

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

### Saturday, January 31

**NUTRITION SOCIETY, SCOTTISH GROUP** (in the Anatomy Lecture Theatre, Marischal College, Aberdeen), at 1.20 p.m.—Conference on "The Psychology of Eating".

### Monday, February 2

**UNIVERSITY OF LONDON** (at the London School of Economics and Political Science, Houghton Street, Aldwych, London, W.C.2), at 5 p.m.—Prof. H. Lauterpacht: "The Revision of the Laws of War".\*

**SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS** (at the Geological Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. G. N. Swayne: Presidential Address.

**SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, LONDON SECTION** (joint meeting with the **PLASTICS AND POLYMER GROUP**, at the Chemical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Dr. D. Traill: "The New Wool-like Fibres".

**ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, LONDON SECTION** (joint meeting with the **ALEMBCI CLUB**, in the Physical Chemical Laboratory, The University, Oxford), at 8 p.m.—Symposium on "Research in Industry compared with Research in Universities".

### Tuesday, February 3

**UNIVERSITY OF LONDON** (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 1.15 p.m.—Dr. E. Wiesenberg: "The Dead Sea Scrolls".\*

### Wednesday, February 4

**BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY, INDUSTRIAL SECTION** (in Room 105, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, London, W.C.1), at 1 p.m.—Mr. R. Marriott: "Some Problems in Attitude Survey Methods".

**ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS** (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 2.30 p.m.—Mr. I. D. Wratten: "A Century of Photography" (Peter Le Neve Foster Lecture).

**GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON** (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

**UNIVERSITY OF LONDON** (at Bedford College, Regent's Park, London, N.W.1), at 5.15 p.m.—Mr. G. de Q. Robin: "The Recent Antarctic Expedition" ("Recent Exploration and Discovery", 1).\* (Further Lectures on February 11 and 17.)

**UNIVERSITY OF LONDON** (at King's College, Strand, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. W. J. Gibbs: "High Frequency Machines—Inductor Generators and Couplings".\* (Further Lectures on February 18 and March 4.)

### Thursday, February 5

**UNIVERSITY OF LONDON** (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 1.15 p.m.—Dr. K. A. Kernack: "The Origin of Mammals".\*

**CHEMICAL SOCIETY** (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 2.30 p.m. and 7.30 p.m.—Symposium on "Acetylene Chemistry".

**SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, CORROSION GROUP** (joint meeting with the **NOTTINGHAM SECTION OF THE S.C.I.**, at the Gas Showrooms, Parliament Street, Nottingham), at 7.15 p.m.—Dr. J. C. Hudson and Mr. J. F. Stanners: "Atmospheric Corrosion and Atmospheric Pollution".

### Friday, February 6

**PHYSICAL SOCIETY** (in the Department of Meteorology, Imperial College of Science and Technology, Exhibition Road, London, S.W.7), at 2.15 p.m.—Discussion on "Physics of the Upper Atmosphere".\*

**ROYAL INSTITUTE OF PHILOSOPHY** (at University Hall, 14 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. J. N. Findlay: "Wittgenstein's Philosophical Studies". (Further Lecture on February 12.)

**SOCIETY OF DYERS AND COLOURISTS, LONDON SECTION** (at the Royal Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. F. Ward: "Methods and Principles of Textile Fireproofing".

**SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, PLASTICS AND POLYMER GROUP** (joint meeting with the **MANCHESTER SECTION**, in the Chemistry Lecture Theatre, The University, Manchester), at 6.30 p.m.—Mr. J. R. Whinfield: "Textile Fibres—Variations on some Familiar Themes" (Jubilee Memorial Lecture).

**SOCIETY OF COSMETIC CHEMISTS OF GREAT BRITAIN** (in the Conference Room, British Colour Council, 13 Portman Square, London, W.1), at 7 p.m.—Dr. J. G. Fife: "Patents".\*

**ROYAL INSTITUTION** (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Dr. Henry Seligman: "Production and Uses of Radioisotopes".

### Saturday, February 7

**LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL** (at the Horniman Museum, London Road, Forest Hill, London, S.E.23), at 3.30 p.m.—Dr. Hurustiati Subandrio: "The Toradja—Peoples of Central Celebes".\*

## APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR** (with a good degree, preferably with first-class honours, in natural science, including chemistry or physics) OF **EXAMINATIONS IN SCIENCE**—The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, 6 Burlington Gardens, London, W.1, quoting No. 4183/53 (February 7).

**PHYSICIST OR ELECTRONIC ENGINEER** to assist in research and clinical work on the applications of physics to diagnostic radiology, and a **PHYSICIST** to assist in work on the medical applications of radioactive isotopes—The Secretary, Institute of Cancer Research, Royal Cancer Hospital, Fulham Road, London, S.W.3 (February 7).

**PHYSIOLOGIST** (with a good honours degree in physiology, or equivalent qualification, and research experience preferably involving the perfusion of isolated organs) for research on the bovine udder—The Secretary, National Institute for Research in Dairying, Shinfield, Reading, quoting Ref. 53/3 (February 7).

**BIOCHEMIST** (principal or senior grade)—The Secretary, South Worcestershire Hospital Management Committee, Royal Infirmary, Worcester (February 9).

**LECTURER IN PHYSIOLOGY**—The Registrar, King's College, Strand, London, W.C.2 (February 14).

**PRINCIPAL OF THE EAST RIDING INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE**, Bishop Burton—The Chief Education Officer, County Hall, Beverley, Yorks (February 14).

**SUPERINTENDING SCIENTIST AT THE LONG RANGE WEAPONS ESTABLISHMENT**, Salisbury, Australia, for the direction of research and development work concerned mainly with methods of investigating the behaviour and performance of guided missiles and with flight research on guided missiles—The Senior Representative, Department of Supply, Canberra House, 87 Jermyn Street, London, S.W.1 (February 14).

**SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ECONOMICS AND PACIFIC HISTORY**, Australian National University, Canberra—The Secretary, London Office of the Australian National University, 27 Russell Square, London, W.C.1 (February 15).

**ASSISTANT INSTRUCTOR IN PHYSICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS** at the Ethiopian Air Force Training School—The Educational Adviser, Imperial Ethiopian Embassy, 17 Princes Gate, London, S.W.7 (February 16).

**ASSISTANT LECTURER OR LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING**—The Registrar, The University, Liverpool (February 23).

**SENIOR LECTURER OR LECTURER IN MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS, AND LECTURERS IN PSYCHOLOGY, VETERINARY ANATOMY, VETERINARY PHYSIOLOGY AND VETERINARY FARM CLINIC**, at the University of Sydney—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the Commonwealth, 5 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (March 7).

**EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGIST FOR CHILD GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT**—The Medical Officer of Health, Civic Centre, Southampton.

**ENGINEERS AND PHYSICISTS** (particularly with electronics) in (a) **SENIOR SCIENTIFIC OFFICER** and **SCIENTIFIC OFFICER** grades (Ref. A.246/52A) and (b) **SENIOR EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER, EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER** and **ASSISTANT EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER** grades (Ref. A.247/52A) in Admiralty Experimental Establishments in London, Portsmouth, Weymouth areas, and Scotland—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting the appropriate Ref. No.

**EXPERIMENTAL OFFICERS IN THE GUIDED WEAPONS DEPARTMENT**, Royal Aircraft Establishment, Farnborough, for work on design, development and performance of new weapons and associated guidance and control systems; instrumentation of flight trials and investigations of trials results—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting D.508/52A.

**GRADUATE** (with honours degree in chemistry or metallurgy) to undertake research in the methods of preventing corrosion of iron and steel—The Personnel Officer, British Iron and Steel Research Association, 11 Park Lane, London, W.1, endorsed 'Corrosion'.

**GRADUATE** (with good honours degree in chemistry or metallurgy) to carry out research into chemical reactions of interest in iron and steel making—The Personnel Officer, British Iron and Steel Research Association, 11 Park Lane, London, W.1, endorsed 'Slags'.

**HEAD STATISTICIAN**—The Director, British Boot, Shoe and Allied Trades Research Association, Satra House, Kettering.

**LECTURER OR ASSISTANT LECTURER IN INORGANIC CHEMISTRY**—The Registrar, The University, Nottingham.

**MINING GEOLOGIST** (with a first- or second-class honours degree in geology, or higher qualification) in the Local Civil Service of the Gold Coast, to undertake geological mapping in the field and underground—The Director of Recruitment (Colonial Service), Colonial Office, Sanctuary Buildings, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1, quoting CDE.105/13/3.

**PHYSICAL METALLURGIST** (university degree or equivalent essential) to carry out research on the ageing of mild steel (location: Sheffield)—The Personnel Officer, British Iron and Steel Research Association, 11 Park Lane, London, W.1, endorsed 'Ageing of Steel'.

**PHYSICIST** interested in mechanics (with an honours degree or equivalent) for study and instrumentation of felting machines—The Director, British Hat and Allied Feltmakers Research Association, Stanley House, Manchester Road, Fairfield, Droylsden, Manchester.

**SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (Grade II) IN THE OPERATIONAL RESEARCH DIVISION** at Euston Square, to undertake research on a wide variety of railway subjects—The Director of Research, Railway Executive, 222 Marylebone Road, London, N.W.1.

**SCIENTIFIC OFFICER OR SENIOR SCIENTIFIC OFFICER** (with an honours degree or its equivalent) for the determination of solidification sequences in cast iron by temperature gradient measurements, as part of an investigation on the soundness of iron castings—The British Cast Iron Research Association, Alvechurch, Birmingham.

**SENIOR SCIENTIFIC OFFICERS** (with at least a second-class honours degree in chemistry or metallurgy, or equivalent, and three years postgraduate research experience) at Sellafield: (Ref. 404) for research in physical and inorganic chemistry (experience in fluorine chemistry, ion exchange, and radiochemical techniques desirable), and (Ref. 405) for research in metallurgy of radioactive materials—The Ministry of Supply, Division of Atomic Energy (Production), Risley, Warrington, Lancs, quoting the appropriate Ref. No.

**TUTORIAL ASSISTANT** (with a good honours degree in mathematics, including statistics) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS, to assist in the first year in statistical research, with a view to appointment as Assistant Lecturer in the field of Statistics and Mathematical Economics—The Registrar, The University, Nottingham.