

Tuesday, February 8

ROYAL ANTHROPOLOGICAL INSTITUTE (at 21 Bedford Square, London, W.C.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. Kenneth P. Oakley: "The Origins of Tool-Making".

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON (at the Zoological Gardens, Regent's Park, London, N.W.8), at 5 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.15 p.m.—Dr. Pierre Lépine (Institut Pasteur, Paris): "Virus Research and the Virus Problem".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, MEASUREMENTS SECTION (joint meeting with the UTILIZATION SECTION, at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. G. T. Witch: "The Measurement of Light and Colour". (To be repeated on Wednesday, March 2, at the City Council Chambers, Clarence Parade, Portsmouth, at 6.30 p.m.)

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, EAST MIDLAND CENTRE (at the Y.W.C.A., Nottingham), at 6.30 p.m.—Mr. F. J. Erroll and the Lord Forrester: "Some Projects favourable to Direct-Current Transmission, and the Role of the British Electrical Industry in relation Thereto". (To be repeated on Tuesday, April 5, at the Yorkshire Electricity Board Offices, 1 Whitehall Road, Leeds, at 6.30 p.m.; on Wednesday, April 6, at the Cleveland Scientific and Technical Institute, Middlesbrough, at 6.30 p.m.; and on Monday, April 25, at the South Wales Institute of Engineers, Park Place, Cardiff, at 5 p.m.)

BRITISH ESPERANTIST SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATION (in the Psychology Department, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 7 p.m.—Second Annual General Meeting.

ROYAL PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY (at 16 Princes Gate, London, S.W.7), at 7 p.m.—"Integral Photography" (a paper on the Land Process).

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, EDINBURGH SECTION (joint meeting with the ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, the SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, and the EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY CHEMICAL SOCIETY, in the Biochemistry Lecture Theatre, The University, Edinburgh), at 7.30 p.m.—Prof. R. D. Haworth, P.R.S.: "Some Recent Advances in the Chemistry of Natural Products".

Wednesday, February 9

LINNEAN SOCIETY OF LONDON (in conjunction with the SYSTEMATICS ASSOCIATION, at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. John Smart: "Post-Darwinian Development of Taxonomy (Zoology)".

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, NORTHERN IRELAND SECTION (joint meeting with the ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY and the SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, in the Chemistry Department Lecture Theatre, Queen's University, Belfast), at 7.30 p.m.—Prof. A. R. Ubbelohde: "Some Problems of the Sensitiveness of Explosives".

SOCIETY OF DYERS AND COLOURISTS, NORTHERN IRELAND SECTION (in the Queen's Hotel, Belfast), at 7.30 p.m.—Dr. T. Vickerstaff: "A Study of the Factors Controlling Dyeing Behaviour".

SOCIETY OF INSTRUMENT TECHNOLOGY, NORTH-WEST SECTION (at the College of Technology, Manchester), at 7.30 p.m.—Mr. C. A. Whitmarsh: "Introduction to the Measurement of Radioactivity in a Factory".

Thursday, February 10

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, SOUTH-WESTERN SUB-CENTRE (at the Electric Hall, Torquay), at 3 p.m.—Mr. C. A. Cameron Brown and Mr. E. W. Golding: "The Application of Electricity to Horticulture". (To be repeated on Monday, March 14, at the Imperial Hotel, Birmingham, at 6 p.m.)

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, LIVERPOOL SECTION (joint meeting with the ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, the SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY and the BRITISH ASSOCIATION OF CHEMISTS, at the University, Liverpool), at 4.30 p.m.—Dr. G. Gee: "Recent Advances in the Physical Chemistry of High Polymers".

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

LINNEAN SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Discussion on "The Song of Birds" (to be opened by Mr. James Fisher).

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, ST. ANDREWS AND DUNDEE BRANCH (joint meeting with the ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, the SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY and in conjunction with the BRITISH ASSOCIATION (DUNDEE) TRUST, in the Chemistry Department, University College, Dundee), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. W. G. Ogg: "Soil Fertility".

ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY (at the Institution of Civil Engineers, Great George Street, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—M. Brocard and M. Hussonot: "French Practical Aerodynamic Methods" (Second Louis Bleriot Lecture).

ROYAL METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY (in the Lecture Theatre, Science Museum, Exhibition Road, London, S.W.7), at 6 p.m.—Sir Nelson Johnson, K.C.B.: "Some International Aspects of Meteorology".

SOCIETY OF DYERS AND COLOURISTS, MIDLANDS SECTION (at the Midland Hotel, Derby), at 7 p.m.—Dr. L. P. Moore: "Some New American Fibres".

WOMEN'S ENGINEERING SOCIETY (at 35 Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1), at 7 p.m.—Mr. E. J. Steadman: "X-Rays in Medicine and Industry".

Friday, February 11

ROYAL ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Anniversary Meeting.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, NEWCASTLE AND DURHAM SECTION (in the Chemistry Department, King's College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne), at 5 p.m.—Dr. A. J. B. Martin: "Partition Chromatography" (Bedson Club Lecture).

NORTH-EAST COAST INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS (in the Mining Institute, Newcastle-upon-Tyne), at 6.15 p.m.—Mr. W. L. Hughes: "Vibration of Propeller Blades"; Prof. L. C. Burrell: "Underwater Propeller Tests".

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Mr. Peter Scott: "The Preservation of Wildfowl—The World Problem".

Saturday, February 12

BIOCHEMICAL SOCIETY (at the Westminster Hospital Medical School, 17 Horseferry Road, London, S.W.1), at 11 a.m.—Scientific Papers.

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY (joint meeting with the COLOUR GROUP of the PHYSICAL SOCIETY, in the Hastings Hall, Tavistock House, Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1), at 2.30 p.m.—Discussion on "The Techniques and Methods of Interpretation of Experiments in Colour as carried out by Physicists, Physiologists and Psychologists".

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY, SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY SECTION (in the Physiology Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 8 p.m.—Dr. J. C. Flugel: "Some Neglected Aspects of World Integration".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCE AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERING—The Registrar, Loughborough College, Loughborough, February 12).

BIOCHEMIST for the investigation of diseases of farm animals—The Director, Agricultural Research Council Field Station, Compton, Newbury, Berks (February 14).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICERS or EXPERIMENTAL OFFICERS with good honours degree in a biological science or in chemistry, with research experience in biochemistry, physiology, pathology, pharmacology or bacterial chemistry, in Ministry of Supply research and development establishments in Wilts and Hants—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting G.550/48 (February 19).

METALLURGISTS (unestablished, Senior Scientific Officer, Scientific Officer, Experimental Officer and Assistant Experimental Officer grades) in Ministry of Supply research and development establishments in London and South England—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting F.1190/48A (February 19).

PHYSICISTS and MATHEMATICIANS (Experimental Officer grade, unestablished) in Ministry of Supply research and development establishments in Southern England and South Midlands—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting A.398/48A (February 19).

SENIOR SCIENTIFIC OFFICERS or SCIENTIFIC OFFICERS: (a) CHEMIST (research experience on gaseous combustion at high pressures and detonation of solid explosives is desirable), (b) PHYSICIST for research on velocity of detonation of gases at high pressures and measurement of explosion pressures, (c) CHEMIST for analysis, stability and sensitivity tests on new explosives for industrial use; EXPERIMENTAL OFFICERS or ASSISTANT EXPERIMENTAL OFFICERS: (a) to assist in new methods of physical testing and in the assessment and investigation of explosion and fire risks, (b) for the analysis of explosives samples taken in the field, etc., (c) for gas analysis of mixtures of hydrocarbons and other reactants or for physico-chemical work connected with acetylene; in a Ministry of Supply research and development establishment in London—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting F.1189/48A (February 19).

LECTURER IN EXPERIMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Manchester 13 (February 25).

STATISTICIAN IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL MEDICINE—The Registrar, The University, Sheffield (February 26).

CHEMIST or CHEMICAL ENGINEER for fundamental, theoretical and experimental work including work on corrosion, a CHEMICAL ENGINEER for development of chemical processes subsequent to the laboratory stage and design of plant from pilot plant to larger scale, a PHYSICIST for design, development, manufacture and operation of special instruments, including automatic controls, for chemical plant, and a MECHANICAL ENGINEER for experimental work on problems of stress measurement and high-pressure technique and for the design of machines and plant for chemical engineering projects, in the chemical engineering section of a Ministry of Supply research and development establishment in Essex—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting F.1188/48A (February 19).

PROFESSOR OF ORGANIC CHEMISTRY, and a PROFESSOR OF THEORETICAL PHYSICS, at the University of Cape Town—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 32 Woburn Square, London, W.C.2 (March 31).

DIRECTOR—The Registrar, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore 3, India (April 11).

SCIENTIST (Grade III, with honours degree in physics and, preferably, experience in electronics) in THE SCIENTIFIC BRANCH, North-Western Division of the National Coal Board—The Divisional Establishment Officer, National Coal Board, 47 Peter Street, Manchester 2.

LECTURER IN PHYSICS—The Principal, Derby Technical College, Normanton Road, Derby.

HEALTH PHYSICS AND SAFETY ASSISTANT MANAGER at the Ministry of Supply Division of Atomic Energy, Springfield Factory, Salwick—The Staff Section, Ministry of Supply, Division of Atomic Energy (Production), Risleigh, Warrington.

SENIOR LECTURER IN PRODUCTION ENGINEERING, MACHINE TOOLS AND JIG AND TOOL PRACTICE in the Department of Aircraft Economics and Production—The Registrar, College of Aeronautics, Cranfield, Bletchley, Bucks.