## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

### Sunday, June 21

INTERNATIONAL HAMOPHILIA SOCIETY (at the Seymour Hall, Seymour Place, London, W.1), at 2 p.m.—General Meeting.\*

## Monday, June 22

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 3 p.m.—Annual General Meeting.

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE (in the Lecture Theatre, Science Museum, Exhibition Road, London, S.W.7), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. Philip George: "The Scientific Movement and the Development of Chemistry in England from 1664-5 until 1750, as seen in the papers published in the Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at King's College, Strand, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. Karl K. Darrow: "Solid-State Electronics".\* (Further Lectures on June 23, 25 and 26.)

#### Tuesday, June 23

SOCIETY FOR ENDOCRINOLOGY (at the Royal Society of Medicine, 1 Wimpole Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. Charles Huggins (Chicago): "The Prostatic Glands as Targets for Steroids".\*

## Thursday, June 25

ROYAL SCOTTISH FORESTRY SOCIETY (in the Meeting Pavilion, Room B, Royal Highland Show, Alloa), at 2 p.m.—Mr. Frank Oliver: "The Gale of 31st January 1953—an Appreciation of the Situation".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Physiology Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 4.45 p.m.—Prof. J. H. Quastel, F.R.S.: "The Action of Drugs on Enzyme Systems".\*

# APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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APPLICATIONS are invited for the following appointments on or before the dates mentioned:
BIOCHEMIST (honours science graduate) primarily for research duties in the Geriatric Department of the Sunderland Hospital Group, carried out mainly at the Sunderland General Hospital—The Senior Administrative Medical Officer, Newcastle Regional Hospital Board, Blythswood South, Osborne Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne 3 (June 27).
DEMONSTRATORS (2) IN INORGANIO CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, King's College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne (June 27).
PRINCIPAL OF CROYDON POLYTECHNIC—The Chief Education Officer, Education Office, Katharine Street, Croydon, Surrey (June 27).
SENIOR LECTURER TO TEACH METALLURGY, a LECTURER TO TEACH INORGANIC AND PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY, and a LECTURER TO TEACH ALL BRANCHES OF PHYSICS, at the College of Commerce and Technology—The Director of Education, Leopoid Street, Sheffield 1 (June 27).
ASSISTANT (Experimental Officer grade) IN THE PATHOLOGY DEPARTMENT, for routine work on selection and indexing of fruit stocks for virus infection and assistance with experimental work on plant virus diseases—The Secretary, Scottish Horticultural Research Institute, Mylnefield, Invergowrie, Dundee (June 30).
ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS (2) AT THE NIGERIAN COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY—The Secretary, Advisory Committee on Colonial Colleges, 15 Victoria Street, London, S.W.1 (June 30).
LECTURER IN APPLIED CHEMISTRY (with honours degree or equivalent, with teaching and industrial or research experience)—The Principal, Royal Aicraft Establishment Technical College, Farnborough, Hants (June 30) and Lecturer in Genetics, at the University College of the Gold Coast—The Secretary, Inter-University

Hants (June 30).

IESUTURER IN PHYSICS, and a LECTURER IN GENETICS, at the University College of the Gold Coast—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education in the Colonies, 1 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (June 30).

ASSISTANT LECTURER TO TEACH CHEMISTRY to H.N.C. and A.R.I.C. standard, at the Technical College of Monmouthshire, Crumlin—The Director of Education, County Hall, Newport, Mon. (July 1).

SPEECH THERAPIST IN CHARGE OF THE SPEECH THERAPY CLINICS—The Clerk of the County Council, County Hall, Newport, 1. of W. (July 1).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (Grade III) IN PHYSIOLOGY (veterinary)—

The Clerk of the County Council, County Hall, Newport, I. of W. (July 1).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (Grade III) IN PHYSIOLOGY (veterinary)—
The Registrar and Secretary, The University, Bristol (July 4).

DIRECTOR—The Secretary, Hill Farming Research Organization, Moredun Institute, Gilmerton, Edinburgh 9 (July 4).

I.C.I. RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS IN PHYSIOS, CHEMISTRY, METALURGY, ENGINEERING OR GEOLOGY, or in a subject allied to these—The Registrar, University of Wales, University Registry, Cathays Park, Cardiff (July 4).

LECTURER IN PHILOSOPHY—The Registrar, King's College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne (July 4).

METALURGIST at the Ministry of Supply, London headquarters, to assist in research and development work on metallic materials for aircraft construction and to progress research contracts with Universities, Research Associations, Materials Manufacturers and Aircraft Constructors—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting F.245/53A (July 4).

PHYSICAL CHEMIST at a Ministry of Supply Research Establishment near Sevenoaks—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting F.246/53A (July 4).

LECTURER IN BACTERIOLOGY at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow—The Secretary of University Court, The University, Glasgow (July 8).

ASSISTANT AGRICULTURAL ECONOMISTS in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries—The Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W.1, quoting 4219/53 (July 9).

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS in Ministry of Supply Experimental Establishments mainly at Malvern, Farnborough, Christchurch and Sevenoaks, for research, development or design in telecommunications, radar, electronics, instrumentation or light electrical measurements—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting D.232/33A (July 10).

JUNIOR LECTURER IN APPLIED PHARMACOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS—The Dean, St. Thomas's Hospital Medical School, London, S.E.1 (July 10).

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DIRECTOR (with university degree in agriculture or horticulture) of the States' Experimental Station—The Secretary, Department of Agriculture, 6 Bond Street, St. Heller, Jersey, C.I. (July 11).

SENIOR LECTURER IN PHYSICS at the University of Hong Kong—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 5 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (July 15).

ORGANIC CHEMIST as Research Assistant to the Professor of Medical Chemistry in the John Curtin School of Medical Research, Canberra, for research on the synthesis of new heterocyclic compounds, in particular, pteridines, pyrimidines and pyrsaines—The Secretary, London Office of the Australian National University, 27 Itussell Square, London, W.C.1 (July 17).

RESEARCH OFFICER (Protein Chemist) (with university honours degree in science with physical—organic—or biochemistry as major subjects and, preferably, research experience in some aspect of protein chemistry) in the Biochemistry unit of the Wool Textile Research Laboratory, Parksville, Melbourne, to study the chemical composition and reactivity of collagen by application of physical organic or biochemical procedures used in this laboratory for research on wool keratin—The Chief Scientific Liaison Office, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting No. 462/56 (July 18).

LECTURER IN MINING (with a university degree in mining and a first-class Colliery Manager's Certificate), and a DEMONSTRATOR IN CHEMICAL PATHOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (July 20).

PHYSICIST (honours graduate) to assist in problems related to the

LECTURER IN MINING (with a university degree in mining and a first-class Colliery Manager's Certificate), and a DEMONSTRATOR IN CHEMICAL PATRIOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (July 20).

PHYSICIST (honours graduate) to assist in problems related to the treatment of cancer by X-rays, radium and telecobalt—The Secretary and House Governor, Mount Vernon Hospital and Radium Institutes, Northwood, Middx (July 25).

PHYSICIST or METALLURGIST (Ph.D., with additional research experience, or equivalent qualifications, are essential) in the Division of TRIBOPHYSICS of the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization, located at the University of Melbourne, to work with its metal physics group—The Chief Scientific Liaison Officer, Australian Scientific Liaison Officer, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting No. 37/81 (July 25).

DIRECTOR (with the status of Professor) Of the Newly Established Officer, Australian Scientific Liaison Officer, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, (July 31).

Senior Arsekarch Unit located in the University of the Witwatersrand Oral and Dental Hospital at Johannesburg—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 5 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (July 31).

Senior Lectureer in Geology (specialized either in stratigraphy and palæontology, or in economic or mining geology), at the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 5 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (July 31).

Lecture in the Department of Chemistry at University College of Fort Hare, South Africa—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 5 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (August 1).

Assistant Professor of Micro-Anatomy (histology and embryology), and an Assistant Professor of Micro-Anatomy (histology and embryology), and an Assistant Professor of Micro-Anatomy (histology and embryology), and an Assistant Professor of Micro-Anatomy (histology and embryology), and an Assistant Prof

ment of Metallurgical Engineering, University of Total Ont., Canada.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (graduate preferred) In the Department of Inorganic and Physical Chemistry, for the preparation of crystallographic data and the coding of problems for calculations on an electronic computer, and also the actual running of problems through the computer—Prof. E. G. Cox, Chemistry Department, The University, Leeds 2.

Wool Textile Research Council Scholarships (a) for work on infra-red spectrometry and (b) for work in wool textile technology—The Principal, Technical College, Bradford.