, becoming its president in 1965.

In 1966 he was made president of the Odontological Section of the Royal Society of Medicine.

During the early days of the National Health Service he played a vital role in establishing consultant dentistry in the nation's hospitals when he was the first chairman of the Central Dental Consultants and Specialists Committee (now the Central Committee for Hospital Dental Services).

**British Dental Journal August 16 1986 (by John Bradley)**

**Rupert Sutton Taylor**

**OBE, TD, LDS, FDS, MRCS, LRCP**

Rupert Sutton Taylor, who died at Ramsey, Isle of Man on Friday, April 4, 1986, was born in Carrig Byrne, Co. Wexford, on July 18, 1905. He was educated at Newtown School, Waterford, and his professional training was at the Middlesex Hospital and the Royal Dental Hospital of London qualifying LDSRCS Eng in 1928 and LRCP, MRCS in 1930. He was elected FDS RCS Eng in 1948.



Although an Irishman, he spent his professional life in England, specialising in the sphere of oral surgery, and was the first man to limit his practice entirely to oral surgery, attaining high distinction both as a clinician and a teacher. He followed a very full professional life both in the civilian and the military spheres. In 1928 he was commissioned in the RAMC TA (Hygiene Companies) and was promoted Major in 1938 and Lt.-Colonel in 1942. During the 1939-45 War he was Commanding Officer

127 Light Field Ambulance and 146 Field Ambulance and was decorated an Officer of the Order of the British Empire (Military Division) in 1945 for his services. He was also awarded the TD and three bars. He was the Commanding Officer 161 Field Ambulance (TA) 1957-58 and was made Honorary Colonel Medical Units 54 (East Anglia) Infantry Division 1959-66.

In 1959 he was appointed an Officer of the Order of St John and made Commander in 1961. His civilian achievements were notable. After qualifying in dentistry in 1928 he became the dental house surgeon at the Middlesex Hospital followed by the appointment of clinical assistant to the Dental Department at the Westminster Hospital 1929-31. Compared to the hard-pressed senior registrars of today, his rise to the consultant ranks can only be described as meteoric: he was appointed to the Seaman's Hospital, Greenwich, in 1930 as consultant, holding the appointment until his retirement in 1970. During the early 1930s he held several clinical posts, at the Nose, Ear and Throat Hospital, the National Hospital, Queen's Square, and in 1937 he was appointed Consultant at the Westminster Hospital. When the link between the Westminster Hospital and Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton occurred in 1962 (Westminster Hospital Teaching Group), he was the senior consultant in oral surgery and held the appointment until his retirement. He was made honorary consultant to both the Westminster Hospital Teaching Group and the Seaman's Hospital in 1970.

He was an examiner in dental surgery and materia medica at the Queen's University, Belfast both before and after the War.

He joined the BDA in 1931 and had served on the Representative Board for many years, where his great contribution had been in the field of hospital dentistry, of which it could be said that he was one of the architects. A past-president of the Hospital Group he had the distinction of being the first chairman of the Central Dental Consultants and Specialists Committee (now the Central Committee for Hospital Dental Services). As well as this, he had also served for several years as the chairman of the London Executive Council (NHS).

Rupert Taylor was notable in firsts in his field. He was largely responsible for forming the first specialist society of oral surgery in the UK, when, in 1936, he started with others to found the travelling surgical club, the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain. He was its first honorary secretary and treasurer from 1937 to 1962, when he became president of the club. It is sad that he was not to see the 50th anniversary of the club this coming autumn. In 1961 he was a member of the Steering Committee of the British Association of Oral Surgeons (now the British Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons) and a member of the Inaugural Council in 1962. He was made president in 1965 and the following year he became president of the Odontological Section of the Royal Society of Medicine. If honours were not enough, in 1969 he was accorded the

highest honour the BDA can give in recognition of his great contribution to dentistry, by making him a Fellow of the Association.

But what of the man? Above all he was a gentleman, irascible at times with a fiery temperament. However, any altercations were quickly forgotten, and underneath it all was a man of great kindness who fully supported all his staff, trainees, nurses, technicians and secretaries alike. There are many consultants and some professors today who have much to be thankful for his help and guidance in their careers. For all who have worked for him, it was an unforgettable experience which none of us would have missed for anything. The inimitable the late Henry Selby Brown was a perfect foil to him as his SHDO, and one remembers the morning when the Irish foreman of a gang of navvies digging up the road outside with pneumatic drills was brought up to the clinic to experience the difficulty of hearing the click of a deranged temporomandibular joint through a stethoscope with the drills going full blast outside. All was silence until midday!

His technique for dealing with the bureaucracy can only be described as unique. His approach was usually unorthodox, perfectly logical, conforming strictly to the rules, and he went to the top. As his registrar, on two occasions I had to get the Minister of Health direct on the telephone. I have yet to meet anyone since who was able to command such recognition!

Our standard textbooks for this aspect of our training were Sir Ernest Gowers' *Plain Words* and Machiavelli's *The Prince*. His great administrative ability was shown in the battle he waged in his successful attempt at obtaining the necessary finance to build the new Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton. In those days it was a huge sum of money and, in recognition of his feat, the Minister himself came and cut the first sod for the foundations and kept the spade to remind him of the incident!

On the day he died, a group of consultants who did not know that he was ill were attending the Spring Meeting of the British Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons in Reading and ending the day with an extended night-cap; the topic of conversation was Rupert Taylor. Such was the man; he will be greatly missed but certainly not forgotten.

J.C.B.

### Victor Edwin Ireland MB, BS, MRCS, LRCP, LDS

V. E. Ireland, 'Mike' to his friends and colleagues died in the Ipswich Hospital on January 16, 1986. His latter years had been dogged by ill health, and a serious illness forced his partial retirement in 1974 but he continued in part-time work until 1978.

Mike Ireland was born in St Neots, Huntingdonshire, on August 22, 1914. He was educated at Huntingdon Grammar

## OBITUARY

**Rupert Sutton Taylor, O.B.E., T.D., F.D.S.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S.**



Rupert Sutton Taylor, a distinguished pioneer of the specialty of oral and maxillofacial surgery and a past President of the Association, died at Ramsey, Isle of Man on Friday, April 4th 1986 in his 81st year. He was born in Carrig Byrne, Co. Wexford on July 18th 1905 and educated at Newtown School, Waterford and, although his professional education and career were destined to take place in England, he remained at heart, and in spirit, an Irishman although he elected to spend his retirement among Manxmen.

He qualified in Dentistry from the Royal Dental Hospital in 1928 with the L.D.S.R.C.S. (Eng.) diploma, and in Medicine and Surgery from the Middlesex Hospital, obtaining the Conjoint Diplomas of L.R.C.P. (Lond.) and M.R.C.S. (Eng.) in 1930. His first hospital appointment was that of dental house surgeon at the Middlesex Hospital in 1928 which was followed by appointment to the post of clinical assistant to the dental department of the Westminster Hospital from 1929-1931. During this period, at the remarkably young age of 25, he was appointed as a consultant dental surgeon to the Seamen's Hospital, Greenwich a position in which he continued to serve for 40 years until his retirement in 1970. In addition to these duties he was Senior Clinical Assistant to the Dental Surgeon at the Nose, Ear and Throat Hospital, Golden Square from 1931-1932 followed by an appointment as Honorary Dental Surgeon to the National Hospital, Queen's Square from 1933 until 1937 when he was selected for a consultant post at the

Westminster Hospital at the age of 32 years. When Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton became part of the Westminster Hospital Teaching Group in 1962 Rupert Sutton Taylor became the senior consultant and held this appointment, together with those at the Seamen's Hospital and the Westminster Hospital, until his retirement which took place shortly after the opening of the new department at Roehampton. This achievement was principally due to his efforts and had been recognised by the Minister of Health personally cutting the first sod of the foundations a year previously.

The two 'linchpins' of Rupert's life were Oral Surgery and the Territorial Branch of the R.A.M.C. and he served both with distinction throughout his long professional career. It may be difficult for the present generation to appreciate that, in this country before the Second World War, the specialty of oral surgery was almost non-existent and that organised hospital dentistry did not exist outside the Teaching Hospitals. Under these circumstances it is all the more remarkable that he was instrumental in the foundation of the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain as long ago as 1936 which not only created a nucleus for future post-war development but also, as a Travelling Club, forged links with the specialty in Europe which continue to the present time. He was the first honorary secretary and treasurer of the Club and was elected President in 1962. This year, therefore, marks the 50th anniversary and it is sad to reflect that he did not survive to participate in the celebrations. He was a member of the Steering Committee set up in 1961 which led to the formation of the British Association of Oral Surgeons the following year; was a member of the inaugural Council and subsequently became President in 1965. The following year he was also elected President of the Odontological Section of the Royal Society of Medicine.

Both before and after the War he was an examiner in materia medica and dental surgery for the Queen's Hospital, Belfast, a recognised teacher in oral surgery of the University of London from 1948 and, in the same year, was elected a Fellow in Dental Surgery of the Royal College of Surgeons of England. Appointed as an Officer of the most Venerable Order of St. John of Jerusalem in 1959, he succeeded to the position of Commander in 1961.

He joined the B.D.A. in 1931 and served on the Representative Committee for many years. In 1954 he was President of the Hospitals Group at a time when there was considerable dissatisfaction with the lack of representation of hospital dental staff with the Ministry of Health. This problem was eventually resolved by the formation of the Central Dental Consultants and Specialists Committee, in conformity with its medical counterpart, and Rupert Sutton Taylor was elected as its first Chairman. He also served on the London Executive Council of the National Health Service for 14 years during the course of which he was elected as Chairman in 1953. His services to the profession were recognised by election to Honorary Fellowship of the B.D.A., a rare distinction which he greatly appreciated.

Rupert Sutton Taylor's military career commenced in the same year as he qualified in dentistry when, in 1928, he was appointed to a Territorial Forces Commission as a Lieutenant R.A.M.C. and posted to the 8th London Hygiene Company. After qualifying medically he subsequently joined 162 Field Ambulance in 1938 with the rank of Major and was posted as Commanding Officer of 127 Field Ambulance with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in 1941. He was appointed Commanding Officer of 146 Field Ambulance the following year and this Unit, which formed part of 49th (West Riding) Division, took part in the invasion of Europe, setting up an Advanced Dressing Station at St. Léger on June 14th 1944 and, thereafter, was in immediate support of the troops advancing through

Normandy. Thenceforth, 146 Field Ambulance was involved in the crossing of the Seine at Rouen, the assault on Le Havre, and the advance through Holland to the Nijmegen salient. Finally, the Unit was involved in the occupation of Germany until August 1945. Rupert Sutton Taylor was awarded the Territorial Decoration (three bars) and the O.B.E. (Military Division) for his services. After the war he continued his interest in and involvement with the Territorial Army as Regimental Medical Officer to the Queen Victoria Rifles (7th Battalion K.R.R.C.) and was appointed, as Commanding Officer, to 161 East Anglian Field Ambulance R.A.M.C. (T.A.) in 1957. The following year he was transferred to the Reserve of Officers but, in 1959, was appointed Honorary Colonel of the Medical Units of 54 (East Anglian) Infantry Division (T.A.) relinquishing this office in 1966, thus completing 38 years' service in the Territorial Army.

To those who only knew him superficially, his personality presented an enigma, verging at times on the eccentric. His temper was primed with a 'short fuse' which ensured a rapid response from his junior staff, but the occasional explosion was more in the nature of a 'thunderflash' which, having achieved its deterrent effect, left no residual damage but ensured that the lesson had been learned. Underlying this apparently irascible exterior was a gentleman of the old school to whom the traditions of courtesy to his colleagues and patients and loyalty to his staff remained of paramount importance at all times and he would defend these principles with the utmost determination, but never more so than when he suspected any administrative incompetence or covert machinations which could threaten the efficiency or development of his department. He possessed an encyclopaedic knowledge of history, customs and traditions and would regale one over lunch, or as his guest at the Savage Club, with intriguing excerpts from his remarkable memory.

Rupert Sutton Taylor was a fiercely independent person, possibly a lonely individual at times, but an outstanding character in an age which tends to encourage conformity. Those who worked with him, and indeed for him, came to appreciate his sterling qualities and the warmth of his true nature which tended to be belied by superficial acquaintance. On the day that he died, the Spring Meeting of the Association was taking place and this fortuitous example of serendipity would doubtless have earned his approval as good organisation by the Staff. Our sense of loss is tempered by gratitude for his pioneer efforts in the development of oral surgery in Britain and our hope that the principles which guided his professional career will be perpetuated.

Francis Bacon, in his preface to *The Elements of the Common Law* written in the sixteenth century, stated: 'I hold every man a debtor to his profession'. The account of Rupert Sutton Taylor is now closed and shows a considerable surplus. Let us, as his professional beneficiaries, use this to good effect in the furtherance of the specialty which was foremost in his life's endeavours.

N.L.R.

## British Medical Journal August 16 1986

### R S TAYLOR

OBE, TD, MRCS, LRCP, FDSRCS

Mr R S Taylor, a pioneer in oral surgery, died at Ramsey, Isle of Man, on 4 April aged 80.

Rupert Sutton Taylor was born in Carrig, County Wexford, on 18 July 1905 and was educated at Newtown School.

He initially studied dentistry at the Royal Dental Hospital of London and then completed his medical training at the Middlesex Hospital in 1930. His military career began in 1928, when he was commissioned into the Royal Army Medical Corps, Territorial Army (hygiene companies).



During the second world war he commanded field ambulances and for his distinguished services was decorated OBE (military division) in 1945. He was also awarded the TD and three bars. After the war he was a commanding officer in the Territorial Army until 1959, when he became an honorary colonel until his retirement in 1966.

Mr Taylor began his lifelong association with Westminster Hospital and Medical School as a clinical assistant in 1929. He joined the consultant staff in 1937, becoming honorary consulting oral surgeon on his retirement in 1969. When the Westminster Hospital linked with Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton, in 1962 he was instrumental in developing and building the new oral surgery unit. In 1930 he was appointed to the staff of the Seaman's Hospital, where he consulted for 40 years.

Mr Taylor was probably the first to limit his practice to oral surgery. He was a foundation member in 1937 of the Oral Surgery Club of Great Britain, its first honorary secretary, and president in 1962. A member of the inaugural council of the British Association of Oral Surgeons in 1962, he was president in 1965 and elected an honorary fellow in 1971. He became president of the odontological section of the Royal Society of Medicine in 1966. He was a past president of the hospitals group and the first chairman of the Central Dental Consultants and Specialists Committee. He also served for several years as chairman of the London executive council. The British Dental Association made him a fellow of the association in 1969.

Rupert was a stickler for correctness, and his hospital units were run with military precision. He was an irascible character with a wicked sense of humour, and many trainees will remember their own particular "initiative" test. "RST" was a kind, thoughtful chief but severe if any one stepped out of line, although all was forgotten over a drink later in the day. He was a loyal supporter of his nursing

and lay staff but the scourge of hospital administrators—they learnt to respect him.

Retirement was spent in the Isle of Man growing exotic plants and shrubs, but he never relinquished his interest in his former hospital units. This was particularly evident on the memorable 80th birthday celebration held in his honour at the Royal College of Surgeons. A personal confidential report that he most enjoyed could be his epitaph: “Rupert Sutton Taylor is a very able officer but inclined to be eccentric.”—JEB.







Westminster Hospital  
London



A Service of Thanksgiving  
for the Life and Work of

**RUPERT SUTTON TAYLOR**  
**O.B.E., T.D., F.D.S.R.C.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.**

Wednesday 30th July 1986  
at 12 Noon  
in  
Westminster Hospital Chapel

INTRODUCTION AND BIDDING

HYMN

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;  
The darkness deepens: Lord, with me abide!  
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;  
Change and decay in all around I see:  
O thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour;  
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like thyself my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless;  
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness,  
Where in death's sting? Where, grave, thy Victory?  
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes;  
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies:  
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee:  
In life and death, O Lord, abide with me!

THE LESSON

The Book of Revelation Chapter 21 verses 1-7

Read by  
J.E. BOWERMAN  
F.R.C.S., F.D.S.R.C.S.

HYMN

O God, our help in ages past,  
Our hope for years to come,  
Our shelter from the stormy blast,  
And our eternal home;

Under the shadow of thy throne  
Thy Saints have dwelt secure;  
Sufficient is thine arm alone,  
And our defence is sure.

Before the hills in order stood,  
Or earth received her frame,  
From everlasting thou art God,  
To endless years the same.

A thousand ages in thy sight  
Are like an evening gone,  
Short as the watch that ends the night  
Before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream,  
Bears all its sons away;  
They fly forgotten, as a dream  
Dies at the opening day.

O God, our help in ages past,  
Our hope for years to come,  
Be thou our guard while troubles last,  
And our eternal home.

*I. Watts*

THE ADDRESS

By  
NORMAN ROWE  
C.B.E., F.R.C.S., F.D.S.R.C.S.

## THE PRAYERS

### HYMN

Now thank we all our God,  
With heart and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things hath done,  
In whom his world rejoices;  
Who from our mother's arms  
Hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love,  
And still is ours to-day.

O may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer us;  
And keep us in his grace,  
And guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all ills  
In this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, and him who reigns  
With them in highest heaven,  
The One eternal God,  
Whom earth and heaven adore;  
For thus it was, is now,  
And shall be evermore. Amen.

*M. Rinkart*

### THE BLESSING

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Following the Service a Reception will be held in the  
Sisters Sitting Room, 1st Floor, Queen Marys Nurses' Home.

Letters to John Bradley

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RAMSEY 8000.  
812585.

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LEZAYRE ROAD.  
RAMSEY.  
ISLE OF MAN.

13-4-86

Dear John,

I hope there may be some use to you - I do not need them back as we found quite a few.

We thank you all for coming over last Friday, it helped us so much to have people who knew Rupert so well, he had spoken of you all so often that we felt we knew you.

The presentations made to Rupert on his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday will be among our most treasured possessions.

Hope we may meet again one day.

Yours Sincerely

Hilda.

From Norman Rowe

BRACKENDALE,  
HOLLYBANK ROAD,  
HOOK HEATH,  
TEL. 60008. WOKING, SURREY.

22<sup>nd</sup> July, 1986

Dear John,

Congratulations upon a  
first class obituary for Rupert  
which would have earned his  
unqualified approval - I am  
sure you will be "mentioned in  
despatches" in the Celestial Gazette

I have sent off my effort  
to Peter leopard but it is a  
rather pallid effort compared to  
your splendid effort.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely

Norman

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