

Frontiers of Criminology

A British Congress on Crime will be held at University College, London, from 5th-9th September 1966 to celebrate the centenary of the Howard League for Penal Reform and its parent body, the Howard Association. It is being sponsored by the three national societies concerned with the study of criminal behaviour and the treatment of crime, i.e., the Institute for the Study and Treatment of Delinquency, the British Society of Criminology and the Howard League for Penal Reform. The purpose of the Congress, which is the first of its kind in this country, is to bring together three groups of people: those who teach, or do research in, criminology, sociology, psychiatry, social administration, psycho-analysis, law and case-work; those who seek to apply the principles that are being discovered and taught; and those who are engaged in managing and administering social and penal services. The aim is to take stock of what is known and of what is not known and to perceive the frontiers of criminology so that progress can be made beyond them.

Further details and application form from the Howard League for Penal Reform, 6 Endsleigh Street, London, W.C.1.

A Weekend Course on Alcoholism and Addiction

Under the auspices of the British Post-graduate Medical Federation a weekend course on Alcoholism and Addiction for general practitioners and local authority medical officers was held at St Bernard's Hospital on 23rd and 24th April 1966.