

## BRITISH DIARY

Monday, June 9—Friday, June 20

IMPERIAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, APPLIED OPTICS SECTION (at Prince Consort Road, London, SW7)—Summer School on "Applied Optics".

Tuesday, June 10

UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER (in the Astronomy Department) from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.—Linked Colloquia on "Natural Plasmas".

ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Regent's Park, London, NW1), at 5 p.m.—Professor H. E. Hinton: "An Unusual Respiratory Adaptation in Insects and Mites"; Dr J. D. Carthy: "The Field Studies Council To-day"; Films: "Operation Osprey" and "Snowy Owls of Shetland".

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, Gower Street, London, WC1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr Bernice Grafstein: "Transport of Materials Down Nerve Axons".

Wednesday, June 11

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at Chelsea College of Science and Technology, Manresa Road, London, SW3), at 11 a.m.—Dr M. Machover: "Selected Topics in Recursion Theory".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Royal Postgraduate School, Du Cane Road, London, W12), at 2 p.m.—Dr J. Banatvala: "Recent Advances in the Study of Rubella".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at Chelsea College of Science and Technology, Manresa Road, London, SW3), at 2.45 p.m.—Professor Arthur Fine: "Philosophical Problems of Quantum Physics".

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON (in the Physics Theatre, Gower Street, London, WC1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr A. P. Wilmore: "X-rays from the Stars".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Warburg Institute, Woburn Square, London, WC1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr Peter Dronke: "Uses of Myth in Twelfth-Century Thought".

Thursday, June 12

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR RESEARCH ON AGEING, in conjunction with the Ciba Foundation (at the Royal Society of Medicine, 1 Wimpole Street, London, W1), at 2 p.m.—Symposium on "Vascular Changes During Ageing". 5.30 p.m.—Dr Alex Comfort: "Ageing as Information Loss" (Ciba Foundation's 13th (Annual) Lecture on Ageing Research).

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at Chelsea College of Science and Technology, Manresa Road, London, SW3), at 2.15 p.m.—Professor M. Strauss: "Philosophy of Quantum Mechanics".

ROYAL SOCIETY (at 6 Carlton House Terrace, London, SW1), at 4.30 p.m.—Professor R. H. Dalitz, FRS: "Particles and Interactions—the Problems of High-Energy Physics" (The Bakerian Lecture).

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at Westminster Medical School, Horseferry Road, London, SW1), at 5.15 p.m.—Mr Miles Irving: "Shock".

Thursday, June 12—Friday, June 13

WOOLWICH POLYTECHNIC, DIVISION OF MATERIALS AND MOLECULAR SCIENCE (at Wellington Street, London, SE18)—Symposium on "Liquid Crystals".

Monday, June 16

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Middlesex Hospital Medical School, Mortimer Street, London, W1), at 5.30 p.m.—Professor D. R. Curtis (Cannberra): "Micropharmacology of Synapses" (further lectures on June 17 and 18).

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