

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, September 22

INSTITUTION OF MINING AND METALLURGY (at the Royal Institution, 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. Anton Gray: "The Future of Mineral Exploration" (Fourth Sir Julius Wernher Memorial Lecture).

Tuesday, September 23

RADAR AND ELECTRONICS ASSOCIATION (at the Royal Society of Arts, John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 7 p.m.—Mr. James Moir: "Stereophonic Sound Systems".

Tuesday, September 23—Wednesday, September 24

INSTITUTION OF MINING AND METALLURGY (in co-operation with the UNITED KINGDOM METAL MINING ASSOCIATION, at 21 Tothill Street, London, S.W.1), at 10 a.m. daily—Symposium on "The Future of Non-Ferrous Mining in Great Britain and Ireland".

Tuesday, September 23—Thursday, September 25

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at 1 Birdcage Walk, London, S.W.1)—International Conference on "Gearing".

Wednesday, September 24

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. A. I. Godfrey: "Statistics in Radio and Television Manufacture".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, PLASTICS AND POLYMER GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Prof. M. Szwarc (Syracuse University): "Living Polymers".

OIL AND COLOUR CHEMISTS' ASSOCIATION, LONDON SECTION (joint meeting with the SOCIETY OF DYERS AND COLOURISTS, at the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, Mansion House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 7 p.m.—Dr. J. L. Molliet: "Surface Activity—the General Concept and some Consequences".

Wednesday, September 24—Friday, September 26

INSTITUTE OF PETROLEUM HYDROCARBON RESEARCH GROUP—MASS SPECTROMETRY PANEL, and COMMITTEE E-14 of the AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING MATERIALS in the Beveridge Hall, Senate House, University of London, Gower Street, London, W.C.1)—Conference on "Mass Spectrometry".

Wednesday, September 24—Friday, October 3

INDUSTRIAL FUEL EFFICIENCY EXHIBITION (at the National Hall, Olympia, London).*

Thursday, September 25, Friday, September 26, Tuesday, September 30 and Wednesday, October 1, from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. daily—Series of Technical Meetings on "Lower Costs and Higher Production through Better Fuel Utilization".

Thursday, September 25—Friday, September 26

INSTITUTE OF BIOLOGY (in the Lecture Hall, Royal Geographical Society, Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 10 a.m. daily—Symposium on "The Effects of Pollution on Living Material".

Friday, September 26—Saturday, September 27

INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS, ELECTRONICS GROUP (at University College, London, W.C.1)—Meeting on "Solid State Memory and Switching Devices".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

ASSISTANT RESIDENT SUPERVISOR (with a degree in agriculture and a special interest in animal husbandry) FOR CERTIFICATE COURSES IN AGRICULTURE—The Secretary, The North of Scotland College of Agriculture, 414 Union Street, Aberdeen (September 23).

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (graduate in bacteriology) IN CHEMISTRY, to carry out routine growing of micro-organisms in connexion with a biosynthesis programme—The Registrar, The University, Manchester (September 29).

SENIOR LECTURER OR LECTURER IN BOTANY—The Registrar, The University, Manchester (September 30).

LECTURER (with a medical qualification) IN BACTERIOLOGY at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow—The Secretary of University Court, The University, Glasgow (October 10).

LECTURER (with an honours degree in mathematics or mathematical physics, lecturing experience, and preferably experience in some aeronautical subject and/or numerical methods) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS—The Recorder, The College of Aeronautics, Cranfield, Bletchley, Bucks (October 11).

KEEPER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY—The Director, National Museum of Wales, Cardiff (October 24).

CHAIR OF SOLID STATE PHYSICS tenable at the Imperial College of Science and Technology—The Academic Registrar, University of London, Senate House, London, W.C.1 (October 27).

LECTURER IN PHYSIOLOGY—The Secretary, The University, Aberdeen (October 31).

LECTURER IN PSYCHOLOGY at the University of Western Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, October 31).

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

LECTURER/SENIOR LECTURER IN PATHOLOGY at the University of Sydney, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, October 31).

LECTURER (with a degree in science or agricultural science and interests in the fields of physical and inorganic chemistry) IN AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTRY (PHYSICAL AND INORGANIC) at the University of Queensland, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, October 31).

CHAIR OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING tenable at King's College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne—The Registrar, University Office, 46 North Bailey, Durham (November 15).

LECTURER IN PHYSICS, and a SENIOR LECTURER or SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW IN THEORETICAL PHYSICS at the University of New England, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, November 28).

RALSTON PROFESSOR OF ZOOLOGY at the University of Tasmania, Australia—The Secretary, Association of Universities of the British Commonwealth, 36 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (Australia, December 15).

AGRONOMIST at the West African Institute for Oil Palm Research, for research work on the cultivation of the oil palm; and PLANT PHYSIOLOGISTS (2), one to review present methods of production and initiate ways of increasing the supply of palm wine, and the other to carry out leaf analysis and other investigations into the nutrition of the oil palm—The Director of Recruitment, Colonial Office, London, S.W.1, quoting BCD.197/199/013.

ASSISTANT LECTURER (Grade B) IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, to assist in courses for O.N.C. and H.N.C. in electrical engineering; and an ASSISTANT LECTURER (Grade B) IN APPLIED PHYSICS, for O.N.C. course developing to H.N.C. level in Session 1959–60—The Principal, Farnborough Technical College, Boundary Road, Farnborough, Hants.

ASSISTANTS (either sex, with a good reading knowledge of Russian or Italian, and preferably scientific interests), for abstracting papers in economic entomology—The Director, Commonwealth Institute of Entomology, 56 Queen's Gate, London, S.W.7.

BIOCHEMIST, basic grade (A.R.I.C. or B.Sc. with honours in chemistry or biochemistry)—The House Governor, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Edgbaston, Birmingham 15.

LECTURER (with a good honours degree in chemistry or F.R.I.C.) IN INORGANIC CHEMISTRY at Coventry Technical College—Director of Education, Council Offices, Coventry.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT (with a good first degree in botany or horticulture, and preferably research experience and a higher degree), for work on the physiology of flowering in carnations—Prof. O. V. S. Heath, Department of Horticulture, The University, Reading.

SCIENTIFIC OFFICER (with a first- or good second-class honours degree), to lead a section applying the techniques of gamma-ray spectrometry to the analysis of radioactive material and to expand the programme—Group Recruitment Officer (1193/34), United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority, Atomic Energy Research Establishment, Harwell, Didcot, Berks.

TECHNICAL RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN THE PHYSIOLOGY DEPARTMENT—The Secretary, Queen Elizabeth College (University of London), Campden Hill Road, London, W.8.

REPORTS and other PUBLICATIONS

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Great Britain and Ireland

Guide to Evening Classes in Middlesex, Session 1958–59. Pp. 48 + 4 plates. (London: Middlesex County Council Education Committee, Education Offices, 1958.) [227

University Grants Committee. Returns from Universities and University Colleges in receipt of Treasury Grant, Academic Year 1956–1957. Pp. 50. (Cmd. 477.) (London: H.M. Stationery Office, 1958.) 4s. net. [227

Biochemical Pharmacology, Vol. 1, No. 1 (July, 1958.) Pp. 104. Subscription (including postage): (A) £6 (U.S.A. 17 dollars) per volume; (B) for subscribers certifying that the journal is for their own personal use—£5 5s. (15 dollars) per annum. Four issues per volume. (London: Pergamon Press, 1958.) [227

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