

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

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

Monday, November 26

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Postgraduate Medical School of London, Ducane Road, London, W.12), at 4 p.m.—Dr. Brian Aekner: "Alcohol Addiction".*

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE (in the Council Room of the Science Museum, Exhibition Road, London, S.W.7), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. Herbert Dingle: "A Hundred Years of Spectroscopy".

BRITISH INSTITUTION OF RADIO ENGINEERS, TELEVISION GROUP (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. J. Wilson and Mr. A. W. Comer: "Transistorized Television Camera Chain".

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, HYDRAULIC PLANT AND MACHINERY GROUP (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Pump Test Codes".

INSTITUTE OF METALS (at the Royal School of Mines, South Kensington, London, S.W.7), at 7 p.m.—Prof. R. F. Mehl: "A Few Problems about Pearlite and Bainite".

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 8.30 p.m.—Mr. Eric Shipton, C.B.E.: "Land of Fire".

Tuesday, November 27

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 1.15 p.m.—Mr. D. J. Furley: "The Invention of Atoms".*

ROYAL INSTITUTION OF NAVAL ARCHITECTS (at the Institute of Marine Engineers, 76 Mark Lane, London, E.C.3), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. J. W. Landis: "Operating Experience with Nuclear Propulsion".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. P. G. H. Gell: "Can Hypersensitivity Cause Disease"?* (Thirteenth of eighteen lectures on "The Scientific Basis of Medicine" organized by the British Postgraduate Medical Federation.)

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, AUTOMOBILE DIVISION (joint meeting with the LUBRICATION AND WEAR GROUP and the INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES GROUP, at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Oil Drain Periods".

RESEARCH DEFENCE SOCIETY (in the Physiology Lecture Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 6 p.m.—Sir Derrick Dunlop: "The Safety of Drugs" (Thirty-first Stephen Paget Memorial Lecture).

SOCIETY FOR ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY, PHYSICAL METHODS GROUP (at the Chemical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Annual General Meeting, followed by meeting on "Recent Improvements in Separation Techniques".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, PLASTICS AND POLYMER GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Prof. R. N. Haszeldine: "Progress in Fluoro-Polymers".

SOCIETY OF INSTRUMENT TECHNOLOGY, AUTOMATION SECTION (at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 7 p.m.—Mr. D. Cameron Small: "Automation in the Process Industries with particular reference to the Biscuit Industry".

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, LONDON SECTION (joint meeting with the SOUTH-EAST ESSEX TECHNICAL COLLEGE CHEMICAL SOCIETY, at the South-East Essex Technical College, Longbridge Road, Dagenham, Essex), at 7 p.m.—Prof. J. A. V. Butler, F.R.S.: "Nucleic Acids and Heredity".

Wednesday, November 28

INSTITUTE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT: INSTITUTE OF OFFICE MANAGEMENT (at the Connaught Rooms, Great Queen Street, London, W.C.2), at 9.15 a.m. to 4.45 p.m.—Conference on "The Electronic Computer's Challenge to Personnel Management".

PLASTICS INSTITUTE (at the Corrosion and Metal Finishing Exhibition, Olympia, London), at 2.30 p.m.—Mr. K. V. Pepper: "Plastics in Corrosion-resistant Applications", followed by a discussion forum.

INSTITUTE OF FUEL (at the Central Electricity Research Laboratories, Leatherhead, Surrey), at 5.30 p.m.—Paper on "Work of C.E.R.L. on Combustion and Related Topics".*

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, POWER DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. W. J. A. Sykes: "Southern Region Electrification".

SOCIETY OF APOTHECARIES OF LONDON, FACULTY OF THE HISTORY OF MEDICINE AND PHARMACY (at Apothecaries Hall, Black Friars Lane, London, E.C.4), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. W. S. C. Copeman: "The History of Gout" (The Sydenham Lecture).

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. J. Lederberg (Stanford): "The Resolution of Bacterial Genes".*

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS (at John Adam Street, Adelphi, London, W.C.2), at 6 p.m.—Mr. J. E. H. Davies: "Pipelines".

SOCIETY OF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS (in the Mechanical Engineering Department, Imperial College, London, S.W.7), at p.m.—Mr. G. B. Booth: "Sweep Random Vibration".

BRITISH INDUSTRIAL BIOLOGICAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATION (at the School of Pharmacy, Brunswick Square, London, W.C.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Prof. Harold C. Hodge (U.S.A.): "Research Needs in the Toxicology of Food Additives".*

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FOOD GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Meeting on "Food Technology in Ireland".

Wednesday, November 28—Thursday, November 29

IRON AND STEEL INSTITUTE (at the Federation of British Industries, Tothill Street, London, S.W.1, and at the Iron and Steel Institute, 4 Grosvenor Gardens, London, S.W.1)—Autumn General Meeting, and the Forty-fifth Meeting of the Iron and Steel Engineers Group.

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Regent's Park, London, N.W.1), at 10 a.m. daily—Symposium on "Cardiovascular Anatomy and Pathology".

Wednesday, November 28—Friday, November 30

BRITISH PLASTICS FEDERATION (at the Café Royal, Regent Street, London, W.1)—Third International Reinforced Plastics Conference.

Thursday, November 29

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, SCIENCE AND GENERAL DIVISION P.G.S.8 (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Training for the Profession of Electrical Engineering" opened by Mr. S. E. Goodall.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. J. Peypys: "Immunological Responses in Man to Dusts of Vegetable Origin".* (Fourteenth of eighteen lectures on "The Scientific Basis of Medicine" organized by the British Postgraduate Medical Federation.)

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, LUBRICATION AND WEAR GROUP (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Lubrication of High-Speed Rolling Bearings".

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, LONDON SECTION (joint meeting with the BATTERSEA COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY CHEMICAL SOCIETY, at the Battersea College of Technology, Battersea Park Road, London, S.W.11), at 7 p.m.—Dr. D. J. Millen: "Some Developments in Microwave Spectroscopy".

Friday, November 30

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 2.30 p.m.—Anniversary Meeting.

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Mr. K. D. C. Vernon: "The Foundation and Early Years of the Royal Institution".

Saturday, December 1

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL (at Horniman Museum, London Road, Forest Hill, London, S.E.23), at 3.30 p.m.—Miss Olga Tufnell: "Dress and Ornament in Biblical Times".

Monday, December 3

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the New Engineering Building Lecture Theatre, University College, Torrington Place, London, W.C.1), at 5 p.m.—Prof. S. A. Schelkunoff (Columbia University): "Generalized Telegraphist's Equations and Their Applications".* (Further lectures on December 5 and 7.)

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE (in the Joint Staff Common Room, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. J. H. Woodger: "Lopsidedness, its Cause and Cure".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRONICS DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Plugs, Sockets and Interconnections" opened by Mr. N. E. Hyde.

ROYAL INSTITUTION, LIBRARY CIRCLE (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. J. S. Chapman: "English Explorers and Their Books".

SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS (at the Geological Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. G. C. Bunn, Mr. D. M. Pilcher and Mr. T. W. Ball: "Reconstruction of Sewers for the Metropolitan Borough of Shoreditch".

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR INTERNATIONAL HEALTH EDUCATION (at the Draper's Hall, Throgmorton Street, London, E.C.2), at 6 p.m.—Dr. Brock Chisholm: "New Horizons in Health".

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 6 p.m.—Mr. Jens Bjerre: "Yendumu" (Colour films with commentary).

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, LONDON SECTION (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Mr. J. E. Davis: "Recent Developments in the Gas Industry".

APPOINTMENTS VACANT

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

LECTURERS (graduates with good honours degrees) IN (a) PURE AND/OR APPLIED MATHEMATICS; (b) PHYSICS, and (c) BOTANY at University College of Cape Coast, Ghana—The Assistant Registrar (Overseas), University of Ghana, 15 Gordon Square, London, W.C.1 (November 28).