

VIENNA PSYCHO-ANALYTICAL SOCIETY

*Second Quarter, 1924**April 9, 1924.* Short communications and reports.

- a. Dr. Hitschmann: Hirschsprung's disease.
- b. Dr. Reich: Twilight-states.
- c. Dr. Jokl: Two dreams.

April 30, 1924. Dr. Reich: Report and discussion of papers read at the Eighth Congress held this year at Salzburg.*May 14, 1924.* Flora Kraus: Masculine and feminine languages among primitive peoples.*May 28, 1924.* Frieda Teller: Development of libido and modification of species.*June 10, 1924.* Dr. Reich: Ambivalency, conflict and ego-ideal.*June 24, 1924.* Dozent Dr. Schilder: The problem of memory.

The following new members were admitted to the Society: Dr. Robert Wälder (Vienna) and Frau Flora Kraus (Vienna).

Obituary

Frau Dr. Hug-Hellmuth

On September 9, 1924, in her fifty-third year, Frau Dr. Hermine Hug-Hellmuth, a member of the Vienna Society, of whose services, especially in the field of child-psychology, our readers need no reminder, was murdered by her eighteen-year-old nephew, Rudolph Hug. In a will made a few days before her death, she expressed a desire that no account of her life and work should appear, even in psycho-analytical publications.

Dr. Siegfried Bernfeld,

*Secretary.**Third Quarter, 1924*

No meetings were held in this Quarter.

List of Members

1. August Aichhorn, Wien, V., Schönbrunnerstrasse 110.
2. Lou Andreas-Salomé, Göttingen, Herzberger Landstrasse 101.
3. Dr. Siegfried Bernfeld, Wien, XIII., Suppégasse 10.
4. Dozent Dr. Felix Deutsch, Wien, I., Wollzeile 33.
5. Dr. Helene Deitsch, Wien, I., Wollzeile 33.
6. Dr. Paul Federn, Wien, I., Riemergasse 1.
7. Dr. Otto Fenichel, Berlin.
8. Dr. Walter Fokschaner, Wien, VI., Kacernengasse 2.
9. Anna Freud, Wien, IX., Berggasse 19.
10. Prof. Dr. Sigm. Freud, Wien, IX., Berggasse 19.
11. Dozent Dr. Josef Friedjung, Wien, I., Ebendorferstrasse 6.
12. Dr. H. von Hattingberg, Berlin.
13. Dr. Eduard Hitschmann, Wien, IX., Währingerstrasse 24.

14. Dr. Wilhelm Hoffer, Wien, IX., Döblingerhauptstrasse 71.
15. Prof. Dr. Guido Holzknacht, Wien, I., Liebiggasse 4.
16. Dr. Ludwig Jekels, Wien, IX., Berggasse 29.
17. Dr. Robert Hans Jokl, Wien, III., Sechskrügelgasse 2.
18. Dr. Michael Kaplan, Wien, I., Elisabethstrasse 10.
19. Dr. Salomea Kempner, Berlin.
20. Flora Kraus, Wien, XVIII., Julienstrasse 44.
21. Prof. Dr. Levi-Bianchini, Nocera Inferiore (Salerno).
22. Dr. Karl Landauer, Frankfurt a. M., Kettenhofweg 17.
23. Dr. I. Marcinowski, Bad Heilbrunn, Isartalbahn, Bayern.
24. Dr. Richard Nepallek, Wien, VIII., Alserstrasse 41.
25. Caroline Newton, Daylesford, Berwick, Pa., U.S.A.
26. Dr. H. Nunberg, Wien, VIII., Florianigasse 20.
27. Prof. Dr. Otto Pözl, Prag, Psychiatrische Klinik.
28. Beate Rank, Wien, I., Grünangerstrasse 3-5.
29. Dr. Otto Rank, Wien, I., Grünangerstrasse 3-5.
30. Dr. Wilhelm Reich, Wien, I., Neutorgasse 8.
31. Dr. Theodor Reik, Wien, IX., Lackierergasse 1 a.
32. Dr. Oskar Rie, Wien, III., Estegasse 1 a.
33. Dr. I. Sadger, Wien, IX., Liechtensteinstrasse 15.
34. Dozent Dr. Paul Schilder, Wien, II., Taborstrasse 11.
35. Walter Schmiederberg, Berlin, Kaiserallee 32.
36. Eugenia Sokolnicka, Paris, VIII., Rue Chevret 30.
37. Dr. Maxim Steiner, Wien, I., Rotenturmstrasse 19.
38. A. J. Storfer, Wien, IX., Porzellangasse 43.
39. Frieda Teller, Prag, III., Plaska 14.
40. Dr. Robert Wälder, Wien, I., Wiplingerstrasse 21.
41. Dr. Karl Weiss, Wien, IV., Schwindgasse 12.
42. Dr. Eduardo Weiss, Trieste, S. Lazzaro 8.
43. Dr. Alfred Winterstein, Wien, XIII., Wattmannngasse 38.

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HUNGARIAN PSYCHO-ANALYTICAL SOCIETY

Second Quarter, 1925

May 2, 1925. Frau V. Kovács: Clinical illustrations of (1) the experimental application of the theory of amphimixis to a case of *tic*; (2) exhibitionistic phantasies in an impotent patient; (3) the rôle of the scrotum in the female castration-complex; (4) infantile material from the analysis of an impotent patient.

June 13, 1925. Dr. S. Pfeifer: The erotic sense of omnipotence. Remarks based on cases observed.

During April and May the Society organized an introductory course of sixteen lectures for physicians and medical students.

Dr. I. Hermann,
Secretary.

INDIAN PSYCHO-ANALYTICAL SOCIETY

First Quarter, 1925

January 25, 1925. Annual meeting. The annual report for 1924 was adopted and the Society's officers and committee for 1925 were elected as follows: *President*: Dr. G. Bose, D.Sc., M.B.; *Secretary*: Dr. M. N. Banerji, M.Sc.; *Committee Members*: Dr. N. N. Sen Gupta, M.A., Ph.D., and Mr. G. Bora, B.A.

March 29, 1925. The President read the first part of his essay on 'The nature of the wish'. A communication on hysterical conversion, written in Bengali and sent by Dr. Sarasilal Sarkar, was read and discussed. Informal meetings, to which guests were invited, to consider various subjects relating to psycho-analysis, were held on most Saturday evenings at the President's house.

M. N. Banerji, M.Sc.,
Secretary.

NEW YORK PSYCHO-ANALYTICAL SOCIETY.

First Quarter, 1925

January, 1925. Business meeting.

The following members were appointed to serve on the Committee for 1925: *President*: Dr. A. A. Brill; *Vice-President*: Dr. Leonard Blumgart; *Secretary and Treasurer*: Dr. Albert Polon; *Committee Members*: Dr. Bernard Glueck, Dr. C. P. Oberndorf and Dr. Adolph Stern.

Scientific Meeting: Clinical communications.

- a. Dr. Polon: Female homosexuality in relation to the castration-complex.
- b. Dr. Lehrman: Analysis of a dream.

February, 1925. Business meeting.

The following new members were elected: Dr. Thaddeus H. Ames, Dr. Isador H. Coriat (Boston), Dr. Dorian Feigenbaum, Dr. Smith Ely Jelliffe, Dr. Leonard Rothchild, Dr. William V. Silverberg, Dr. Arthur G. Laine (Morris Plains, N.J.).

Scientific meeting. Dr. A. Kardiner: Traumatic neurosis.

March, 1925. Business meeting.

Addresses by the out-going President, Dr. Stern, and the new President, Dr. Brill.

New Member.—Dr. L. P. Clark was elected to membership.

Scientific meeting. Clinical communications:

- a. Dr. Stern: Mother-libido in the analysis of a patient.
- b. Dr. Oberndorf: A little girl's penis-phantasy.

M. A. Meyer,
Secretary.

SWISS PSYCHO-ANALYTICAL SOCIETY

Second Quarter, 1925

June 6, 1925. The spring meeting was held in the Cantonal Asylum at Königsfeld.

Dr. med. F. Blattner: Psychology of a case of failure to recognize pregnancy.

July 4, 1925. Dr. med. E. Blum: Clinical communications on symbolism and symptom-formation.

VIENNA PSYCHO-ANALYTICAL SOCIETY

Fourth Quarter, 1924

October 15, 1924. Dr. Robert Wälder: Creative thought and schizophrenic thinking.

October 28, 1924. General meeting.

Election of Officers:—

President: Professor Freud.

Vice-President: Dr. Federn.

Secretaries: Drs. Rank, Bernfeld.

Treasurer: Dr. Nepallek.

Librarian: Dr. Reik.

November 12, 1924. Aurel Kolnai: Max Scheler's criticism of psycho-analysis.

November 26, 1924. Dr. Helene Deutsch: The psychology of the climacteric in women.

December 10, 1924. Dr. Anny Angel (guest of the Society): Psycho-analysis of puberty in women.

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December 17, 1924. Frau Melanie Klein (Berlin): Psycho-logical basis of psycho-analysis of young children.

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January 21, 1925. Dr. Wilhelm Reich: The instinctual character.

February 4, 1925. Discussion. Dr. Robert Joki introduced the question: Is there a special technique for medical psycho-analysis?

February 18, 1925. Business meeting.

It was proposed to alter the constitution of the Society so as to admit of the election of a new category of members, viz., Associate Members.

March 4, 1925. Dr. Alfred Winterstein: Puberty-rites in girls.

March 18, 1925. Extraordinary General Meeting: The constitution was altered in accordance with the proposals of February 18.

Short communications:

a. Dr. Helene Deutsch: Psychogenesis of a case of *tic*.

b. Dr. Wilhelm Reich: Clinical considerations with reference to disturbances in menstruation.

c. Dr. Wilhelm Reich: The analytic situation and phantasies of birth.

We have to add to the last report that at the General Meeting on October 28, 1924, Dr. Hitschmann was re-elected as Director of the Clinic of the Vienna Psycho-Analytical Society and member of the Committee.

Training Institute of the Vienna Psycho-Analytical Society

In January, 1925, the Training Institute of the Vienna Psycho-Analytical Society was inaugurated with fifteen students. The purpose of the Institute is in the first instance to train future psycho-analysts and, further, to extend the knowledge of psycho-analytical theory, especially in its bearing on questions of education. The training of psycho-analysts includes (1) their own analysis for purposes of instruction; (2) theoretical training by means of lectures, seminars, demonstrations and the use of the Institute's library; (3) practical training by conducting analyses under the supervision of the Institute. The patients so analysed are mainly drawn from the clinic of the Vienna Psycho-Analytical Society. The course covers two years. The direction of the Institute was entrusted to the following members:

President: Dr. Helene Deutsch.

Vice-President: Dr. Siegfried Bernfeld.

Secretary: Anna Freud.

The teaching staff is as follows: Dr. Federn, Dr. Hitschmann, Dr. Nunberg, Dr. Reich.

Communications should be addressed to Dr. Helene Deutsch, Vienna I, Wollzeile 33.

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April 1, 1925. Short communications:

a. Dr. Hitschmann: Some remarks on phimoses.

b. Dozent Dr. Schilder and Dr. Sugar: Anal complexes in schizophrenia.

April 22, 1925. Short communications:

a. Dr. Nunberg: Abraham's method of sub-division of the pre-genital phases.

b. Dr. Reich: A further contribution to the problem of disturbances of menstruation.

c. Dr. Nunberg: The connection between the fear of death, the castration-complex and anal erotism.

May 6, 1925. Short communications:

a. Dr. Nunberg: Thoughts of death in dreams.

b. Dr. Reich: Character-types of those wrecked by success.

May 20, 1925. Dr. Reich: Review of Reik's pamphlet: *Geständniszwang und Strafbedürfnis*.

June 3, 1925. Discussion on Psycho-Analysis and Education. The discussion was opened by Dr. Federn. The following members spoke: Anna Freud, Dr. Reich, Dr. Meng (guest of the Society), Dr. Bernfeld, Dr. Wälder, Dr. Friedjung, Dr. E. Bibring, Dr. Helene Deutsch.

June 10, 1925. Continuation of the discussion of June 3.

June 24, 1925. Dr. Reich: The process of cure in an early case of schizophrenia.

New Associate Members

Frau Dr. Anny Angel, Vienna VII, Döblergasse 2. Herr Dr. Eduard Bibring, Vienna VI, Esterhazygasse 25. Frau Dr. Grete Bibring, Vienna VI, Esterhazygasse 25. Herr Dr. Otto Isakower, Vienna IX, Van Swietengasse 1. Herr Dr. Richard Sterba, Vienna VI, Esterhazygasse 15. Herr Dr. Nikolaus Sugar, Subotica, Jugoslavia (temporary address).

Dr. Siegfried Bernfeld,

Secretary.

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