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nystagmus and heat cataract under the Workmen's Compensation Act. Mr. Healy explained the report, which was approved and filed with the documents.

Mr. Law reported that the Ministry was interested in the question of corneal graft donors and would be glad to meet representative members to discuss the situation. The following were appointed: Mr. R. C. Davenport, Mr. J. H. Doggart and Mr. A. Lister.

Letters were received from three members regarding alteration of the areas of the regions represented on the Council. The Council agreed that the present regions were unsatisfactory, and it was decided to consider the matter in detail at the next meeting.

NOTES

**Gold Medal for the Prevention of Blindness**

NEW YORK, March 23:—The Leslie Dana Gold Medal for 1948, a National award given annually for outstanding achievement in the prevention of blindness and the conservation of vision, was presented on March 25, at a dinner in St. Louis to Dr. Lawrence T. Post, Professor of Clinical Ophthalmology and head of the Department of Ophthalmology at Washington University Medical School.

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DURING May a series of meetings will be held in the Department on Wednesdays at 8 p.m. The general arrangements will be similar to the series held last year. A discussion will follow the main paper.

May 4, Prof. W. J. B. Riddell—"European Vacation"; May 11, Dr. Fergus Campbell—"Pupillary Movements"; May 18, Dr. Antoinette Pirie—"The structure of the Vitreous Humour"; May 25, Dr. W. O. G. Taylor—"Bleeding and Clotting within the Eye."

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