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Collegium Internationale Allergologicum
At the 11th Symposium of the Collegium in Heidelberg, May 9-12, 1976, Prof. Paul Kallós (Helsingborg, Sweden), Prof. M. M. Meyer (Baltimore, Md.) and Prof. A. G. Osler (New York, N. Y.) have been elected honorary members of the Collegium.

Immunotherapy of Malignant Diseases
Meeting of the International Association for Chemo- and Immunotherapy and the International Association for the Promotion of Clinical and Experimental Research in Medicine, Vienna, November 9-10, 1977.
Organizing Committee: E. Deutsch, P. Höcker, K. Moser, H. Rainer and A. Stacher.

International Symposium on Cell-Separation and Cryobiology
Scientific Committee: H. Bergmann, H. Borberg, E. Deutsch, R. Gross, K. Moser and A. Stacher. All correspondence to: Dr. H. Rainer, c/o Wiener Medizinische Akademie, Alser Strasse 4, A-1090 Wien, Austria.

WHO Immunology Unit
As a consequence of the activities in the immunology of parasitic diseases and in the light of his past experience of immunology research and training, Howard C. Goodman, Head of the Immunology Unit since its inception in 1963, was asked to initiate the WHO Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases. This Special Programme has been launched and now Dr. Goodman will take on broader responsibilities in the WHO Office of Research Promotion and Development. Responsibility for the Immunology Unit has now been taken by Dr. Giorgio Torrigiani. Dr. David S. Rowe, Director of the WHO Collaborating Centre for Immunoglobulins and Head of the WHO Immunology Research and Training Centre in Lausanne has also joined the WHO Special Programme for Tropical Diseases.

Dr. Felix Milgrom Honored
The Medical Faculty of the University of Vienna conferred the degree of honorary doctor of medicine on Prof. Felix Milgrom, Chairman of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology of the State University of New York Medical School at Buffalo, joint-editor-in-chief of the International Archives and Presidentelect of the Collegium Internationale Allergologicum.

Obituary
Professor John R. Marrack, emeritus professor of chemical pathology at the London Hospital Medical College and since his retirement research associate at the M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute in the University of Texas at Houston, died on June 13, 1976, at the age of 89. Professor Marrack is the author of the pioneering book The Chemistry of Antigens and Antibodies (Medical Research Council Monographs, London 1934). Professor Marrack was a Honorary Member of the Collegium Internationale Allergologicum.