Announcements

University News

James N. Butler, Tyco Laboratories Inc., has been appointed Gordon McKay professor of applied chemistry in the Division of Engineering and Applied Physics at Harvard University, Philip B. Tomlinson has been appointed professor of botany.

The title of professor has been conferred on Dr F. J. Weatherall, Department of Medicine, University of Liverpool.

Dr J. Pitt-Rivers, Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes, Paris, has been appointed to the chair of anthropology, London School of Economics, and Professor J. G. Taylor, University of Southampton, has been appointed to the chair of mathematics at King's College, London. The following titles have been conferred within the University of London: professor of sociology, on Dr P. S. Cohen, in respect of his post at the London School of Economics; professor of biochemistry, on Dr J. B. Pridham, in respect of his post at Royal Holloway College; professor of chemistry, on Dr J. H. Ridd, in respect of his post at University College; professor of mathematics, on Professor Herman Bondi, in respect of his post at King's College; professor of bacteriology and immunology, on Professor D. Gwynne, in respect of his post at the Lister Institute of Preventive Medicine; professor of chemistry, on Dr M. L. Tobe, in respect of his post at University College; professor of nuclear medicine, on Dr E. S. Williams, in respect of his post at the Middlesex Hospital Medical School.

Mr V. R. Tindall has been appointed to the chair of obstetrics and gynaecology, University of Manchester, in succession to Professor W. I. C. Morris.

Dr J. J. Turner, University of Cambridge. has been appointed to the chair of inorganic chemistry at the University of Newcastle upon Tyne, and Dr F. E. Hytten has been appointed to a personal professorship in human reproductive physiology at that university.

Dr D. L. Gardner has been appointed to the Musgrave chair of pathology and to the directorship of the University Institute of Pathology in the Queen's University of Belfast.

Dr Findlay L. Swinton, University of Strathclyde, has been appointed to the second chair in chemistry in the new University of Ulster, and Mr Malcolm Skilbeck, University of Bristol, has been appointed to the third chair in education.

Appointments

Clayton R. Iverson has been appointed director-general of the Defence Research Establishment Suffield at Ralston, Alta., in succession to the late B. J. Perry.

Dr N. B. Kreitman has been appointed director of the MRC Unit for Epidemiological Studies in Psychiatry, at the Royal Edinburgh Hospital, in succession to Professor G. M. Carstairs.

Miscellaneous

Professor George B. Kistiakowsky, Harvard University, has been awarded the Priestley medal of the American Chemical Society.

International Meetings

August 26-31, Stereology, Berne (Anatomisches Institut, Bühlstrasse 26, CH-3012, Berne, Switzerland).

September 2-3, Biochemical Society Meeting, Brighton (Executive Secretary, The Biochemical Society, 7 Warwick Court, Holborn, London WC1R 5DP). September 2-4, Control of Human Ageing. Rüschlikon-Zurich (John G. Cartwright, Gottlieb Duttweiler Institute for Economic and Social Studies, The Green Meadow Foundation, Rüschlikon-Zurich. Switzerland).

September 13-15, Surface Chemistry of Oxides, Uxbridge (The Assistant Secretary, The Faraday Society, 6 Gray's Inn Square, London WC1).

September 15-16, Plastics in Medicine and Surgery, Newcastle upon Tyne (A. F. Hall, North Eastern Section Plastics Institute, ICI Agricultural Division, Billingham, Teesside TS23 1LD).

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