

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, April 20

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, CROP PROTECTION PANEL OF the AGRICULTURE GROUP (at the Chemical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Annual General Meeting; Dr. J. R. Boer: "Organo-Mercurial Fungicides".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, EDUCATION DISCUSSION CIRCLE (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Laboratory Experiments on Protective Gear" (to be opened by Mr. H. P. Young).

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 8.15 p.m.—Mr. Sebastian Snow: "Amazon Adventure".

Tuesday, April 21

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY, INDUSTRIAL SECTION (in Room 105, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, London, W.C.1), at 1 p.m.—Dr. Peter F. C. Castle: "The National Institute of Industrial Psychology Foremanship Research, 1948–1953".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, AGRICULTURE GROUP (in the Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Royal College of Science, South Kensington, London, S.W.7), at 2.30 p.m.—Dr. H. L. Penman: "Estimating the Water Requirements of Plants".

INSTITUTE OF PETROLEUM (at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. H. S. Gibson: "Two Oilfields in Northern Iraq" (Presidential Address).

Wednesday, April 22

INSTITUTE OF PETROLEUM (at the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Storey's Gate, St. James's Park, London, S.W.1), at 2.30 p.m.—Symposium on "The Engine Testing of Lubricating Oils".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, RADIO SECTION (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. H. M. Barlow and Mr. A. E. Karbowiak: "An Investigation of the Characteristics of Cylindrical Surface Waves"; Prof. H. M. Barlow and Dr. A. L. Cullen: "Surface Waves".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, NUTRITION PANEL OF the FOOD GROUP (in the Chemical Society's Rooms, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 6.15 p.m.—Dr. W. F. J. Cuthbertson: "Synthetic Food Possibilities"; Mr. P. N. Williams: "Synthetic Fats", Summary of Series by Dr. Norman Wright (Food and the Future, 4).

Wednesday, April 22—Saturday, April 25

INSTITUTE OF METAL FINISHING (at the Hotel Majestic, Harrogate).—Spring Conference.

Thursday, April 23

INSTITUTION OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS (at the May Fair Hotel, Berkeley Street, London, W.1), at 11 a.m.—Thirty-first Annual Corporate Meeting; at 12 noon.—Mr. Stanley Robson: "Changes in Roasting Practice and Furnace Design" (Presidential Address).

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Sir Geoffrey Taylor, F.R.S.: "Experimental Study of Standing Waves"; Mr. T. V. Davies: "Forced Flow of a Rotating Viscous Liquid which is Heated from Below".

LINNEAN SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. S. M. Manton, F.R.S.: "The Structures, Habits and Evolution of Millipedes".

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS, COMMONWEALTH SECTION (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 5.15 p.m.—Sir Alexander Carr-Saunders: "Colonial Universities To-day" (Holland Memorial Lecture).

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (at Savoy Place, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. P. I. Dee, F.R.S.: "The Dilemma of Lord Kelvin" (Forty-fourth Kelvin Lecture).

Friday, April 24

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, OILS AND FATS GROUP (at the Low Temperature Research Station, Downing Street, Cambridge), at 10.30 a.m.—Symposium on "Oxidation" (Speakers: Prof. C. E. H. Bawn, F.R.S., Dr. C. H. Lea, Dr. A. Banks, Dr. L. A. O'Neill and Dr. J. H. Skellon).*

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at Storey's Gate, St. James's Park, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. A. T. Bowden, Mr. P. Draper and Mr. H. Rowling: "The Problem of Fuel Oil Ash Deposition in Open-Cycle Gas Turbines".

TELEVISION SOCIETY (at the Cinematograph Exhibitors' Association, 164 Shaftesbury Avenue, London, W.C.2), at 7 p.m.—Fleming Memorial Lecture.

SOCIETY FOR VISITING SCIENTISTS (at 5 Old Burlington Street, London, W.1), at 7.30 p.m.—Discussion Meeting on "Rockets" (Chairman: Prof. A. D. Baxter; Speakers: Dr. A. C. Merrington, Mr. I. Lubbock and Prof. A. D. Baxter).

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Mr. Archibald G. B. Russell: "Tradition and the Coronation".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

ASSISTANT STATISTICIAN (with a university honours degree in science, mathematics or economics, and some experience of research involving the analysis and interpretation of mass data) in the Central Statistical Office of the Town Clerk's Department—The Town Clerk, Room 30E, Council House, Birmingham 1 (April 25).

ENTOMOLOGIST (male, interest in ecology and mechanical ability important) for work in Insecticides Department primarily in connexion with field experiments—The Secretary, Rothamsted Experimental Station, Harpenden, Herts (April 25).

MECHANICAL ENGINEER or PHYSICIST (with first- or second-class honours degree or equivalent in mechanical engineering or physics) at the Royal Aircraft Establishment, Farnborough, to undertake experimental and theoretical work with light mechanisms—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting C.169/53A (April 25).

PHYSIOLOGIST (with good honours degree in physiology or equivalent qualification, and research experience preferably involving the perfusion of isolated organs) for research on the physiology of lactation—The Secretary, National Institute for Research in Dairying, Shinfield, Reading, quoting Ref. 53/3 (April 25).

STATISTICIAN (part-time, graduate of a British university, with an honours degree, and statistical experience) in the Health and Welfare Department—The Town Clerk, Town House, Aberdeen (April 27).

READERSHIP IN MATHEMATICS at Westfield College—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (April 28).

UNIVERSITY DEMONSTRATOR IN ANIMAL NUTRITION—The Secretary, School of Agriculture, Downing Street, Cambridge (April 28).

UNIVERSITY LECTURER IN AGRICULTURAL BOTANY—The Secretary, School of Agriculture, Downing Street, Cambridge (April 28).

ASSISTANTS (2) IN MATHEMATICS, and an ASSISTANT IN STATISTICS—The Secretary, The University, Aberdeen (April 30).

READERSHIP IN CHEMICAL PATHOLOGY at the Royal Veterinary College—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (April 30).

READERSHIP IN PUBLIC HEALTH at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (May 1).

TEMPORARY LECTURER (with special reference to horticulture) in the DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY—The Registrar, The University, Manchester 13 (May 1).

CHAIR OF APPLIED MATHEMATICS—The Registrar, University College, Singleton Park, Swansea (May 2).

PHYSICIST or ENGINEER (with first- or second-class honours degree or equivalent in physics or engineering) in the Instrument and Photographic Department of Royal Aircraft Establishment, Farnborough, for research and development work in connexion with gyroscopic equipment—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting A.88/53A (May 2).

READERSHIP IN GEOGRAPHY, and an ASSISTANT LECTURER IN ZOOLOGY—The Registrar, Trinity College, Dublin (May 10).

LECTURER IN CIVIL ENGINEERING—The Secretary, Queen's University, Belfast (May 15).

ASSISTANT (male, with a degree in horticulture, agriculture, or botany, together with a keen interest in the scientific aspects of practical fruit culture and ability to convey the results of research to scientists, advisory officers and growers) in the SCIENTIFIC LIAISON SECTION—The Secretary, East Malling Research Station, East Malling, Maidstone, Kent (May 16).

ORGANIC CHEMIST (Senior Research Officer grade)—The Director, Laboratory of Human Nutrition, Oxford (May 16).

SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER in COAL MINING ENGINEERING at the New South Wales University of Technology—The Agent-General for New South Wales, 56 Strand, London, W.C.2 (May 25).

ASSISTANT LECTURER in ARCHEOLOGY—The Registrar, University College, Cathays Park, Cardiff (May 30).

SENIOR LECTURER in PHYSIOLOGY—The Dean of the Medical College, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, West Smithfield, London, E.C.1 (June 20).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (with honours degree in physics, preferably with a special interest in illumination or optics) in the DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED PHYSICS—The Principal, Northampton Polytechnic, St. John Street, London, E.C.1.

ASSISTANT LECTURER and a DEMONSTRATOR in ORGANIC CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, The University, Nottingham.

BIOCHEMIST (with a first- or second-class honours degree in chemistry, and research experience preferably in the field of protein chemistry) in the Endocrine Unit—The Secretary, London Hospital Medical College, Turner Street, London, E.1.

CHEMIST to assist in laboratory dealing with members' day-to-day production problems—The Printing, Packaging and Allied Trades Research Association, Randalls Road, Leatherhead, Surrey, quoting CB.

CHOWN RESEARCH PROFESSORSHIP in CHEMISTRY—The Principal, Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., Canada.

ENGINEERS or PHYSICISTS for Royal Aircraft Establishment, Farnborough: SCIENTIFIC OFFICER-ENGINEER (preferably aeronautical) or PHYSICIST, for research on flutter and vibration problems in aircraft structures (Ref. A.81/53A), and a SENIOR S.O.-ELECTRICAL or ELECTRONIC ENGINEER, for development and application of electrical and electronic equipment in connexion with above research (Ref. D.121/53A)—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), Almack House, 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting the appropriate Ref. No.

PHYSICIST as HEAD OF THE PHYSICS DEPARTMENT—The Personnel Officer, British Iron and Steel Research Association, 11 Park Lane, London, W.1.