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Introduction

This volume is primarily composed of selected papers reported at the International Migraine and Headache Symposium held in Florence on May 25th to 27th, 1970. The participants of the Symposium are a distinguished group of international investigators working in the field of headache. These papers have been published with minimal editorial changes to preserve the style and thought of the authors.

Three papers not presented at the Symposium have been added to complete this Volume: ‘Investigation of Headache’, by E. Graeme Robertson; ‘Cluster Headache’, by John M. Sutherland and Mervyn J. Eadie; and ‘Psychology and Neuropsychology in Migraine’, by Gerhard S. Barolin.

We hope that this collection of papers will provide not only practical help in the clinical aspects of the headache problem but also knowledge concerning new areas of investigation in the pathogenesis of migraine and headache. I wish to thank the authors and particularly Professor Sicuteri,
whose efforts made this volume possible.

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