peace-time conditions of work and leisure are restored. In this connexion again it is worth while to remember what great use the U.S.S.R. has made in adult education of the arts-films, music, the theatre, opera and so forth-as well as of physical training and open-air sports.

There are two tensions to be maintained in adult education. One is between amusement and educational seriousness. Adult education must be recreative and at the same time must not lose real educational content and quality. The other is between emotional states and intellectual effort. There is always a tendency, as war goes on, to take more and more the attitude delenda est Carthago, but this results more from a cumulative feeling than from reasoned judgment: World reconstruction will demand discrimination of a kind incompatible with hatred. There has been a considerable degree of spontaneous refusal to accept Vansittartism, but all the time there is a tendency to drift into precisely that state of rationalized hatred and aggressiveness. Similarly the increase of propaganda, of however legitimate and truth-telling a kind, begets a tendency to scepticism and a temper of suspicion. Thus, for example, the unvarnished account by a German refugee of his experiences in an internment camp was received with incredulity by men who assumed that it was rather a blatant attempt to whip up their 'morale'. Years ago, Mr. Walter Lippman warned us of the universal tendency to judge everything by "the picture in the mind". If the problems of democracy and of a planned society after the War are to be solved happily and with reasonable speed, adult education, now and then, must both evoke and sustain the power of imagination and equally train the critical judgment.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

(Meeting marked with an asterisk is open to the public)

Wednesday, May 6

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 1.45 p.m.—Prof. J. C. Drummond : "War-Time Nutrition and its Lessons for the Future".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (WIRELESS SECTION) (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 6 p.m.— Discussion on "Post-War Planning in Radio Communication" (to be opened by Colonel Sir A. Stanley Angwin and Mr. H. Bishop).

Thursday, May 7

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 6 p.m.—Annual General Meeting. 6.30 p.m.—Adjourned Discussion on "A Critical Review of Education and Training for Engineers", by the Education and Training and Per-sonnel Sub-Committee.

Friday, May 8

ROYAL INSTITUTION OF GREAT BRITAIN (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.15 p.m.—Prof. James Kendall, F.R.S.: "The Separation of Isotopes and Thermal Diffusion".*

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

 $\ensuremath{\texttt{APPLICATIONS}}$ are invited for the following appointments on or before the dates mentioned :

HORTICULTURAL DISTRICT OFFICER in South-East Norfolk—The Secretary, Norfolk War Agricultural Executive Committee, Sprowston, Norwich (May 8).

UNIVERSITY CHAIR OF OIL ENGINEERING AND REFINING (PETRO-LEUM TECHNOLOGY)—The Secretary, The University, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3 (May 9).

UNIVERSITY READERSHIP IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY tenable at London (R.F.H.) School of Medicine for Women—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Richmond, Surrey (May 12).

LECTURER IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING SUBJECTS—The Clerk to the Governors, South-East Essex Technical College, Longbridge Road, Dagenham (May 16).

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