

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, April 13

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, EDUCATION DISCUSSION CIRCLE (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 6 p.m. Discussion on "The Function and Content of an Electric Theory Course" opened by Mr. F. E. Rogers.

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 8.30 p.m.—Lieutenant N. C. Flemming: "Last Summer's Cambridge Expedition to Explore the Submerged Ruins of an Ancient Port and City Off the Libyan Coast".

Tuesday, April 14

INSTITUTION OF BRITISH AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERS (at 6 Buckingham Gate, London, S.W.1), at 2.15 p.m.—Mr. P. H. Bailey: "The Measurement of Crop Drier Performance".

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON (at the Zoological Gardens, Regent's Park, London, N.W.1), at 5 p.m.—Scientific Papers.

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, AUTOMOBILE DIVISION (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. D. L. Pratt: "The Performance of Vehicles Under Trans-Antarctic Conditions".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, LONDON GRADUATE AND STUDENT SECTION (joint meeting with the GRADUATE AND STUDENT SECTIONS OF THE INSTITUTIONS OF CIVIL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 6.30 p.m.—The Rt. Hon. the Viscount Chandos, P.C., D.S.O., M.C.: "Finance and the Engineer".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, CORROSION GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Prof. W. Feitknecht (University of Berne): "Studies of the Influence of Chemical Factors on the Corrosion of Metals" (Spring Lecture).

INSTITUTE OF METALS (in the Lecture Theatre of the Royal Institution, Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 7 p.m. Prof. F. Hoyle, F.R.S.: "The Scientific Uses of Space Exploration".

Tuesday, April 14—Wednesday, April 15

LABORATORY ANIMALS CENTRE (at the Royal Veterinary College, Royal College Street, London, N.W.1)—Twelfth L.A.C. Congress.

Wednesday, April 15

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London; W.C.2), at 2.30 p.m.—Prof. George C. Varley: "The Biological Control of Agricultural Pests" (Fernihurst Lecture).

PHYSICAL SOCIETY, COLOUR GROUP (at the Victoria and Albert Museum, South Kensington, London, S.W.7), at 3.15 p.m.—Annual General Meeting. Mr. J. W. Perry: "Psychophysical Measurement" (Chairman's Address).

ROYAL STATISTICAL SOCIETY (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.15 p.m.—Mr. P. A. Stone: "The Economics of Housing and Urban Development".

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (in the Chemistry Theatre, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 6 p.m.—Colonel H. T. Jessop: "Photoelasticity at University College London: Jubilee Commemoration of the Work of E. G. Coker and L. N. G. Filon, 1909–1937": with an Exhibition of Work in Photoelasticity at University College London, in the Department of Physics (also open April 16 and 17).*

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN (at 17 Bloomsbury Square, London, W.C.1), at 7.30 p.m.—Dr. J. B. Stenlake: "Progress in the Chemistry of Natural Products".

Thursday, April 16

LABORATORY ANIMALS CENTRE (at the Royal Veterinary College, Royal College Street, London, N.W.1), at 9.30 a.m.—Symposium on "Quality in Laboratory Animals".

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Prof. E. L. Hirst, F.R.S.: "Molecular Structure in the Polysaccharide Group" (Bakerian Lecture).

INSTITUTION OF MINING AND METALLURGY (at the Geological Society of London, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Mr. F. Mendelssohn: "Structure of the Road Antelope Deposit".

LINNEAN SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. Kenneth Sporne: "Correlation of Biological Characters"; Prof. H. Grüneberg, F.R.S.: "On Correlation of Characters in the Mouse".

LONDON MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY (at the Royal Astronomical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. D. A. Edwards: "Commutative Algebras of Operators".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, UTILIZATION SECTION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. D. O. Bishop and Dr. G. S. Brosnan: "An Electromagnetic, Variable-Ratio, Torque Converter".

ROYAL ANTHROPOLOGICAL INSTITUTE (at 21 Bedford Square, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. G. Ainsworth Harrison: "Environmental Determination of Mammalian Morphology".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, ROAD AND BUILDING MATERIALS GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Annual General Meeting, followed by Mr. R. I. Hughes: "Adhesion in Bitumen Macadam".

SOCIETY OF INSTRUMENT TECHNOLOGY, CONTROL SECTION (at Mansion House, Portland Place, London, W.1), at 6 p.m.—Annual General Meeting, followed by Mr. A. P. Roberts: "Self-Optimising Control System for a Certain Class of Randomly Varying Inputs".

BRITISH COMPUTER SOCIETY (at the Northampton College of Advanced Technology, St. John Street, London, E.C.1), at 6.15 p.m.—Prof. L. Hogben, F.R.S.: "The Mechanical Translation of Languages".

BRITISH INSTITUTION OF RADIO ENGINEERS, RADIO GROUP (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Inaugural Meeting.

SOCIETY FOR ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY, BIOLOGICAL METHODS GROUP (at "The Feathers", Tudor Street, London, E.C.4), at 6.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Problems of Recording and Communicating Technical Information in a Commercial Research Organization", opened by Miss Pamela D. Waterhouse.

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FINE CHEMICALS GROUP (at the Royal Institution, Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Prof. A. Stoll: "The Cardiac Digitalis Glycosides".

BRITISH INSTITUTE OF RADIOLOGY, incorporated with the RONTGEN SOCIETY (at 32 Welbeck Street, London, W.1), at 8 p.m.—Prof. G. Stead: "1895 and All That" (Silvanus Thompson Memorial Lecture).

Thursday, April 16—Thursday, April 30

ENGINEERING, MARINE, WELDING AND NUCLEAR ENERGY EXHIBITION (at Olympia, London).*

Friday, April 17

INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS (at the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 9.45 a.m.—Symposium on "Current Developments in the Production of High Vacuum".

PLASTICS INSTITUTE (joint meeting with the LONDON SECTION OF THE INSTITUTION OF THE RUBBER INDUSTRY, in the William Beveridge Hall of the London University, Malet Street, London, W.C.1), at 10 a.m.—Conference on "Adhesion".

ASSOCIATION OF APPLIED BIOLOGISTS (in the Metallurgy Lecture Theatre, Royal School of Mines, Imperial College, Prince Consort Road, London, S.W.7), at 2.15 p.m.—Annual General Meeting, followed by Dr. I. Thomas: "Control and Conservation" (Presidential Address).

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 4 p.m.—Symposium on "Biomechanics".

INSTITUTE OF NAVIGATION (at the Royal Geographical Society, 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 5.15 p.m.—Colonel C. Powell: "The Dextra Trials".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

SENIOR LECTURER IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY; a LECTURER IN CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY; LECTURERS (2) IN MATHEMATICS; an ASSISTANT (Grade B) IN MATHEMATICS; LECTURERS (2) IN PHYSICS; and an ASSISTANT (Grade B) IN PHYSICS—The Registrar, College of Technology, Ashley Down, Bristol 7 (April 16).

ASSISTANT, Grade A (with a degree or equivalent qualifications), IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCE, Northampton College of Technology, to teach chemistry and physics—The Chief Education Officer, Borough Education Office, "Springfield", Cliftonville, Northampton (April 18).

LECTURER, Grade II (a) (with a good honours degree in physics and teaching and/or industrial experience) IN PHYSICS at Dundee Technical College—The Clerk and Treasurer, Institute of Art and Technology, 40 Bell Street, Dundee (April 18).

LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF METALLURGY, to teach and carry out research in Physical Metallurgy—The Registrar, The University, Liverpool (April 18).

ASSAY MASTER—Sir Douglas S. Branson, Law Clerk to the Guardians, Assay Office, 6 Paradise Square, Sheffield 1 (April 20).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER (with a good honours degree in chemistry and special qualifications in physical chemistry) IN CHEMISTRY—The Registrar, King's College (University of London), Strand, London, W.C.2 (April 20).

ASSISTANT LECTURERS (2) IN PHYSICS—The Registrar, Queen Mary College (University of London), Mile End Road, London, E.1 (April 22).

LECTURER (with a good honours degree and some experience in research and in industry) IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING—The Registrar, King's College (University of London), Strand, London, W.C.2 (April 22).

ASSISTANT LECTURER IN PURE OR APPLIED MATHEMATICS—The Secretary, Queen Elizabeth College (University of London), Campden Hill Road, London, W.8 (April 25).

CHAIR OF SOCIOLOGY—The Registrar, The University, Leicester (April 25).

LECTURER or ASSISTANT LECTURER IN PHYSICS—The Registrar, Manchester College of Science and Technology, Manchester 1 (April 25).

SENIOR LECTURER IN POLITICAL AND SOCIAL GEOGRAPHY—The Registrar, The University, Leicester (April 25).

ASSISTANT LECTURER (with a degree in botany with some zoology) IN BIOLOGY—The Registrar, University College of North Staffordshire, Keele, Staffs (April 30).

ASSISTANT LECTURERS IN PURE MATHEMATICS, ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING, CHEMISTRY (INORGANIC and PHYSICAL), AGRICULTURE (ANIMAL GENETICS), MARINE BIOLOGY and PSYCHOLOGY—The Secretary and Registrar, University College of North Wales, Bangor (April 30).

LECTURER (honours graduate in science, with qualifications in two of the following: botany, chemistry or geography) IN EDUCATION—The Secretary and Registrar, University College of North Wales, Bangor (April 30).

SENIOR LECTURER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSIOLOGY, 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, April 30).