

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, April 25

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.—Prof. Max Black: "Wittgenstein's Tractatus".

Monday, April 25—Thursday, April 28

PHYSICAL SOCIETY (at the Royal Horticultural Society's New Hall, Westminster, London, S.W.1)—Exhibition of Scientific Instruments and Apparatus.

Discourses (Demonstration Lectures).

Monday, April 25

At 6.15 p.m.—Mr. M. E. Haine: "The Free Electron as a Tool in Scientific Research".

Tuesday, April 26

At 6.15 p.m.—Prof. J. Z. Young, F.R.S.: "Memory Systems in the Brain".

Wednesday, April 27

At 6.15 p.m.—Dr. G. F. J. Garlick: "Recent Developments in Luminescence and Its Applications".

Tuesday, April 26

INSTITUTION OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS (at the May Fair Hotel, Berkeley Street, London, W.1), at 11 a.m.—Thirty-third Annual Corporate Meeting. 12 noon—Sir Harold Hartley, F.R.S.—Presidential Address.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE, MEDICINE SECTION (at 1 Wimpole Street, London, W.1), at 8 p.m.—Symposium on "Radioactive Isotopes". Speakers—Prof. E. E. Pochin, Prof. D. W. Smithers and Mr. Norman Veall.

ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN (at the Royal Institution, Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Sir Lawrence Bragg, F.R.S.: "Thirty Years of Electrical Progress".

Tuesday, April 26—Wednesday, April 27

SERVICES ELECTRONICS RESEARCH LABORATORY (at Baldock, Herts)—Symposium on "Intermetallic Semi-conductors".

Tuesday, April 26—Thursday, April 28

DUBLIN INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES, SCHOOL OF COSMIC PHYSICS (at 5 Merrion Square, Dublin)—Symposium on "Atmospheric Condensation Nuclei".

Wednesday, April 27

ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN (at the Connaught Rooms, Great Queen Street, London, W.C.2), at 9.45 a.m.—Thirtieth Annual Conference.

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FOOD GROUP (joint meeting with the ROYAL SANITARY INSTITUTE, at the Town Hall, Bournemouth), at 10 a.m.—Discussion on "The Contribution of Processing Techniques to the Nutritional Value of Food".

GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 3 p.m.—Annual General Meeting.

PHYSICAL SOCIETY, COLOUR GROUP (at the Institute of Ophthalmology, Judd Street, London, W.C.1), at 3.30 p.m.—Discussion on "The C.I.E. System and its Revision".

ROYAL METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY (at 49 Cromwell Road, South Kensington, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Prof. A. C. B. Lovell, F.R.S.: "Radio Astronomy and the Fringe of the Atmosphere" (Symons Lecture).*

INSTITUTE OF FUEL (at the Institution of Civil Engineers, Great George Street, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. W. Idris Jones: "Fuel and Power Research in Britain".*

INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS, INDUSTRIAL SPECTROSCOPY GROUP (at 47 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. A. G. Gaydon, F.R.S.: "Spectroscopic Evidence on the State of Equilibrium in Flame Gases".

BRITISH INSTITUTION OF RADIO ENGINEERS (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Mr. K. J. Coppin: "Suppressed Aerials for the Aircraft H.F. Band".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, CORROSION GROUP (in the Rooms of the Chemical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Annual General Meeting, followed by Dr. J. C. Hudson: "Some Thoughts on the Practice of Applied Science" (Chairman's Address).

Wednesday, April 27—Thursday, April 28

IRON AND STEEL INSTITUTE (at 4 Grosvenor Gardens, London, S.W.1)—Annual General Meeting.

Thursday, April 28

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Prof. M. L. E. Oliphant, F.R.S.: "The Acceleration of Charged Particles to Very High Energies" (Bakerian Lecture).

LONDON MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY (at the Royal Astronomical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. J. C. Moore: "A Survey of Some of the Recent Developments in Homotopy Theory".

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS, COMMONWEALTH SECTION (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 5.15 p.m.—Mr. M. F. Carroll: "The Commonwealth as a Source of Essential Oils".

PHYSICAL SOCIETY, ACOUSTICS GROUP (in the Physics Department of Imperial College, Imperial Institute Road, London, S.W.7), at 5.40 p.m.—Prof. R. Morse: "Wave-guide Propagation in Acoustics".

WOOL EDUCATION SOCIETY (at the Royal Society of Arts, John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 7.15 p.m.—Prof. E. J. Roberts: "Sheep and Wool from the Hills".

Friday, April 29

BRITISH GLACIOLOGICAL SOCIETY (in Room 5, Main Building, The University, Edgbaston, Birmingham 15), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. F. W. Shotton: "The Midlands in British Pleistocene Geology".

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. I. I. Sikorsky: "The Transport Helicopter" (James Clayton Lecture).

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN BOTANY—The Registrar, The University, Hull (April 30).

ASSISTANT LECTURER or LECTURER (preferably with specialist knowledge of systematic botany) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY—The Registrar, The University, Liverpool (April 30).

LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY—The Registrar, The University, Liverpool (April 30).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER IN PHYSICS—The Registrar, The University, Sheffield (April 30).

LECTURER (with a degree in mathematics or statistics and with suitable teaching and/or industrial experience) IN MATHEMATICS—The Principal, Acton Technical College, High Street, Acton, London, W.3 (April 30).

LECTURER (with special interests in fluid mechanics) IN ENGINEERING, and a LECTURER IN METAL PHYSICS—The Registrar, University College, Singleton Park, Swansea (April 30).

CHAIR OF PHYSIOLOGY at Makerere College (University College of East Africa)—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 1 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (May 6).

LECTURER (honours graduate in metallurgy, and preferably with experience in research and in production metallurgy) IN METALLURGY—The Registrar, College of Technology, Manchester 1 (May 7).

LECTURERS (3) IN STATISTICS—The Secretary, The University, Aberdeen (May 7).

PHYSICAL CHEMIST or BIOCHEMIST (with an interest in the application of physical methods to biological problems, and preferably with research experience, a knowledge of X-ray diffraction, or ability to handle small quantities of biological material) to join a small team engaged in fundamental research on the structure of plant viruses—The Secretary, Birkbeck College, Malet Street, London, W.C.1 (May 7).

SENIOR LECTURER (graduate of a British university, and with good industrial experience) IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS, and a LECTURER (Grade B) (graduate of a British university, and with industrial experience) IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Clerk to the Governing Body, Battersea Polytechnic, London, S.W.11 (May 7).

LECTURER (first-class honours graduate in mathematics, preferably with a special interest in some branch of applied mathematics or in statistics) IN MATHEMATICS—The Registrar, College of Technology, Manchester 1 (May 9).

LECTURER (with high academic qualifications and research experience, and with special interests in inorganic chemistry) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY—The Clerk to the Governors, Chelsea Polytechnic, Manresa Road, London, S.W.3 (May 9).

LECTURER IN ZOOLOGY at the University College of the West Indies—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 1 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (May 9).

SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER (with qualifications and experience in chemical engineering) for teaching and research in the sub-department of CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY, and a LECTURER IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY, at the University College of the West Indies—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 1 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (May 9).

CHAIR OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, and CHAIR OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING—The Registrar, University College, Singleton Park, Swansea (May 14).

LECTURER (with a good honours degree, either in electrical engineering or in mathematics and physics, and preferably with suitable experience in research and teaching in radio and electronics) IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—Joint Clerk to the University Court, Queen's College, Dundee (May 15).

LECTURER (preferably with research interests in spectroscopy or the kinetics of gaseous oxidation processes) IN PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY—Joint Clerk to the University Court, Queen's College, Dundee (May 16).

LECTURER (with a good honours degree in engineering, and preferably with teaching and research experience in a branch of applied mechanics) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERING—Joint Clerk to the University Court, Queen's College, Dundee (May 18).

READER IN PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY at the Imperial College of Science and Technology—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (May 18).

LECTURER IN FLUID MECHANICS in the Department of Aeronautics and Fluid Mechanics—The Secretary of University Court, The University, Glasgow (May 20).

PROFESSOR OF APPLIED ELECTRICITY AND HEAD OF DEPARTMENT—The Secretary and Registrar, University College of North Wales, Bangor, N. Wales (May 23).