APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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GLASS DIDWER IN the Determine the University, St. Andrews (January 15).
ASSISTANT PHYSICIST—The Secretary, Sheffield National Centre for Radiotherapy, 18 Tree Root Walk, Sheffield 10 (January 15).
LECTURER IN SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Manchester 13 (January 21).
PROFESSOR OF PURE MATHEMATICS, and a PROFESSOR OF APPLIED MATHEMATICS, in the University of Cape Town—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 32 Woburn Square, London, W.C.1 (January 31).
SENIOR RESEARCH OFFICER—CHEMIST, and a MECHANICAL ENG-INEER, in the Sugar Milling Research Institute, Durban—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 32 Woburn Square, London, W.C.1 (January 31).
CHAIR OF GEOGRAPHY in Auckland Universities of the British Commonwealth, 32 Woburn Square, London, W.C.1 (Jebruary 1).
LECTURER IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING, and a LECTURER IN MATHEMATICS—The Principal, Heriot-Watt College, Edinburgh (February 8).

MATHEMATICS—The Principal, Heriot-Watt College, Edinburgh (February 8). CHAIR OF LEATHER INDUSTRIES—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (February 14). ASSISTANT LECTURER (Grade III) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ORGANIC CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, The University, Liverpool (February 28). AGRICULTURAL CHEMIST IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURK, Sierra Leone—The Director of Recruitment, Colonial Service, Colonial Office, Sanctuary Buildings, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1. CHIEF ASSISTANT to the Head of the Chemistry Department— The Director, Linen Industry Research Association, Lambeg, Co. Antrim.

Antrim.

LECTURER IN PHYSICS AND MATHEMATICS in the Municipal Technical College, St. Helens—The Director of Education, Education Office, St. Helens.

St. Helens. ASSISTANT PHYSICIST—The Secretary to the Committee, Christie Hospital and Holt Radium Institute, Manchester 20. BOTANISTS (with a University degree in botany, at least two years' post-graduate experience, and a knowledge of plant breeding and genetics) in the Department of Agriculture, Uganda—The Director of Recruitment, Colonial Service, Colonial Office, Great Smith Street, LONGON, S.W.1. INSTRUMENT MAKER AND LADOR LODDY TROUMOUT IN THE DIFFACT.

London, S.W.1. INSTRUMENT MAKER AND LABORATORY TECHNICIAN IN THE DEPART-MENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Clerk and Treasurer, Dundee Institute of Art and Technology, Bell Street, Dundee. LECTORER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Secretary, Royal Technical College, Glasgow. LABORATORY STEWARD IN THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT, Constantine Technical College—The Director of Education, Education Offices, Middlesbrough Middlesbrough.

Technical College—The Director of Education, Education Offices, Middlesbrough.
PLANT PATHOLOGIST IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Trinidad —The Director of Recruitment, Colonial Service, Colonial Office, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1.
WORKS PHYSICISTS (to be responsible for radiation monitoring carried out by the factory health physics department) in the Division of Atomic Energy (Production), Windscale Works, Sellafield, Cumber-land—The Staff Section, Ministry of Supply, Division of Atomic Energy (Production), Risley, Warrington.
GRADUATE RESEARCH WORKER to take part in an investigation into the structure of the dental tissues in health and disease, by means of the electron microscope—The Secretary, Medical Research Council, 38 Old Queen Street, London, S.W.1.
SENIOR EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER or EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER in a Ministry of Supply research and development establishment near London, for work on the design of specialized equipment in glass and metal for chemical and chemical engineering projects—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting F.1026/ 48A.

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