

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, November 20

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Physiology Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 4.45 p.m.—Dr. A. Elliott and Dr. W. E. Hanby: "Aspects of Protein Structure".* (Further Lectures on November 27, December 4 and 11.)

PASSFIELD TRUSTEES (in the William Beveridge Hall, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1), at 5 p.m.—Prof. W. K. Hancock: "The History of Our Time" (First Webb Memorial Lecture).*

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, RADIO SECTION (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. J. A. V. Bates: "The Nervous System as a Communication Network".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at King's College, Strand, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. E. K. Rideal, F.R.S.: "Surface Reactions and their Significance in Biology" (Inaugural Lecture).*

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 8.15 p.m.—Mr. George Salt: "An Expedition to the Shira Plateau of Kilimanjaro".

Tuesday, November 21

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, AGRICULTURE GROUP (in the Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Royal College of Science, South Kensington, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Mr. H. Trefor Jones: "Magnesium as a Plant Nutrient".*

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.15 p.m.—Prof. J. Monteath Robertson, F.R.S.: "Crystallography in Modern Science, (iv) Crystallography in Chemistry".

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND BURMA SECTION (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 5.15 p.m.—Prof. R. E. Mortimer Wheeler: "Archaeology in India and Pakistan since 1944" (Sir George Birdwood Memorial Lecture).

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, CHEMICAL ENGINEERING GROUP (at the Geological Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. R. Holroyd: "Some Aspects of Semi-Technical Scale Experimentation in Chemical Industry".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. H. E. M. Barlow: "Currents and Fields in Electrical Engineering" (Inaugural Lecture).*

ROYAL ANTHROPOLOGICAL INSTITUTE (in the Physiology Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 8 p.m.—Dr. A. A. Bake: "Stick Dances and Hobby-Horses in India".

Wednesday, November 22

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 2.30 p.m.—Dr. Albert Parker: "Cities without Smoke".

ROYAL METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY (at 49 Cromwell Road, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Mr. G. D. Robinson: "Notes on the Measurement and Estimation of Atmospheric Radiation"; Mr. H. L. Penman: "Evaporation over the British Isles".

RESEARCH DEFENCE SOCIETY (in the Physiology Lecture Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. E. D. Adrian, O.M., F.R.S.: "Experiments on the Nervous System" (Nineteenth Stephen Paget Memorial Lecture).

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, MICROBIOLOGICAL PANEL OF THE FOOD GROUP (at the National Institute for Medical Research, The Ridgeway, Mill Hill, London, N.W.7), at 6.15 p.m.—Papers and demonstrations on "Recent Aids to the Study of Microbiology".

Thursday, November 23

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 1.15 p.m.—Mr. B. C. Brookes: "Criticism of the Literature of Science".*

LINNEAN SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Discussion on "What is Man?" (to be opened by Prof. A. J. E. Cave).

CHEMICAL SOCIETY, NORTH WALES SECTION (in the Department of Chemistry, University College of North Wales, Bangor), at 5.45 p.m.—Dr. F. L. Rose: "A Chemotherapeutic Search in Retrospect" (Tilden Lecture).

ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY (at the Institution of Civil Engineers, Great George Street, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. A. V. Cleaver: "Rockets and Assisted Take-off".

PLASTICS INSTITUTE, LONDON AND DISTRICT SECTION (at the Waldorf Hotel, Aldwych, London, W.C.2), at 6.30 p.m.—Mr. N. G. H. Thomas and Mr. D. G. Cavanagh: "A Survey of Polystyrene Developments".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at Wye College, Wye, Ashford, Kent), at 8.15 p.m.—Dr. J. Hammond, F.R.S.: "Adaptation in Farm Animals".*

Friday, November 24

ROYAL ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Geophysical Discussion on "Changes in the Rotation of the Earth".

PHYSICAL SOCIETY (in the Physics Theatre, Imperial College of Science and Technology, South Kensington, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

ASLIB (at the Institution of Electrical Engineers, Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. J. B. Pears and Mr. C. W. Hanson: "Estimating the Cost and Value of Information Services".

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Sir Edward Appleton, G.B.E., F.R.S.: "The Sun as a Radio Emitter".

Saturday, November 25

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY, EDUCATION SECTION (at the Child Study Centre, Coram's Garden, 41 Brunswick Square, London, W.C.1), at 2.30 p.m.—Dr. E. A. Peel: "Testing Practical Ability".

BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF THE BRITISH ISLES (in the Lecture Hall, Royal Horticultural Society, Greencoat Street, London, S.W.1), at 3 p.m.—Exhibition Meeting.

BRITISH TRUST FOR ORNITHOLOGY in co-operation with the MANCHESTER MUSEUM (in the Chemistry Lecture Theatre, The University, Manchester), at 3 p.m.—Mr. Stuart Smith: "Aggressive Displays of some Birds"; Mr. A. G. Mason: "Experiments with Corncrakes".

Sunday, November 26

INTERNATIONAL HEMOPHILIA SOCIETY (at 34 Eccleston Square, London, S.W.1), at 2.30 p.m.—General Meeting.*

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

LECTURER (with special responsibility) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, Birmingham Central Technical College, Suffolk Street, Birmingham 1 (November 25).

PHYSICISTS (Senior Scientific Officer or Scientific Officer grade) in a Ministry of Supply Research Establishment in London, for the handling of radioactive materials—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting A.295/50A (November 25).

SCIENTIFIC TECHNOLOGIST I at the Coal Survey headquarters in London (duties include the recording and assimilation of Coal Survey data and the maintenance of an information service)—The National Coal Board, Establishment (Personnel), Hobart House, Grosvenor Place, London, S.W.1, quoting TT/267 (November 25).

TECHNICAL AUTHORS in various Admiralty Naval Establishments, to prepare technical publications and handbooks on electronic equipment used in H.M. ships—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting D.49/50A (November 25).

TECHNICAL OFFICER (woman, with a degree in chemistry and administrative or industrial experience) in the Technical and Scientific Register—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting F.380/50A (November 25).

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS—The Secretary, Bedford College for Women, Regent's Park, London, N.W.1 (November 27).

DIRECTOR OF ARCHAEOLOGY, Pakistan—The Office of the High Commissioner for Pakistan, 35 Lowndes Square, London, S.W.1 (November 27).

ENGINEER—The Clerk of the Lee Conservancy Catchment Board, Brettenham House, Lancaster Place, London, W.C.2, endorsed 'Engineer to the Board' (November 29).

ELECTRONIC ENGINEERS AND PHYSICISTS (Experimental Officer grade) at Ministry of Supply Research and Development Establishments in the South Midlands—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting D.253/50A (November 30).

ELECTRONIC ENGINEERS AND PHYSICISTS (Scientific Officer and Experimental Officer grades) at the Royal Aircraft Establishment, Farnborough, particularly in the fields of radio communications, including microwave techniques, circuit design and measurements, servo mechanisms and measurement of flight parameters—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting D.220/50A (November 30).

SENIOR LECTURER IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Director, Robert Gordon's Technical College, Aberdeen (November 30).

VETERINARY RESEARCH OFFICERS in the Department of Agriculture and Lands, Southern Rhodesia—The High Commissioner for Southern Rhodesia, 429 Strand, London, W.C.2 (November 30).

AGRONOMIST IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Gold Coast—The Director of Recruitment (Colonial Service), Sanctuary Buildings, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1, quoting No. 27059/249.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER with Power Plant experience, to the Sudan Gezira Board—The Sudan Agent in London, Wellington House, Buckingham Gate, London, S.W.1, endorsed 'Sudan Gezira Board, Power Plant, 4/292'.

CHIEF MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, by the Directorate General of Municipalities, Iraq—The Crown Agents for the Colonies, 4 Millbank, London, S.W.1, quoting M.N.24754(3B).

MECHANICAL ENGINEER to the Equatoria Projects Board, Nzara, Southern Sudan—The Sudan Agent in London, Wellington House, Buckingham Gate, London, S.W.1, endorsed 'Mechanical Engineer, E.P.B., 4/262'.

NUTRITION OFFICER (woman) in H.M. Colonial Service, Nigeria, to investigate and advise upon nutrition problems—The Director of Recruitment (Colonial Service), Sanctuary Buildings, Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1, quoting No. 27321/4.

PRODUCTION CHEMISTS for Royal Ordnance Factories in S.W. Scotland, S.W. England, N.W. England, Midlands and S. Wales—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, quoting F.536/50A.

SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP IN ENGLISH AGRARIAN HISTORY—The Registrar, University College, Leicester.

TEACHERS (with graduate or equivalent qualifications) OF CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS and related subjects in the Department of Science, Sheffield College of Commerce and Technology—The Director of Education, Education Office, Sheffield 1.

UNIVERSITY LECTURER IN FAR EASTERN ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY—The Secretary of the Appointments Committee, Faculty of Oriental Languages, 56 Bateman Street, Cambridge.