

Editorial

In this issue we publish the first of an invited series of Editorials written by a distinguished member of BAPS under the pen-name of "Tagliacotian".

The intention is that these should appear in alternate issues. They will add an element of quizzical comment on the contemporary plastic surgery scene, which has been missing from this

Journal and which will delight some and probably infuriate others. We hope that their deliberately provocative nature will stimulate our readers at home and abroad to write in reply.

We must emphasise that "Tagliacotian's" views are not necessarily those of the British Association of Plastic Surgeons.