

## REVIEWS

*A new Journal "Rovisco Pais"*, a Portuguese Review of Leprosy, has just issued its first number of its first volume January to April 1962. We give a warm welcome to this new leprosy journal, and give some account of it. It is produced by an editorial committee at the Hospital-Colonia Rovisco Pais, Tocha, Portugal. The first number is well produced and printed and contains 109 pages with many illustrations. The work of the Technical Committee on Leprology is first described and the following original articles given:

1. The Lepromin Reaction of the Staff and Officials of the Hospital—Colonia, by P. DE. MAGALHAES BASTO and H. SEABRA SANTOS, pp. 24–30.
2. A Trial of Ciba-1906 in hospital inpatients of Rovisco Pais, by A. JOSE DE FIGUIEREDO BARBOSA, pp. 31–59, and
3. The Residual Aspect of Chronic Pyodermitis in Childhood, considered in the Differential Diagnosis of Leprosy, by J. OWEN PINTO, pp. 62–68.
4. The Decompression of the Cubital Nerve in Leprosy, by J. VEIGA VIEIRA, pp. 71–81. There are 13 illustrations to this paper.

The Journal "Rovisco Pais" also contains many interesting notes and short articles, such as "The Politics of Leprosy in Portugal", Bibliography of the Activities of the Institute of Assistance to Leprosy Patients and of the Hospital—Colonia Rovisco Pais, Activity of the Services, and the Movement of Patients.