

March 30–April 1, 1971, **Electro Chemical Engineering**, Newcastle upon Tyne (Institution of Chemical Engineers, 16 Belgrave Square, London SW1).

April 2–7, 1971, **Enzyme and Fermentation Biotechnology**, Guildford (The Assistant Secretary, Society of Chemical Industry, 14 Belgrave Square, London SW1).

May 4–8, 1971, **Surface Properties and Appearance**, Torquay (Oil and Colour Chemists' Association, Wax Chandlers' Hall, Gresham Street, London EC2).

May 17–20, 1971, **Australian Biochemical Society Conference**, Brisbane (Dr J. N. Mansbridge, Department of Biochemistry, University of Queensland, St Lucia, Q 4067, Australia).

June 4–12, 1971, **International Seed Testing Association Congress**, Washington (ISTA Secretariat, Box 68, N-1432, Vollebakk, Norway).

June 21–24, 1971, **Temperature, its Measurement and Control in Science and Industry**, Washington (Mr V. J. Giardina, Instrument Society of America, 400 Stanwix Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222, USA).

July 12–23, 1971, **Microwave Solid State Vacation School**, Leeds (Divisional Secretary (Electronics), Institute of Electrical Engineers, Savoy Place, London WC2R OBL).

July 25–31, 1971, **Physiological Sciences**, Munich (Secretariat, XXV International Congress of Physiological Sciences, 8000 Munich 12, Theresienhoehe 15, Federal Republic of Germany).

August 1–6, 1971, **Immunology**, Washington (Secretariat, First International Congress of Immunology, 9650 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, Maryland 20014, USA).

August 18–September 3, 1971, **Pacific Science Congress**, Canberra (Organizing Secretary, Twelfth Pacific Science Congress, Australian Academy of Science, Gordon Street, Canberra City, ACT, Australia 2601).

August 23–26, 1971, **Permian and Triassic Systems**, Calgary (Dr Alan McGugan, Department of Geology, University of Calgary, Calgary 44, Alberta, Canada).

August 26–31, 1971, **Stereology**, Berne (Hans Giger, Anatomisches Institut, Buhlstrasse 26, CH-3012 Berne, Switzerland).

August 30–September 2, 1971. **Tritium**, Las Vegas (Dr A. Alan Moghissi, Southwestern Radiological Health Laboratory, PO Box 15027, Las Vegas, Nevada 89114, USA).

August 30–September 2, 1971, **Safety and Health in Shipbuilding and Ship Repairing**, Helsinki (Institute of Occupational Health, Haartmaninkatu 1, Helsinki, 25, Finland).

August 30–September 4, 1971, **Nuclear Medicine and Biology**, Montreal (Professor J. Sternberg, Faculty of Medicine, University of Montreal, PO Box 6128, Montreal 101, Canada).

August 31–September 3, 1971, **Free Radicals**, Lyons (M. Peyron, Institut National des Sciences Appliquées, 69 Villeurbanne, France).

September 1–3, 1971, **Pattern Recognition**, Lancaster (Meetings Officer, The Institute of Physics and the Physical Society, 47 Belgrave Square, London SW1).

September 1–11, 1971, **Structural, Functional and Chemical Characteristics of Developing Neurones and Neurone Sets**, Valle d'Aosta (Dr H. Van der Loos, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Department of Anatomy, 725 North Wolfe Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21205, USA).

September 2–4, 1971, **Nucleic Acids and Proteins in Higher Plants**, Tihany, Hungary (Dr G. L. Farkas, Institute of Plant Physiology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Karolina ut 29, Budapest XI, Hungary).

## British Diary

Monday, December 28

**Man has a Very Short Neck and no Tail** (3 p.m.) Dr John Napier, Royal Institution, 21 Albemarle Street, London W1 (First of Six Christmas Lectures for young people on "Monkeys Without Tails: A Giraffe's Eye View of Man". Further Lectures on December 30, January 1, 4, 6, and 8.)

## Reports and Publications

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- University of Oxford. *Annual Reports 1968/1969*. (Supplement No. 10 to the *University Gazette*, Vol. c, August 1970.) Pp. 25. (Oxford: The University, 1970.) 5s. [211]
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- Tobacco Research Council. *Review of Activities, 1967/69*. Pp. 60. (London: Tobacco Research Council, 1970.) [311]
- Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society of London: A: *Mathematical and Physical Sciences*. Vol. 267, No. 1182 (30 October 1970): On the Theory of Multicomponent Chromatography. By Hyun-Ku Rhee and N. K. Amundson. Pp. 419–455. 20s; \$2.60. Vol. 267, No. 1183 (30 October 1970): A Palaeomagnetic Survey of South American Rock Formations. By K. M. Creer. Pp. 457–558. 52s; \$6.75. (London: The Royal Society, 1970.) [311]
- Ministry of Transport: *Road Research Laboratory. Road Research 1969: Annual Report of the Road Research Laboratory*. Pp. xii+168+21 plates. (London: HMSO, 1970.) 20s net. [411]
- SI: *The International System of Units*. (Ministry of Technology: National Physical Laboratory.) Pp. xi+45. (London: HMSO, 1970.) 12s (60p) net. [511]
- Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh. *British Fungus Flora: Agarics and Boletii*. Edited by D. M. Henderson, P. D. Orton and R. Watling. 1/Boletaceae; Gomphidiaceae; Paxillaceae. By R. Watling. Pp. 125. (Edinburgh and London: HMSO, 1970.) 50s. [511]
- Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society of London: A: *Mathematical and Physical Sciences*. Vol. 268, No. 1184 (5 November 1970): A Discussion on Photoelectron Spectroscopy. Organized by W. C. Price and D. W. Turner. Pp. 1–175. (London: The Royal Society, 1970.) 92s; \$12. [511]
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- The National Central Library: *54th Annual Report of the Executive Committee for the year ending 31 March 1970*. Pp. 25. (London: National Central Library, 1970.) [911]
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- Seatrade*, Vol. 1, No. 1, November 1970. Pp. 1–88. Published monthly. Subscriptions: UK 170s; USA \$34. (London: Seatrade Publications Ltd., 1970.) [911]
- Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society of London: A: *Mathematical and Physical Sciences*. Vol. 267, No. 1181 (29 October 1970): A Discussion on the Structure and Evolution of the Red Sea and the Nature of the Red Sea, Gulf of Aden and Ethiopia Rift Junction. Organized by N. L. Falcon, I. G. Gass, R. W. Girdler and A. S. Laughton. Pp. 1–417. (London: The Royal Society, 1970.) 290s; \$38. [911]
- University of Birmingham. *Science and Engineering Postgraduate Prospectus 1971*. Pp. 80. (Birmingham: The University, 1970.) [1011]
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