

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

## Monday, June 20

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 3 p.m.—Annual General Meeting.

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE, PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE GROUP (in the Joint Staff Common Room, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. D. le Vay and Dr. J. F. Tait: "The General Adaptation Syndrome—the Concept and Its Implication".

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY (in the Gustave Tuck Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 8.15 p.m.—Dr. Roger M. Barker: "Psychological Ecology of an American Town".

## Wednesday, June 22

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.—Mr. H. C. W. Stockbridge: "Psychology and Equipment"; Mr. D. H. Holding: "Some Relationships between Displays and Controls in Different Planes".

## Wednesday, June 22—Saturday, June 25

INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS, NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING GROUP (at the Royal Technical College, George Street, Glasgow, C.1)—Summer Meeting.

## Thursday, June 23

At 9 a.m.—Annual General Meeting.

## Thursday, June 23—Friday, June 24

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF FERTILITY (in the Anatomy Lecture Theatre, The Medical School, Hospitals Centre, Birmingham), at 10 a.m. daily—Conference.

## APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

ANALYST, Senior Scientific Officer grade (with high qualifications and appropriate experience) to conduct, under the immediate direction of the Principal Scientific Officer, routine analytical work, having particular reference to polluted surface waters, sewage and trade effluents—The Chief Pollution and Fisheries Officer, Trent River Board Laboratories, Meadow Lane, Nottingham (June 23).

LECTURER IN BACTERIOLOGY—The Secretary, The University, Aberdeen (June 23).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (with special qualifications in inorganic or physical chemistry) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INORGANIC AND PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, The University, Liverpool (June 25).

SENIOR LECTURER, LECTURER AND ASSISTANT LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, to work and carry out research in one or more of the following fields: nuclear physics, theoretical physics and radio-astronomy—The Registrar, The University, Manchester (June 25).

ASSISTANT IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY at St. Salvator's College, St. Andrews—Joint Clerk to the University Court, College Gate, St. Andrews (June 30).

ASSISTANT IN PHYSIOLOGY—Joint Clerk to the University Court, Queen's College, Dundee (June 30).

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING AND FARM MECHANIZATION at University College, Ibadan, Nigeria—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 1 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (June 30).

DEMONSTRATOR (with a good honours degree in psychology) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Bristol (June 30).

MYCOLOGIST (Scientific Officer grade), to work in the Plant Pathology Department on the spread of crop diseases—The Secretary, Rothamsted Experimental Station, Harpenden, Herts (June 30).

RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY—The Clerk to the Governors, Chelsea Polytechnic, Manresa Road, London, S.W.3 (June 30).

SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER (Grade I) (with special interests in physical chemistry) IN CHEMISTRY; LECTURERS (2) (Grade II) or ASSISTANT LECTURER IN CHEMISTRY; SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER (Grade I) IN PHYSICS, and a LECTURER (Grade I) IN ZOOLOGY, at University College, Ibadan, Nigeria—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 1 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (June 30).

SENIOR SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a degree of high standard in physics or engineering, experience in measurement techniques based on optical or precision mechanical methods, and preferably with some experience in the design of optical components) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY, Weapons Research Establishment, Salisbury, South Australia, to undertake investigations into measurement techniques based on optical, precision mechanical and electronic methods applicable to the determination of the performance of guided missiles—The Senior Representative (AP.29), Department of Supply, Australia House, Strand, London, W.C.2 (June 30).

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN PSYCHOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Manchester (July 1).

RESEARCH STUDENTS (with the degree of Bachelor or Master of a British University other than Manchester) IN SCIENCE—The Registrar, The University, Manchester 13 (July 1).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a first- or second-class honours degree in physics) at the National Physical Laboratory, for work on photometry

and colorimetry with particular emphasis on physical methods and problems connected with the primary and secondary standards of light and the colour temperature scale—The Ministry of Labour and National Service, Technical and Scientific Register (K), 26 King Street, London, S.W.1, quoting A.176/5A (July 2).

HEAD (Principal Scientific Officer grade) OF THE GRASS AND DAIRY HUSBANDRY DEPARTMENT—The Secretary, Hannah Dairy Research Institute, Kirkhill, Ayr (July 4).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ORGANIC CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (July 4).

LECTURER IN AGRICULTURAL BOTANY at the University of Sydney, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, July 6).

LECTURER IN EXPERIMENTAL PHARMACOLOGY—The Secretary of University Court, The University, Glasgow (July 6).

LECTURER (preferably applicant who has worked on the dynamics of continuous media) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS—The Secretary, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1 (July 9).

PROFESSOR OF BOTANY at Canterbury University College, Christchurch, New Zealand—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (July 15).

LECTURER (with considerable experience in hospital biochemistry and in teaching) IN CLINICAL CHEMISTRY—The Secretary, The University, Edinburgh (July 16).

SENIOR LECTURER (veterinary surgeon with tropical experience) IN EPIZOOTIOLOGY—The Secretary, The University, Edinburgh (July 22).

LECTURER (with industrial and research experience) IN ENGINEERING—The Secretary, The University, Edinburgh (August 1).

PROFESSOR OF EXPERIMENTAL PHYSICS at the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (South Africa, August 10).

PLANT PATHOLOGIST (with an honours degree of a recognized university or equivalent qualifications, together with considerable research experience in plant pathology, and preferably with a specialist knowledge of mildew diseases) at the Rubber Research Institute of Ceylon, to work mainly on Oidium and Phytophthora leaf diseases of rubber in Ceylon—The Director, Rubber Research Institute of Ceylon, Agalawatta, Ceylon, also a copy to the Secretary, London Advisory Committee for Rubber Research (Ceylon and Malaya), Imperial Institute, London, S.W.7 (August 15).

PROFESSOR OF EDUCATION at the University of Melbourne, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, August 31).

ASSISTANT, Grade A (with graduate or equivalent qualifications), to teach mathematics—The Clerk to the Governors, Luton and South Bedfordshire College for Further Education, 63/69 Guildford Street, Luton, Beds.

ASSISTANT, Grade B (with special qualifications in organic chemistry and experience in semi-micro inorganic analysis) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY, at the Technical College, Bradford—The Director of Education, Town Hall, Bradford.

ASSISTANT TECHNICAL SECRETARY (with a general science degree or equivalent qualification, and preferably with experience in metallurgical analysis, metallography or physical testing) IN THE METALLURGY DIVISION, British Iron and Steel Research Association, London—The Personnel Officer, B.I.S.R.A., 11 Park Lane, London, W.1, quoting "Assistant Technical Secretary".

CHEMIST (with at least a second-class honours degree) for fundamental research on the mechanism of dyeing, particularly on the new man-made fibres; and a CHEMIST (with at least a second-class honours degree and a leaning towards organic chemistry), for research, initially fundamental, on the chemical finishing of textiles, particularly proofings and finishes of a durable nature—Dr. F. C. Toy, Director of Research, British Cotton Industry Research Association, Shirley Institute, Didsbury, Manchester.

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS, and an ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS—The University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N.B., Canada.

LECTURER (with a good honours degree in electrical engineering or equivalent qualifications, and with industrial experience in electronics or telecommunications) IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Principal, North-West Kent College of Technology, Miskin Road, Dartford, Kent.

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER (with special qualifications in organic chemistry) IN PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, The University, Nottingham.

RESEARCH DEMONSTRATORS (2) IN PHYSICS, and a RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, for work on ultrasonics—The Registrar, University College, Leicester.

SCIENTIFIC ASSISTANT (with a knowledge of at least two European languages and training or experience in agricultural (especially soil) science) for work in a scientific information service involving abstracting and indexing—The Director, Commonwealth Bureau of Soil Science, Rothamsted Experimental Station, Harpenden, Herts.

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER or SENIOR SCIENTIFIC OFFICER at the Merlewood Research Station, Grange-over-Sands, to initiate a small section for work on the biology of soil fungi and bacteria—The Establishment Officer, The Nature Conservancy, 19 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1.

SCIENTISTS and SCIENTIFIC TECHNICAL OFFICERS IN THE NATIONAL COAL BOARD LABORATORIES in the Warwickshire area—The Divisional Establishment Officer, National Coal Board, Himley Hall, Dudley, Worcs.

SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOWS (with a good honours degree in chemistry (or in one case, metallurgy) of a British university, and preferably with academic or industrial research experience in inorganic or physical chemistry) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED SCIENCE, Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Technical College—The Clerk to the Governors, Education Offices, North Street, Wolverhampton.