

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, June 16

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

BRITISH COMPUTER SOCIETY (at the Northampton College of Advanced Technology, St. John Street, London, E.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—First Annual General Meeting. 6.30 p.m.—Dr. M. V. Wilkes, F.R.S.: "The Second Decade of Computer Development" (Presidential Address).

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.—Dr. Imre Lakatos: "On the Methodology of Mathematics".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Lecture Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. Marshall Claggett (Wisconsin): "Before Galileo: the Science of Mechanics in the Middle Ages".*

Wednesday, June 18

ROYAL METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY (at 49 Cromwell Road, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

SOCIETY FOR ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY, MICROCHEMISTRY GROUP (in the Restaurant Room of "The Feathers", Tudor Street, London, E.C.4), at 6.30 p.m.—Discussion on "The Determination of Elements other than C, H, O, N, S and Cl, Br, I in Organic Compounds", opened by Dr. A. MacDonald and Dr. R. Belcher.

WOMEN'S ENGINEERING SOCIETY, LONDON BRANCH (at the Central Electricity Authority Headquarters, Winsley Street, London, W.1), at 6.45 p.m.—Annual General Meeting.

Wednesday, June 18—Saturday, June 28

CHEMICAL AND PETROLEUM ENGINEERING EXHIBITION (at Olympia, London, W.14).*

Thursday, June 19

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Prof. David Keilin, F.R.S.: "The Problem of Anabiosis or Latent Life History and Current Concepts" (The Leeuwenhoek Lecture).

CIBA FOUNDATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION IN MEDICAL AND CHEMICAL RESEARCH (at the Royal Institution, 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Prof. Dr. F. Bourlière (Faculté de Médecine de Paris): "The Comparative Study of Age Changes".

LONDON MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY (at the Royal Astronomical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Prof. C. B. Allendoerfer: "Topological Applications of Singular Differential Forms".

ROYAL SOCIETY OF TROPICAL MEDICINE AND HYGIENE (at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 7.30 p.m.—51st Annual General Meeting, followed by Prof. A. W. Woodruff, F.R.C.P.: "Medicine in China To-day".

Friday, June 20

BRITISH INSTITUTE OF RADIOLOGY, incorporated with the RÖNTGEN SOCIETY (in the Reid-Knox Hall, 32 Welbeck Street, London, W.1), at 2 p.m.—Radiobiology Meeting.

INSTITUTE OF NAVIGATION (at the Royal Geographical Society, 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 5.15 p.m.—Discussion on "The Significance of Blunders in Navigation".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

ASSISTANT LECTURER or LECTURER IN PURE MATHEMATICS—The Registrar, University College, Singleton Park, Swansea (June 21).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (suitably qualified graduate) IN BOTANY in the Department of Biological Sciences—The Registrar, Wye College (University of London), near Ashford, Kent (June 21).

DEMONSTRATOR IN PHARMACEUTICS—The Registrar, The University, Nottingham (June 21).

DEMONSTRATOR (suitably qualified graduate) IN ZOOLOGY (AGRICULTURAL ENTOMOLOGY) in the Department of Biological Sciences—The Registrar, Wye College (University of London), near Ashford, Kent (June 21).

RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN PHYSIOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Sheffield (June 21).

SENIOR LECTURER (honours graduate in pharmacy or with other suitable qualifications) IN PHARMACOLOGY—The Registrar, The Technical College, Sunderland, Co. Durham (June 21).

SENIOR LECTURER (with a degree in statistics or in mathematics with research experience in statistics) IN MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS—The Clerk to the Governors, Chelsea College of Science and Technology, Manresa Road, London, S.W.3 (June 21).

RESEARCH SCHOLAR IN ENTOMOLOGY—The Registrar, University College of the West Indies, Kingston 7, Jamaica (June 22).

LECTURER (with a recognized degree in agriculture) IN AGRICULTURE—The Clerk to the Governors, Essex Institute of Agriculture, Writtle, Chelmsford, Essex (June 25).

UNIVERSITY LECTURERS or UNIVERSITY ASSISTANT LECTURERS IN MATHEMATICS—The Secretary of the Appointments Committee of the Faculty of Mathematics, Bene't Street, Cambridge (June 25).

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS IN THE CERAMICS DIVISION, Houldsworth School of Applied Science, to undertake mainly physical and physico-chemical investigations of the diffusion of gases in dense ceramics and in glass—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (June 26).

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY—The Registrar, The University, Leicester (June 27).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with an honours degree in chemistry and a good knowledge of carbohydrates, and preferably some research experience) IN THE TECHNICAL CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT, for studies in the composition of grass and silage—The Secretary, Hannah Dairy Research Institute, Ayr, Scotland (June 27).

KEEPER (with a good honours degree in botany, a knowledge of economic botany, and the ability to present the subject to the public) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY; and an ASSISTANT (TECHNICAL) (with an appropriate university degree or equivalent qualification) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF VERTEBRATE ZOOLOGY, to assist primarily in taxonomic and laboratory work—The Director, Liverpool Public Museums, Carnatic Hall, Elmswood Road, Liverpool 18 (June 28).

LECTURER/ASSISTANT LECTURER IN PHYSICS—The Registrar, The University, Hull (June 28).

POST-DOCTORAL FELLOW IN CHEMISTRY, for research with Prof. R. D. Haworth, F.R.S., on the chemistry of naturally occurring tannins—The Registrar, The University, Sheffield (June 28).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS—The Registrar, The University, Leeds 2 (June 30).

LEVERHULME STUDENT (with a postgraduate diploma in chemical engineering or equivalent) IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING—The Registrar, King's College, Strand, London, W.C.2 (June 30).

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a good honours degree in an appropriate subject), to study aspects of the mechanisms of transmission of insect-borne plant viruses; and a PRINCIPAL SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a good honours degree in an appropriate subject), to lead the genetical investigations arising from the Institute's rubus, ribes and vegetable breeding programmes—The Secretary, Scottish Horticultural Research Institute, Mylnfield, Invergowrie, by Dundee (June 30).

SENIOR RESEARCH ASSISTANT (honours graduate in engineering or physics) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING—The Registrar, The University, Nottingham (June 30).

TUTORIAL RESEARCH STUDENT IN BOTANY; and a TUTORIAL RESEARCH STUDENT IN ZOOLOGY—The Principal, Royal Holloway College (University of London), Englefield Green, Surrey (June 30).

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS, for experimental work on the thermodynamic properties of mixtures—The Registrar, The University, Reading (July 1).

CHAIR OF LIGHT ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING in the Imperial College of Science and Technology—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (July 8).

SENIOR LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL BOTANY—The Registrar, University College of Wales, Aberystwyth (July 12).

LECTURER (with special qualifications in physical chemistry) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY AND CHEMICAL ENGINEERING, 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, July 25).

RESEARCH FELLOWS (Grade I or Grade II) IN (a) CHEMISTRY, to undertake fundamental investigations on the chemistry of West African medicinal plants; and (b) ZOOLOGY, for research into the ecology of grain-eating weaver birds in Northern Nigeria, at University College, Ibadan, Nigeria—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 29 Woburn Square, London, W.C.1 (July 30).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER IN CHEMISTRY at the University of Malaya—The Secretary, Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas, 29 Woburn Square, London, W.C.1 (July 31).

SENIOR LECTURER or LECTURER IN GEOLOGY at the University of Auckland, New Zealand—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (New Zealand, July 31).

CHAIR OF BOTANY in the University of Hong Kong—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Hong Kong, August 15).

LECTURER IN GEOLOGY—The Secretary, University College, Cork, Ireland (September 30).

ASSISTANT PHYSICIST (with a first- or second-class honours degree and preferably with previous experience) IN THE RADIOTHERAPY CENTRE—The Secretary, St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford, Surrey.

CHEMIST/PETROLOGIST (with an honours degree in geology and at least three years postgraduate experience as a chemist and/or petrologist) IN THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY DEPARTMENT, Government of British Guiana—The Director of Recruitment, Colonial Office, London, S.W.1, quoting BCD.105/30/08/T.

EXPERIMENTAL/ASSISTANT EXPERIMENTAL OFFICER (with H.S.C. (Science) or equivalent qualification), to assist in research into the physical and mechanical properties of high explosives—The Senior Recruitment Officer, Atomic Weapons Research Establishment, Aldermaston, Berkshire, quoting Ref. C/1480/84.

LECTURER (fully qualified electrical engineer, preferably with experience or special interest in one or more of the following branches: electrical measurement, high-voltage technique, utilization of electric power, or electrical plant) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING—The Registrar, Loughborough College of Technology, Loughborough, quoting Ref. 22/G.

PHYSICS RADIOGRAPHER/LABORATORY ASSISTANT, to work with physics staff in radiotherapy, X-ray field planning, and operation of protection service—The Personnel Officer, St. Thomas' Hospital, London, S.E.1.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (Ph.D.), to participate in researches on organo-metallic and carbonyl compounds—Prof. G. Wilkinson, Inorganic Chemistry Laboratory, Imperial College, London, S.W.7.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (with some postgraduate experience, preferably in biochemistry and general analysis)—The Secretary, St. George's Hospital Medical School, London, S.W.1.