

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, May 28

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Sir Harold Spencer Jones, F.R.S.: "The Planet Venus and Its Atmosphere".

Thursday, May 29

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Group Captain W. K. Stewart: "The Institute of Aviation Medicine".

Friday, May 30

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Physiology Lecture Theatre, Guy's Hospital Medical School, St. Thomas's Street, London Bridge, London, S.E.1) at 5 p.m.—Dr. Hugh B. Cott: "Protective Coloration in Animals" (Fison Memorial Lecture).

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

READER IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS—The Clerk to the Governors, Chelsea College of Science and Technology, Manresa Road, London, S.W.3 (May 30).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a good honours degree in zoology, some research experience in invertebrate physiology and an interest in ecology) at MERLEWOOD RESEARCH STATION, Grange-over-Sands, Lancashire, to join a team studying fauna of woodland soils—The Nature Conservancy (E), 19 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1 (May 30).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (with a good degree or equivalent qualification, and preferably with industrial, research and/or teaching experience) at THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE OF MONMOUTHSHIRE, Crumlin, to teach Chemistry and to specialize in Organic Chemistry to Ordinary National Certificate standard—The Director of Education, County Hall, Newport, Mon. (May 31).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (with a good degree or equivalent qualification, and preferably with industrial, research and/or teaching experience) at THE TECHNICAL COLLEGE OF MONMOUTHSHIRE, Crumlin, to teach Physics with some Mathematics to Ordinary National Certificate standard—The Director of Education, County Hall, Newport, Mon. (May 31).

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (with a first- or second-class honours degree in geology) in THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY—The Clerk to the Governors, Chelsea College of Science and Technology, Manresa Road, London, S.W.3 (May 31).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a first- or second-class honours degree in chemistry), for work on research, development and analytical control in a wide field—The Medical Officer of Health (PH/D.1/A), County Hall, London, S.E.1 (May 31).

TECHNICIAN (preferably with experience in workshop practice or in histological techniques) at THE MARINE BIOLOGY STATION—The Registrar, University College of North Wales, Bangor, North Wales (June 2).

ASSISTANT, Grade B (qualified to teach physics), in THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT, Croydon Technical College, Fairfield, Croydon—Chief Education Officer, Education Office, Katharine Street, Croydon, Surrey (June 4).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (male, with an honours degree in agricultural chemistry or chemistry, and preferably some knowledge of geology) in THE CHEMICAL RESEARCH DIVISION of the Ministry of Agriculture—The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Stormont, Belfast, Northern Ireland (June 4).

ASSISTANT IN GEOLOGY—The Secretary of University Court, The University, Glasgow (June 7).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (preferably with some experience of structural analysis of organic and biomolecular compounds, and of the use of electronic digital machines) in PHYSICS, with special reference to X-Ray Crystallography—The Secretary, Birkbeck College (University of London), Malet Street, London, W.C.1 (June 7).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (with special qualifications in horticulture) in BOTANY—The Registrar, The University, Manchester 13 (June 7).

DIRECTOR (of high academic standing in a branch of poultry science) OF POULTRY HUSBANDRY, University of Sydney, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, June 9).

SENIOR FELLOW in THE DEPARTMENT OF EXPERIMENTAL PATHOLOGY, John Curtin School of Medical Research (Australian National University), Canberra—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, June 9).

ASSISTANT LECTURER in ZOOLOGY—The Registrar, Queen Mary College (University of London), Mile End Road, London, E.1 (June 15).

PLANT PHYSIOLOGIST, an ASSISTANT SYLVICULTURIST, and an ASSISTANT ENTOMOLOGIST in THE WATTLE RESEARCH INSTITUTE of the University of Natal, Pietermaritzburg—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (South Africa, June 20).

SENIOR LECTURER in PHYSICS (Durban); a SENIOR LECTURER in PHYSICS (Pietermaritzburg); a LECTURER in PHYSICS (Durban); and a LECTURER in PHYSICS (Pietermaritzburg) (University of Natal)—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (South Africa, June 20).

LECTURER/SENIOR LECTURER (preferably able to teach and develop research in mycology) in BOTANY at the University of Sydney, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, June 28).

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Canada, June 30).

CHAIR OF MATHEMATICS (PURE AND/OR APPLIED) (Durban or Pietermaritzburg); and CHAIR OF EXPERIMENTAL PHYSICS (Durban) (University of Natal)—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (South Africa, June 30).

DEMONSTRATOR (ASSISTANT LECTURER) in PHYSIOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (June 30).

LECTURER in GEOLOGY at the University of Melbourne, Australia, chiefly to develop teaching in geomorphology and geological cartography, including photogeology and methods of geological and physiographical mapping in the field—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, June 30).

SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER in PHYSIOLOGY at the University College of the West Indies—The Secretary, Senate Committee on Colleges Overseas in Special Relation, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (June 30).

VETERINARY SURGEON, for the investigation of health and fertility problems in farm animals—The Secretary, Animal Research Organization, 6 South Oswald Road, Edinburgh 9 (June 30).

LECTURER in THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS, Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (New Zealand, July 15).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (Grade B) in PHYSICS—The Principal, Peel Park Technical College, Salford.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (preferably with a higher degree and experience in the power field) of ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Dean of Engineering, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N.B., Canada.

HEALTH PHYSICISTS (with at least G.C.E. ("A"); H.N.C.; or equivalent, and plenty of tact) in the section assessing and controlling radiation and contamination hazards in reactor buildings and other "active" areas—Group Recruitment Officer (1110/34), Atomic Energy Research Establishment, Harwell, Didcot, Berks.

INSTRUCTOR, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR or LECTURER (with the degree of Ph.D. or equivalent research experience) in PHYSICS—The Chairman, Department of Physics, Western Reserve University, Cleveland 6, Ohio, U.S.A.

JEVES' RESEARCH FELLOWS (2) (suitably qualified graduates or intending graduates) in THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT, for research on (a) biological, and (b) physico/chemical aspects of chemical soil sterilization—The Registrar, University College of North Staffordshire, Keele, Staffs.

LABORATORY ASSISTANT TO WORK in THE RADIOISOTOPE LABORATORY, Radiation Protection Service and X-Ray and Radium Section of a progressive Physics Department—The Secretary, Hammer-smith Hospital, Du Cane Road, London, W.12.

LECTURER in GEOLOGY and GEOGRAPHY—The Warden, Goldsmiths' College (University of London), New Cross, London, S.E.14.

MASTER TO TEACH CHEMISTRY to advanced and, if possible, scholarship level—The Headmaster, Merchant Taylors' School, Crosby, Liverpool 23.

POSTDOCTORATE FELLOW in THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY, for work in the field of enzyme kinetics, with particular reference to chymotrypsin and cholinesterase—Prof. K. J. Laidler, Department of Chemistry, University of Ottawa, Ottawa 2, Canada.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (student graduating this summer) in INORGANIC CHEMISTRY with particular reference to Co-ordination Chemistry—Head of the Department of Science, Hatfield Technical College, Hatfield.

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS (honours graduates in physics), for work on problems concerned with fast particle techniques, gas discharges, spectroscopy and electronics—The Clerk to the Governors, Northern Polytechnic, Holloway, London, N.7.

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS (2) (physical or inorganic chemists, with an honours degree and preferably two years research experience) in THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY—The Secretary, The University, Exeter.

REPORTS and other PUBLICATIONS

(not included in the monthly Books Supplement)

Great Britain and Ireland

The Wellcome Museum of Medical Science. Pp. 40. (London: The Wellcome Foundation Limited, 1958.) [43]

Palaeontology, Vol. 1, Part 1 (November, 1957). Pp. 86+14 plates. Published half-yearly. (London: The Palaeontological Association, 1957.) 35s.; 5.20 dollars each part. [43]

Murphy Chemical Company, Ltd. How You Can Increase Profits by Pre-emergence Weedkilling. Pp. 4. The Control of Red Spider in Glasshouses with Kelthane Emulsion. Pp. 2. How you can Protect Crops Safely with a New DDT Product. Pp. 6. Murphy Fruit Growers' Booklet, 1958. Pp. 108. How You Can Increase Crop Yields by Using Seed Dressings. Pp. 6. (Wheatthamstead: The Murphy Chemical Co., Ltd., 1958.) [43]

British Hat and Allied Feltmakers Research Association. Tenth Annual Report of the Director of Research for the year ended August, 1957. Pp. 23. (Manchester: British Hat and Allied Feltmakers Research Association, 1958.) [43]

Department of Scientific and Industrial Research and Fire Offices' Committee Joint Fire Research Organization. Reference to Scientific Literature on Fire, Part 8, 1954. By Miss E. M. Shakeshaft and Mrs. B. F. W. Rogowski. Pp. 126. (Library Bibliography No. 5/Part 8.) (Boreham Wood, Herts: Fire Research Station, 1958.) [43]

The Carnegie Trust for the Universities of Scotland. Fifty-sixth Annual Report (for the year 1956-57) submitted by the Executive