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Diary of Societies.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24.

INSTITUTION OF MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY ENGINEERS (South-Western District) (at Bridgwater), at 11.

NORTH OF ENGLAND INSTITUTE OF MINING AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (Newcastle-upon-Tyne), at 2.30.—A. M. Hedley: Presidential Inaugural Address.—H. T. Foster: Rescue Work in Mines.—Discussion upon Papers by P. S. Lea on A Few Notes on the "Safety First" Movement, and W. McLaren, C. N. Kemp, and J. L. Thomson on The Scientific Control of Coal-Washing by the Combined Application of Ash Characteristic Curves and X-Ray Examination.

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY (at King's College), at 3.15.—B. Stevanovic: Conational Phenomena in Processes of Judgment.—Miss Ethel Stoneman: Apparatus used to investigate Electrical Changes accompanying Emotional States in the Insane. The Waller Emotometer and the Godefroy Tachogram.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND, at 5.—Mr. Shattock: Demonstration of Cysts.

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (Infotinal Meeting), at 7.—R. A. Chattock and others: Discussion on How can the Cost of Distribution be Cheapened?

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (North-Eastern Centre) (at Armstrong College, Newcastle-upon-Tyne), at 7.—R. W. Gregory: Chairman's Address.

INSTITUTION OF AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERS (Scottish Centre) (at Royal Technical College, Glasgow), at 7.30.—H. K. Thomas: The Automobile Engineer (Presidential Address).

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE (Odontology Section), at 8.—J. L. Payne: Presidential Address.—A. T. Pitts and J. H. Mummary: A Melanotic Epithelial Odontome in a Child.

MEDICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON, at 8.30.—Clinical Evening.

INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY (Manchester and District Section) (Annual General Meeting, at Manchester).—F. Scholefield: Account of the Discussion on the Registration of Chemists at the York Conference.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE (Medicine Section) (at Middlesex Hospital), at 5.30.—Clinical Meeting.

INSTITUTION OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERS (at Junior Institution of Engineers), at 6.30.—Dr. A. P. Thurston: The International Aircraft Navigation Congress.

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (East Midland Sub-Centre) (at the College, Loughborough), at 6.45.—H. D. Symonds: Insulation.

INSTITUTION OF AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERS (Informal Meeting) (at 83 Pall Mall), at 7.—Discussion on Petrol Gauges.

NORTH-EAST COAST INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS (Middlesbrough Branch) (at Cleveland Scientific and Technical Institution, Middlesbrough), at 7.30.—T. W. Ridley: Railways.

ROYAL ANTHROPOLOGICAL INSTITUTE (Indian Section) at 8.15.—S. M. Edwardes: The Population of the City of Bombay: a Few Facts concerning its Origin and Growth.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE, at 9.30.—Sir St. Clair Thomson: Shakespeare as a Guide in the Art and Practice of Medicine.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE (Comparative Medicine Section), at 5.—F. T. G. Hobday: Presidential Address.—Dr. W. H. Andrews: Some Recent Advances in our Knowledge of Plant Poisoning, followed by a discussion.

INSTITUTION OF AUTOMOBILE ENGINEERS (North of England Centre) (at 244 Deansgate, Manchester), at 6.30.—H. K. Thomas: The Automobile Engineer (Presidential Address).

NORTH-EAST COAST INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS (Graduate Section) (at Bolbec Hall, Newcastle-upon-Tyne), at 7.—Chairman's Address.

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY (Newcastle Section) (at Armstrong College), at 7.30.—Prof. H. V. A. Briscoe: The Phenomena of Intensive Drying and their Significance.

ROYAL MICROSCOPICAL SOCIETY (Industrial Applications of the Microscope Section), at 7.30.—Dr. F. J. Brislee: Dark-Ground Illumination for the Examination of Textile Fibres.—J. F. Strachan: The Microscopical Structure of Paper-making Fibres in Relationship to their Manufacturing Properties.

BRITISH PSYCHOLOGICAL SOCIETY (Medical Section) (jointly with the Psychiatry Section of the Royal Society of Medicine) (at 1 Wimpole Street), at 8.30.—Symposium on The Early Treatment of Mental Disorders:—For the Royal Society of Medicine, Psychiatry Section: Sir Maurice Craig; for the British Psychological Society, Medical Section: Dr. W. Brown.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29.

ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY (at 7 Albemarle Street), at 5.30.—W. L. Cowley: Aircraft Transport Economy.

INSTITUTION OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (jointly with Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Institution of Electrical Engineers, Institution of Naval Architects, Institute of Marine Engineers, North-East Coast Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders, Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders in Scotland, Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and Ireland, Institution of Gas Engineers, British Electrical and Allied Manufacturers' Association, British Engineers' Association, Admiralty, War Office, and Air Ministry), at 6.—G. J. Wells: Standard Codes for Tabulating the Results of Trials of Gas-Engines and Gas-Producers.

CHILD-STUDY SOCIETY (at Royal Sanitary Institute), at 6.—Miss Marjorie Gullian: The Teaching of Poetry.

INSTITUTION OF LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS (at Engineers' Club, Coventry Street), at 7.—R. W. Reid: Presidential Address.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE (Urology Section), at 8.30.—R. H. J. Swan: Some Reflections upon Villous-covered Tumours of the Bladder (Presidential Address).

INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY (Glasgow Section) (at Glasgow).—Annual General Meeting.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND, at 5.—Sir Arthur Keith: Demonstration of Preparations and Dissections to illustrate the Evolution of the Human Mechanism of Hearing.

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (Informal Meeting), at 7.—L. Pendred and others: Discussion on Recent Locomotive Progress at Home and Abroad.

JUNIOR INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS, at 7.30.—The Construction and Assembly of 50,000 K.W. Turbo-alternator Plant for Chicago at the Works of Messrs. C. A. Parsons and Co., Ltd. (Kinematograph Lecture).

NORTH-EAST COAST INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS (Middlesbrough Branch, Graduate Section) (at Cleveland Scientific and Technical Institution, Middlesbrough), at 7.30.—G. Jarvis: Manufacture of Coal By-products.

DENTAL BOARD OF THE UNITED KINGDOM (at Royal Society of Medicine), at 8.30.—Prof. L. Hill: Circulatory Changes in Anaesthesia, and the Use of Oxygen.

MANCHESTER LITERARY AND PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

PUBLIC LECTURES.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24.

HORNIMAN MUSEUM (Forest Hill), at 3.30.—H. N. Milligan: The Defences of Animals.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26.

KING'S COLLEGE, at 5.30.—Rev. Dr. F. A. P. Aveling: Psychology and Industry.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, at 5.30.—Viscount Grey of Fallodon: The Open Air Sanctuaries of the National Trust.—At 5.30.—Dr. E. A. Baker: The Use of Reference Books.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29.

BEDFORD COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, at 5.15.—H. Peake: Cave Art and some Modern Counterparts.

KING'S COLLEGE, at 5.30.—Prof. T. P. Nunn: The Influence of Education and Tradition in Social Hygiene.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, at 5.30.—Prof. E. G. Gardner: Italian Universities in the Middle Ages.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31.

HORNIMAN MUSEUM (Forest Hill), at 3.30.—C. D. Forde: Stone Age Man in Brittany.