

# ORTHOPAEDIC BURSARY

We are indebted to Miss Erlank for the interesting account of the steps that are being taken by her Council to ensure that the interests of the South African cripple are being well looked after.

Readers will note that the National Council for the Care of Cripples, realising that Physiotherapy can make a valuable contribution to this great work, has made available a grant of £300 towards the orthopaedic training of a physiotherapist.

Members wishing to apply for this grant are asked to communicate with the General Secretary, S.A.S.P., 53 Pasteur Chambers, Jeppe Street, Johannesburg.

The following recommendations were submitted by the S.A.S.P. and were accepted by the National Council.

1. The grant shall amount to £300.
2. Selection of candidate to be made by the Orthopaedic Group in consultation with the Central Executive Committee of the S.A. Society of Physiotherapists.

3. The selected physiotherapist should have had not less than two years experience, and preference to be given to those with experience in orthopaedics.
4. The successful applicant must undertake one year's study in orthopaedic institutions overseas.
5. Service on return to South Africa to be three years at the discretion of the National Council for the Care of Cripples.
6. An itinerary approved of by the National Council for the Care of Cripples to be adhered to, and any alternative thereto to be subject to the approval of an approved authority overseas.

It seems opportune to mention here that the good work done by Miss Susie Oosthuizen, the Society's representative on the National Council for the Care of Cripples, has been largely instrumental in securing this bursary.

## Certificate of Appreciation

*Presented to*

**Mrs. J. Corder and Members Physiotherapy Society**

*In grateful acknowledgment of your generous participation  
in the Easter Stamp Campaign.*

**J. MERKIN, Chairman Southern Transvaal.**

Reproduction of the Certificate of Appreciation presented by the Organiser of the Easter Stamp Campaign to Mrs. J. M. Corder and members of the S.A.S.P., nobly assisted by student physiotherapists, for their efforts in assisting with the sale of Easter Stamps.

## Social and Personal

Miss Pauline Boddy, of Leeds, arrived in the Union in January, 1948, to take up an appointment in King Edward VIII. Hospital, Durban. Latest news is that on July 10th she was led down the aisle by Sub-Lieut. Peter R. Sanderson, R.N., also of Leeds. Nice work, Pauline, and best wishes to both of you.

A hearty welcome is extended to the following new members:—Miss J. Plummer of the National Hospital, Bloemfontein; Mrs. Ethel Woolf of Steynsrust, O.F.S.; Mr. V. Lerm of Windhoek, S.W.A.; Mr. Rothberg of Johannesburg.

Miss K. M. Limerick has recently returned to the Union after an absence of 13 years and is a very active member of the Society.

## Training Notes

Miss C. G. Troughton, Miss Susie Oosthuizen and Miss M. Douglas have again been invited by the Council of the University of the Witwatersrand to act as external examiners in the November examination in Physiotherapy.

Miss J. Blair and Miss A. Shunn will be internal examiners as before.

Miss K. M. Limerick and Mrs. Judge are assisting in the training of students at the University. We congratulate Mrs. Judge on the occasion of her marriage.