

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

## Monday, March 8

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE (in the Joint Staff Common Room, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Annual General Meeting. 5.30 p.m.—Dr. Mary Hesse: "The New Problem of Induction".

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Prof. Peter Scott: "The Population Structure of Australian Cities".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRONICS DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. H. E. M. Barlow, F.R.S.: "Screened Surface Waves and Some Possible Applications".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. T. Barnard: "Micro-palaeontology; Past, Present, and Future".\*

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY (at 14 Beilgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Dr. H. M. Stanley: "Some Achievements in Petroleum Chemicals" (Seventh Castner Memorial Lecture).

## Tuesday, March 9

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 1.15 p.m.—Prof. E. H. Thompson: "What is Photogrammetry?"\*

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Economics, Houghton Street, London, W.C.2), at 5 p.m.—Prof. P. E. de Josselin de Jong (Leiden): "Modern Trends in Social Anthropology in Holland". (Studies in Social Anthropology, 1).\*

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS, COMMONWEALTH SECTION (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 5.15 p.m.—Mrs. Graham Spry: "The Expeditions of John Palliser, Explorer of Western Canada, 1847-1861".

INSTITUTION OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (at Great George Street, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. B. A. Berdal and Mr. K. G. Kiel: "Skogfoss Hydroelectric Power Station".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, SCIENCE AND GENERAL DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. F. J. Wilkins, Mr. T. A. Deacon and Mr. R. S. Becker: "A Multijunction Thermal Converter—an Accurate d.c./a.c. Transfer Instrument".

INSTITUTION OF THE RUBBER INDUSTRY, LONDON SECTION (at the National College of Rubber Technology, Northern Polytechnic, Holloway Road, London, N.7), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. P. McL. Swift: "Oil Extension of Natural Rubber"; 7 p.m.—Dr. D. C. Blackley: "Aspects of the Science and Technology of Rubber Latices—Some Recent Developments of Current Interest".

PARLIAMENTARY AND SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE, GENERAL COMMITTEE (in Committee Room 9, House of Commons, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Developments in the Field of Medical Engineering" initiated by Dr. E. G. Melrose and Dr. S. E. Montgomery.

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Sir Lawrence Bragg, O.B.E., F.R.S.: "Waves". (Afternoon lecture for Sixth Form Boys and Girls in Schools from London and the Home Counties. To be repeated on March 10, 16 and 17.)

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. R. A. M. Case: "Demography and the Cancers". (Last of sixteen lectures on "The Scientific Basis of Medicine" organized by the British Postgraduate Medical Federation).\*

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Manson Lecture Theatre, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. G. N. Jenkins: "Recent Trends in Dental Caries".\*

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, AUTOMOBILE DIVISION (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. V. E. Gough: "Tyre and Vehicle Vibration".

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, LONDON SECTION (joint meeting with the Brighton College of Technology Chemical Society, at Brighton College of Technology, Lewes Road, Brighton, Sussex), at 7 p.m.—Prof. J. A. V. Butler, F.R.S.: "Nucleic Acids".

## Tuesday, March 9—Thursday, March 11

INSTITUTE OF METALS (at Church House, Great Smith Street, Westminster, London, S.W.1)—Spring Meeting.

## Wednesday, March 10

INSTITUTE OF NAVIGATION (at the Royal Institution of Naval Architects, 10 Upper Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1), at 3 p.m.—Meeting on "The Economics of Automation".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Institute of Diseases of the Chest, Brompton Hospital, London, S.W.3), at 5 p.m.—Dr. K. F. W. Hinson: "Lungs and Asbestos".\*

INSTITUTE OF PETROLEUM (at 61 New Cavendish Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. T. F. Gaskell: "North Sea Exploration".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRONICS DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. G. King: "Electronic Circuits—Past, Present and Future".

SOCIETY OF INSTRUMENT TECHNOLOGY (at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. E. S. Forster: "Industrial Applications of Thyristors (Silicon Controlled Rectifiers)".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Royal College of Surgeons, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. A. R. Ten Cate: "Histochemical Techniques in the Study of the Cellular Biology of Dental Tissues". (Last of three lectures on "The Scientific Basis of Dentistry" organized by the British Postgraduate Medical Federation).\*

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRONICS AND RADIO ENGINEERS, ELECTRO-ACOUSTICS GROUP (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. F. H. Brittain: "Problems in Listening".

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. D. R. Newman: "Aerodynamics and Performance Demands on Aircraft Engineering" (James Clayton Lecture).

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FOOD GROUP (at the School of Pharmacy, Brunswick Square, London, W.C.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Eighteenth Conversazione.

OFFICE OF HEALTH ECONOMICS (at the Royal Society of Health, 90 Buckingham Palace Road, London, S.W.1), at 8.30 p.m.—Mr. S. C. Jones: "Government Relations with a Research Based Industry".\*

## Wednesday, March 10—Saturday, March 13

ROYAL SOCIETY AND THE GENETICAL SOCIETY (in the Botany Lecture Theatre of the Biological Sciences Building, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1)—Symposium on "From Mendel's Factors to the Genetic Code".

## Thursday, March 11

BRITISH JOINT CORROSION GROUP (at the Hoare Memorial Hall, Church House, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1), at 10 a.m.—Inaugural Meeting. Dr. Ulrik R. Evans: "Some Problems Facing the British Joint Corrosion Group", followed by Discussion on "The Influence of Metal Structure on Corrosion".

MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY (at the Geological Society of London, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Economics, Houghton Street, Aldwych, London, W.C.2), at 5 p.m.—Prof. P. E. de Josselin de Jong (Leiden): "Islam and Culture Change in South-East Asia". (Studies in Social Anthropology, 2).\*

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, POWER DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "The Need or Otherwise for the Provision of Stabilizing Windings on Star/Star Connected Transformers", opened by Mr. A. J. Wakeling.

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, SCIENCE AND GENERAL DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Two Point Boundary Value Problems in Control", opened by Dr. C. Storey.

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, HYDRAULIC PLANT AND MACHINERY GROUP (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Gear Pumps Versus Vane Pumps".

## Friday, March 12

SOCIETY FOR WATER TREATMENT AND EXAMINATION (at the Royal Society of Health, 90 Buckingham Palace Road, London, S.W.1) from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.—Annual General Meeting followed by a Symposium on "Consumer Complaints".

ASSOCIATION OF APPLIED BIOLOGISTS (in the Lecture Hall of the British Museum (Natural History), Cromwell Road, London, S.W.7), at 10.50 a.m.—Symposium on "The Physiology of Roots".

INSTITUTE OF NAVIGATION (at the Royal Institution of Naval Architects, 10 Upper Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Meeting on "Height Measurement in Supersonic Aircraft".

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, STEAM PLANT GROUP (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "The Steam-Turbine Designer and the Metallurgist".

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Prof. F. Bergel, F.R.S.: "Whence and Whither Chemotherapy?"

## Monday, March 15

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR INTERNATIONAL HEALTH EDUCATION (at the Drapers' Hall, Throgmorton Street, London, E.C.2), at 5 p.m.—The Lord Cohen of Birkenhead: "Problems in Health Education".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRONICS DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Irreversible Effects Resulting from Breakdown in Transistors and Rectifiers" opened by Mr. C. F. Drake and Mr. A. F. Newall.

ROYAL INSTITUTION, LIBRARY CIRCLE (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mrs. Alban Caroe (Gwendoline Bragg): "The Royal Institution in Sir William Bragg's Time".

## APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

LECTURER or an ASSISTANT (qualified to give instruction in the field of medieval philosophy) in PHILOSOPHY—The Secretary of the University Court, The University, Glasgow (March 13).

LECTURERS (with good academic qualifications in physics, preferably including a higher degree) in PHYSICS for duties in the University Departments of Surgery at the Royal Infirmary; Practice of Medicine at the Royal Infirmary; Surgery at the Western Infirmary; and Practice of Medicine at the Western Infirmary—The Secretary of the University Court, The University, Glasgow (March 13).

LECTURER in STATISTICAL MATHEMATICS—The Principal, Royal Holloway College (University of London), Englefield Green, Surrey (March 15).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER in APPLIED MATHEMATICS—The Secretary, Birkbeck College (University of London), Malet Street, London, W.C.1 (March 15).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER in MATHEMATICS—The Principal, Royal Holloway College (University of London), Englefield Green, Surrey (March 15).

TUTORIAL RESEARCH STUDENT in MATHEMATICS—The Principal, Royal Holloway College (University of London), Englefield Green, Surrey (March 15).

LECTURER in APPLIED MATHEMATICS—The Secretary, The Queen's University, Belfast, Northern Ireland (March 16).

ASSISTANT LECTURER in the DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS—The Registrar, University College of South Wales and Monmouthshire, Cardiff (March 19).