ophthalmoscope is responsible for this. The percentage of successful results was low in most places.

I cannot speak too highly of the kindness, hospitality, and courtesy which I encountered everywhere I went, and which made my visit so very enjoyable.

Yours, etc.,

EDWARD C. ZORAB.

SOUTHAMPTON, 1938.

TRIAL FRAME SPIRIT LEVEL

To the Editors of THE BRITISH JOURNAL OF OPHTHALMOLOGY.

DEAR SIRs,—With regard to the trial frame spirit level device, Mr. McKie Reid obviously has priority by several years.

The device, which I first produced in 1935, was shown at the Oxford Congress (or rather the B.M.A. meeting which replaced it) and was shown subsequently at the North of England Ophthalmological Society—on whose agenda it appears in December, 1936.

I am afraid some of our mutual colleagues must be a little unobservant, as Mr. McKie Reid's letter is the first intimation I have had that anybody had produced a similar device.

I am glad to find that someone else has found the necessity for such an arrangement, as there quite a few cases in my opinion, in which it is necessary to use it.

Yours faithfully,

JOHN FOSTER.

45, PARK SQUARE, LEEDS, 1.

October 11, 1938.

OBITUARY

G. E. de SCHWEINITZ

It is with great regret that we record the death of Dr. George Edmund de Schweinitz on August 22, 1938.

De Schweinitz was born in October, 1858, the son of Bishop Edmund de Schweinitz, of the Moravian Church, Bethlehem. He was educated at Bethlehem Moravian College and at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School, graduating in 1881. As an