

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

(Meetings marked with an asterisk are open to the public)

Monday, February 15

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRONICS DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 3 p.m.—Colloquium on "Design of Solid State Power Supplies".

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE (in the Council Room of the Science Museum, Exhibition Road, London, S.W.7), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. R. M. Young: "Mind, Brain, and Behaviour: Gall to Ferrier".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, PESTICIDES GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. A. J. Clarke: "Hatching Agents for Cyst-Forming Nematodes".

Tuesday, February 16

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FOOD GROUP (joint meeting with the Agriculture Group, at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 10.30 a.m.—Meeting on "Potatoes".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Anatomy Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 1.15 p.m.—Dr. H. J. Ralston: "National Parks of the Western United States".*

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Economics, Houghton Street, London, W.C.2), at 5 p.m.—Dr. J. H. M. Beattie: "Ritual and Social Change".*

INSTITUTION OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (at Great George Street, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Sir Alfred Sims: "Warship Design: Interdependence of Science and Engineering" (James Forrest Lecture).

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, SCIENCE AND GENERAL DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Discussion on "Universities Under Fire" opened by Prof. W. E. J. Farvis.

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. R. L. F. Boyd: "The Moon". (Afternoon lecture for Sixth Form Boys and Girls in Schools from London and the Home Counties. To be repeated on February 17, 23 and 24.)

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Imperial College of Science and Technology, London, S.W.7), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. E. R. Laithwaite: "Propulsion Without Wheels" (Inaugural Lecture).*

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. K. B. Roberts: "Peripheral Blood Lymphocytes". (Tenth of sixteen lectures on "The Scientific Basis of Medicine" organized by the British Postgraduate Medical Federation).*

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, NUCLEAR ENERGY GROUP (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Achievement of Availability in Gas-Cooled Reactors".

PLASTICS INSTITUTE, LONDON SECTION ENGINEERING SUB-GROUP (at "The Coachmakers Arms", 85 Marylebone Lane, London, W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Meeting on "Compression Moulding".

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, LONDON SECTION (joint meeting with the Kingston College of Technology Chemical Society, at Kingston College of Technology, Penrhyn Road, Kingston, Surrey), at 7 p.m.—Prof. S. F. Mason: "Circular Dichroism".

Wednesday, February 17

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Postgraduate Medical School of London, Du Cane Road, London, W.12), at 2 p.m.—Dr. A. A. Sharp: "Defibrination Syndrome".*

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE, COMPARATIVE MEDICINE SECTION (at 1 Wimpole Street, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Meeting on "Electroencephalography in Animals".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (at the Central Hall, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. F. C. McLean, C.B.E.: "Colour Television" (Faraday Lecture).

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at King's College, Strand, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. F. R. Whatley: "Botany Revisited" (Inaugural Lecture).*

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRONIC AND RADIO ENGINEERS, RADAR GROUP (at 9 Bedford Square, London, W.C.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. R. Aste: "Transistorized Equipment Designed for Television Exploitation of Radar Information".

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, INDUSTRIAL ADMINISTRATION AND ENGINEERING PRODUCTION GROUP (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Trends in Casting Versus Welding".

SOCIETY OF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS (in the Mechanical Engineering Department, Imperial College of Science and Technology, London, S.W.7), at 6 p.m.—Mr. Trevor Owen: "A Criticism of the Contemporary Approach to Environmental Engineering".

OIL AND COLOUR CHEMISTS' ASSOCIATION, LONDON SECTION (at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 7 p.m.—Mr. G. L. Holbrow: "Dirt Pick-Up of Paints".

ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY, GRADUATES' AND STUDENTS' SECTION (at 4 Hamilton Place, London, W.1), at 7.30 p.m.—Prof. A. R. Collar: "Research at Bristol University".

ASSOCIATION OF THE WILLIAM PENGELLY CAVE RESEARCH CENTRE, in conjunction with IMPERIAL COLLEGE CAVING CLUB (in the Physics Department, Imperial College, London, S.W.7), at 8 p.m.—Mr. G. de G. Sieveking: "Painted Caves of France and Northern Spain".*

Thursday, February 18

PARLIAMENTARY AND SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE (in the River Room, Savoy Hotel, London, W.C.2), at 11.30 a.m.—Annual General Meeting followed by the Annual Luncheon.

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTRY, LONDON SECTION (at Battersea College of Technology, London, S.W.11), at 2 p.m.—Symposium on "Colloidal Solutes".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRONIC AND RADIO ENGINEERS, joint I.E.E./I.E.R.E. COMPUTER GROUPS (at the Institution of Electrical Engineers, Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 2.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m.—Colloquium on "Automatic Aids to Machine Fault Finding".

ROYAL SOCIETY (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 4.30 p.m.—Academician M. V. Keldysh (President of the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R.): "Organization of Science in the U.S.S.R.".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at King's College Hospital Medical School, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5), at 4.30 p.m.—Sir Robert Platt, Bt.: "Hereditability and Environment in Hypertension—the Summing Up" (Wiltshire Memorial Lecture).*

INSTITUTION OF MINING AND METALLURGY (at the Geological Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. A. P. Prosser, Dr. A. J. Wright and Dr. J. D. Stephens: "Physical and Chemical Properties of Natural Copper Silicates which Resemble Chrysocolla"; Dr. A. J. Wright and Dr. A. P. Prosser: "Study of the Reactions and Flotation of Chrysocolla with Alkali-Metal Xanthates and Sulphides".

LINNEAN SOCIETY OF LONDON (at Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Prof. G. E. H. Foxon, Mr. I. R. Bishop, Mr. E. C. Tatchell, Mr. D. Walliker and Dr. J. C. Garnham: "An Expedition to the Lower Amazon, 1964".

LONDON MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY (at the Royal Astronomical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. R. F. Churchhouse: "The Use of Computers to Obtain Results in the Theory of Numbers".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (in the Physiology Theatre, University College, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5 p.m.—Dr. Benno Hess (Heidelberg): "Metabolic Control Mechanisms". (Further lecture on February 22.)

INSTITUTION OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (at Great George Street, London, S.W.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr. R. F. Legget: "Winter Construction Practices in Canada".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. O. L. Zangwill: "Experimental Psychology in Relation to Injury or Disease of the Brain". (Eleventh of sixteen lectures on "The Scientific Basis of Medicine", organized by the British Postgraduate Medical Federation).*

ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY (at 4 Hamilton Place, London, W.1), at 6 p.m.—Mr. H. H. Pearcey: "Swept Wing Aerodynamics".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, ROAD AND BUILDING MATERIALS GROUP (joint meeting with the Institution of Highway Engineers, at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.15 p.m.—Mr. P. D. Thompson: "The Use of Rubber in Bituminous Road Surfacing".

TELEVISION SOCIETY (in the Conference Suite, I.T.A., 70 Brompton Road, London, S.W.3), at 7 p.m.—Discussion on "Six Months Experience with B.B.C.-2".

ROYAL SOCIETY OF TROPICAL MEDICINE AND HYGIENE (at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, London, W.1), at 7.30 p.m.—Médecin-Général Inspecteurs M. A. Vaucel and P. Richet: "Le Service de Santé des Troupes de Marine et la Médecine Tropicale Française".

Friday, February 19

BRITISH INSTITUTE OF RADIOLOGY (in the Reid-Knox Hall, Institute House, 32 Welbeck Street, London, W.1), at 2 p.m.—Radiobiology Meeting.

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, SCIENCE AND GENERAL DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 2.30 p.m. and 5 p.m.—Colloquium on "Electrostatic Precipitators".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the Postgraduate Medical School of London, Du Cane Road, London, W.12), at 4 p.m.—Dr. J. Vallance-Owen: "Modern Views of Diabetes".*

QUEEN MARY COLLEGE (University of London) (in the New Lecture Theatre, Mile End Road, London, E.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. M. W. Thring: "Mankind and Machines" (Inaugural Lecture).*

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FINE CHEMICALS GROUP (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1), at 6.30 p.m.—Prof. R. C. Cookson: "Circular Dichroism".

SOCIETY FOR ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY, MICROCHEMISTRY METHODS GROUP (at the Chemical Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London, W.1), at 6.45 p.m.—Twenty-first Annual General Meeting, followed by Mr. D. W. Wilson: Retiring Chairman's Address.

ROYAL INSTITUTION (at 21 Albemarle Street, London, W.1), at 9 p.m.—Prof. S. Tolansky, F.R.S.: "The Microtopographies of Surfaces".

Saturday, February 20

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL (at the Horniman Museum, London Road, Forest Hill, London, S.E.23), at 3.30 p.m.—Dr. A. Mourant: "Blood Groups, Race and Evolution".*

Monday, February 22

ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY (at 1 Kensington Gore, London, S.W.7), at 5 p.m.—Prof. Emrys Jones: "The London Atlas".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRONICS DIVISION (at Savoy Place, London, W.C.2), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr. J. A. Saxton, Mr. J. A. Lane, Mr. R. W. Meadows and Mr. P. A. Mathews: "Layer Structure of the Troposphere".

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Keppel Street, Gower Street, London, W.C.1), at 5.30 p.m.—Prof. H. S. Kaplan (Stanford): "Unfolding Concepts of Mechanisms in Leukaemogenesis and Carcinogenesis".*

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS, AUTOMOBILE DIVISION (at 1 Birdcage Walk, Westminster, London, S.W.1), at 6 p.m.—Discussion on "Transport in the Year A.D. 2000".

PLASTICS INSTITUTE, LONDON SECTION REINFORCED PLASTICS SUB-GROUP (at the Eccleston Hotel, London, S.W.1), at 7.30 p.m.—Mr. R. Calvert: "Curing Systems".