# **British Diary**

# Saturday, October 16

Unemployment Among Scientists and Technologists (10 a.m.-6 p.m.) British Society for Social Responsibility in Science, at the Harkness Hall, Birkbeck College, Malet Street, London WC1.

### Tuesday, October 19

Extra-Sensory Perception: Fact or Fallacy? (1.30 p.m.) Dr A. J. Ellison, University of London, at Queen Mary College, Mile End Road, London E1.

Insight, Not Numbers (5.30 p.m.) Professor P. A. Samet, University of London, in the Chemistry Auditorium, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1.

New Techniques for the Determination of the Nutritive Value of Feeding Stuffs for Ruminants (10.30 a.m.) Society of Chemical Industry, Agriculture Group, at 14 Belgrave Square, London SW1.

Problems of Large Power Stations (7.30 p.m.) Institution of Chemical Engineers, jointly with the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, at the University, Nottingham.

The Tectonic and Depositional History of the Eastern Equatorial Pacific During the Cenozoic (5.30 p.m.) Professor Tj H. van Andel, University of London, in the Collegiate Theatre, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1.

Vinyl Resins in Surface Coatings (7 p.m.) Mr D. J. Silsby, Oil and Colour Chemists' Association, at the Pendragon Hotel, Southsea, Hampshire.

### Wednesday, October 20

Application of Satellite Relayed Communications to Civil Aviation and Maritime Use (6 p.m.) Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers, at 9 Bedford Square, London WC1.

Biomedical Research and the Chemist—a View and a Prospect (5 p.m.) The Rt. Hon. the Lord Todd, FRS, at the Royal College of Physicians, 11 St. Andrews Place, Regents Park, London NW1. (Merck Sharp and Dohme Research Laboratories Scientific Lecture.)

Computer-Aided Design in Electronics (5.30 p.m.) Mr P. E. Trier, Institution of Electrical Engineers, at Savoy Place, London WC2.

Developments in Water Based Surface Coatings (7.30 p.m.) Mr A. J. Becalick, Oil and Colour Chemists' Association, at the Carlton Hotel, North Bridge, Edinburgh.

Electronic and Radio Needs for Light Aircraft (6 p.m. discussion) Royal Aeronautical Society, at 4 Hamilton Place, London W1.

Engineering for Nuclear Power (10 a.m., Mr J. C. C. Stewart, Dr D. F. Seymour) Dr Gordon Brown and Mr P. H. W. Wolff, in the Faculty of Applied Science, University of Nottingham. (Bulleid Memorial Lectures.)

How to Survive on the Planet Earth (6.15 p.m.) Dr A. Peccei, United Kingdom Automation Council, in the Council Chamber at the Confederation of British Industry, 21 Tothill Street, London SW1.

Martin Lister (6 p.m.) Mr S. Peter Dance, Society for the Bibliography of Natural History, in the Men's Staff Common Room, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1.

Speech Scrambling and Security (7.30 p.m.) Mr R. C. French, Institution of Electrical Engineers, at the Mullard Research Laboratories, Redhill, Surrey.

The Training of Sandwich Course Students on Degree Courses Containing Options in Analytical Chemistry (3 p.m. discussion meeting) Society for Analytical Chemistry, Education and Training Group, at the Thames Polytechnic, Woolwich, London SE18.

# Thursday, October 21

Agricultural Productivity in the Third World (8.15 p.m.) Professor Sir Joseph Hutchinson, University of London, at Wye College, near Ashford, Kent.

Pollution (7 p.m.) Dr R. B. Brown, Oil and Colour Chemists' Association, at the Beech Tree Hotel, Maxwell Road, Beaconsfield, Bucks.

The Evolution of the Geosyncline Concept (5.30 p.m.) Professor Ken Hsu, University of London, in the Collegiate Theatre, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1.

What Strings on Medical Research? (5.30 p.m.) Sir John Wolfenden, University of London, in the Beveridge Hall, Senate House, London WC1.

# Friday, October 22

The Distance Scale of the Galaxy (9 p.m.)
Sir Richard Woolley, FRS, Royal
Institution, at 21 Albemarle Street,
London W1.

The Paleomagnetism of Marine Sediments (5.30 p.m.) Dr N. D. Opdyke, University of London, in the Collegiate Theatre, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1.

The Quenching of a Diazo-Chromophore Fluorescence by Aliphatic Hydrocarbons (1 p.m.) Royal Institution, Photochemistry Discussion Group, at 21 Albemarle Street, London W1.

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