

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

(Meetings marked with an asterisk * are open to the public)

Monday, April 28

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Physiology Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 4.45 p.m.—Prof. John T. Edsall (Harvard): "Chemical Structure, Interaction and Fractionation of Proteins".* (Further Lectures on May 5, 12, 19 and 26.)

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE, PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE GROUP (in the Joint Staff Common Room, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. K. R. Popper: "Scientific Origins of some Philosophical Problems".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at Birkbeck College, Malet Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. H. S. M. Coxeter, F.R.S.: "Non-Euclidean Networks and Quadratic Forms, I, Non-Euclidean Geometry".* (Further Lectures on April 30 and May 2.)

Monday, April 28—Saturday, May 3

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, RADIO SECTION (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2).—Convention on "The British Contribution to Television".

Tuesday, April 29

ROYAL ANTHROPOLOGICAL INSTITUTE (at 21 Bedford Square, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. Stephen Morris: "Rank and Class in a Sarawak Village".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. D. O. Hebb (McGill): "The Development of Perception and Thought".* (Further Lectures on April 30 and May 2.)

SOCIETY OF INSTRUMENT TECHNOLOGY (joint meeting with the CONTROL SECTION, at the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Dr. W. E. Hick: "Why the Human Operator?"

Wednesday, April 30

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Royal Veterinary College, Royal College Street, London, N.W.1), at 4 p.m.—Prof. C. Romijn (Utrecht): "Problems of Respiration and Heat Regulation in Domestic Animals, especially in Poultry".* (Further Lectures on May 1 and 2.)

WOOL EDUCATION SOCIETY (at the Royal Institution, Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 7 p.m.—Dr. Allan Fraser: "Sheep Husbandry and Wool Growing in Britain".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Institute of Archaeology, Inner Circle, Regent's Park, London, N.W.1), at 8.15 p.m.—"Archaeology and the Natural Sciences, I, Archaeology and Geology".* (Further Lectures on May 7, 14, 21, 28, June 4 and 11.)

Wednesday, April 30—Thursday, May 1

IRON AND STEEL INSTITUTE.—Annual General Meeting.

Wednesday, April 30

At 11.45 a.m. (at the Royal Institution, 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1).—Prof. E. N. da C. Andrade, F.R.S.: "The Flow of Metals" (Sixth Hatfield Memorial Lecture).

At 2.30 p.m. (at 4 Grosvenor Gardens, London, S.W.1).—Discussion on "Cold Rolling"; at 4 p.m.—Discussion on "Softening of Metals during Cold Work".

Thursday, May 1

At 10 a.m. (at 4 Grosvenor Gardens, London, S.W.1).—Discussion on "Open-Hearth Furnace Combustion Problems"; at 11.45 a.m.—Discussion on "Air Filtration and Roof Wear in Open-Hearth Furnaces"; at 2.15 p.m.—Discussion on "Hydrogen in Steel".

Thursday, May 1

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 10.30 a.m.—Discussion on "The Structure of Proteins".

INSTITUTE OF FUEL (at the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Storey's Gate, St. James's Park, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. R. G. Jarvis: "The Railways and Coal".*

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. C. W. Allen: "The Framework of Astronomy" (Inaugural Lecture).*

BRITISH GLACIOLOGICAL SOCIETY (in the Department of Geography, Downing Place, Cambridge), at 8.15 p.m.—Mr. Maynard M. Miller: "The Juneau Ice Field, Alaska".

Friday, May 2

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, NEWCASTLE AND DURHAM SECTION (in the Chemistry Building, King's College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. J. S. Anderson: "Recent Advances in the Chemistry of the Heaviest Elements" (Bedson Club Lecture). (All Fellows are invited.)

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at Storey's Gate, St. James's Park, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. Robert Ashman: "The Control and Recovery of Dust and Fume in Industry"; Dr. H. Heywood: "Filter Efficiency and Standardization of Test Dust".

SOCIETY OF PUBLIC ANALYSTS AND OTHER ANALYTICAL CHEMISTS, SCOTTISH SECTION (in the North British Hotel, Princes Street, Edinburgh), at 7 p.m.—Mr. J. K. McLellan: "Chemistry and the Law".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Royal Holloway College, Englefield Green, Surrey), at 8.15 p.m.—Mr. F. Kingdon-Ward: "Botanical Explorations in Assam". (Admission by invitation from the Principal.)

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Prof. W. D. Wright: "New Studies on Defective Colour Vision".

Friday, May 2—Saturday, May 3

PHYSICAL SOCIETY (in the Department of Physics, Birkbeck College, Malet Street, London, W.C.1).—Symposium on "Recent Developments in the Field of X-Ray Physics".

Saturday, May 3

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY EDUCATION SECTION (in Room 151, Institute of Education, Malet Street, London, W.C.1), at 2.30 p.m.—Dr. C. Sanders: "Selection for Australian Universities—a Review of Research".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

APPLICATIONS are invited for the following appointments on or before the dates mentioned:

ASSISTANT EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER at the Animal Research Station of the Agricultural Research Council's Unit of Animal Reproduction at Cambridge—Dr. A. Walton, Animal Research Station, Huntingdon Road, Cambridge (May 3).

BIOCHEMIST for duties in the Group Pathological Laboratory—the Group Pathologist, Kingston Hospital Pathological Laboratory, 37 Coombe Road, Kingston, Surrey (May 3).

SENIOR LECTURER IN METALLURGICAL ANALYSIS to Honours B.Sc. (Metallurgy) standard—The Registrar, College of Technology, Suffolk Street, Birmingham 1 (May 3).

SENIOR LECTURER IN PRODUCTION ENGINEERING—The Principal, Royal Aircraft Establishment Technical College, Farnborough, Hants (May 3).

SENIOR SCIENTIFIC TECHNOLOGIST (Ref. TT/449) to take charge of the analytical work of the laboratory, and well experienced in fuel analysis, and SCIENTIFIC TECHNOLOGISTS (chemists or physicists, preferably of degree standard, and trained in fuel analysis) (Ref. TT/450), in the Carbonization Department of the Central Research Establishment at Stoke Orchard, Cheltenham—The National Coal Board, Establishments (Personnel), Hobart House, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1, quoting the appropriate Ref. No. (May 3).

PRINCIPAL OF THE MUNICIPAL TECHNICAL COLLEGE—The Director of Education, Education Office, St. Helens (May 9).

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN MATHEMATICS—The Registrar, University College, Cathays Park, Cardiff (May 10).

CHEMIST (Ref. TT.455) (with a good honours degree or equivalent qualification) for analytical investigational work, a SENIOR SCIENTIFIC TECHNOLOGIST (Ref. TT.456) (with a good general training in chemistry up to degree standard and experience in organizing and supervising the work of a laboratory), and a SCIENTIFIC TECHNOLOGIST I (Ref. TT.457) (with a good general training in chemistry, preferably up to degree standard), in the Coal Survey Laboratory at Birmingham—The National Coal Board, Establishments (Personnel), Hobart House, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1, quoting the appropriate Ref. No. (May 10).

EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER at the Food Investigation, Torry Research Station, Aberdeen, to assist in physical research, both fundamental and applied, related to the processes of curing, drying and freezing of biological material—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting A.116/52A (May 10).

SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER IN CHEMISTRY, and a SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER IN ZOOLOGY, at the Nigerian College of Arts, Science and Technology—The Secretary, Advisory Committee on Colonial Colleges, 15 Victoria Street, London, S.W.1 (May 10).

READERSHIP IN ANATOMY at the Royal Free Hospital School of Medicine—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (May 12).

BIOCHEMIST (with a Medical degree or a Master of Science degree with biochemistry as a major subject and at least 5 years experience in a biochemical department of a large hospital, University medical school or research institute) to supervise the routine biochemical work of the Royal Perth Hospital and associated hospitals, to carry out the more specialized types of biochemical investigations such as hormone assays and to undertake research in such problems—The Agent-General for Western Australia, Savoy House, 115-116 Strand, London, W.C.2 (May 15).

LASSON RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS in the chemotherapy of tuberculosis (one in chemistry and one in bacteriology or biochemistry)—The President, University College, Dublin (May 15).

LECTURER IN AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTRY, and a LECTURER IN PEDOLOGY—The Registrar, Wye College, Wye, Ashford, Kent (May 15).

PSYCHOLOGISTS in the Admiralty, War Office, and Prison Commission—The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, 6 Burlington Gardens, London, W.1, quoting No. 75/52 (May 15).

LECTURER IN TAXONOMY—The Secretary, The University, Birmingham 3 (May 17).

SENIOR RESEARCH OFFICER or RESEARCH OFFICER (Entomologist) in the DIVISION OF ENTOMOLOGY, Canberra, to work on biological control, with particular reference to weeds—The Chief Scientific Liaison Officer, Australian Scientific Liaison Office, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting No. 3707 (May 17).

GEOLOGISTS under the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (to field and laboratory posts in connexion with radioactive mineral investigation (qualifications in mineralogy, petrography or mining geology being essential) and to the Geological Survey and Museum, palaeontological, geophysical or field staff)—The Civil Service Commission, Scientific Branch, Trinidad House, Old Burlington Street, London, W.1, quoting S.168/52 (May 22).