INSTITUTE OF REFRIGERATION (at the National College for Heating, Ventilating, Refrigeration and Fan Engineering, Southwark Bridge Road, London, SEI), at 6 p.m.—Mr A. E. B. Morphew: "A Current Survey of Quick-Freezing Facilities".

#### Thursday, March 27-Friday, March 28

BIOCHEMICAL SOCIETY; and the NUTRITION SOCIETY (at the University of Reading, Whiteknights Park, Reading)—492nd Meeting. Symposium on "Biochemical Assessment of Protein Needs"; Mr. W. Pirie, FRS: "Com-plementary Ways of Meeting the World's Protein Need"; Scientific Papers.

BRITISH PHARMACOLOGICAL SOCIETY (at the School of Pharmacy, Bruns-wick Square, London, WC1), at 9.30 a.m. daily-Spring Meeting.

## Thursday, March 27-Saturday, March 29

ROYAL SOCIETY (at 6 Carlton House Terrace, London, SW1)—Discussion meeting on "The Structure and Evolution of the Red Sea and the Nature of the Red Sea, Gulf of Aden and Ethiopian Rift Junction", organized by Mr N. L. Falcon, FRS, Mr I. G. Gass, Mr R. W. Girdler and Mr A. S. Laughton.

## Friday, March 28-Saturday, March 29

INSTITUTION OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (at St Nicholas Hotel, Scar-borough)—Seminar of "Cost Reduction Techniques".

SOCIETY FOR ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY, MICROCHEMICAL METHODS GROUP (at University College of N. Walcs, Bangor)—Meeting on "Microanalytical Methods in Agricultural Chemistry".

#### Monday, March 31

ASSOCIATION FOR HIGH SPEED PHOTOGRAPHY (at Imperial College, London SW7), at 10 a.m.—Spring Conference and Annual General Meeting.

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (at Savoy Place, London, WC2), at 5.30 p.m.—Mr J. A. Soper and Mr A. R. Fagg: "The Divided Winding Rotor Synchronous Generator"; Mr S. C. Kapoor, Mr S. S. Kalsi and Dr B. Adkins: "Improvement of Alternator Stability by Quadrature Excitation".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS (at Savoy Place, London, WC2), at 5.30 p.m.—Dr P. Matthews: "Array Thinning".

INSTITUTION OF ELECTRONIC AND RADIO ENGINEERS, SOUTH WALES SECTION (joint meeting with the Institution of Electrical Engineers, at University of Wales Institute of Science and Technology, Cardiff), at 6 p.m.— Mr M. B. Williams: "Digital Data Transmission".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, LONDON SECTION (at 14 Belgrave Square, London, SW1), at 6.30 p.m.—Mr L. G. Sherrington: "Rare Earths".

### Monday, March 31-Tuesday, April I

MATERIALS SCIENCE CLUB; and the BRITISH SOCIETY OF RHEOLOGY (at the University of Surrey, Guildford)—Meeting on "Mechanical Properties and Design".

#### Monday, March 31-Wednesday, April 2

PHYTOCHEMICAL SOCIETY (at the School of Pharmacy, University of Bristol)-Symposium on "Phytochemical Phylogeny".

SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, FINE CHEMICALS AND PESTICIDES GROUPS (at the School of Pharmacy, Brunswick Square, London, WC1)— Symposium on "Veterinary Pesticides".

#### Monday, March 31-Thursday, April 3

ELEVENTH BRITISH THEORETICAL MECHANICS COLLOQUIUM (at the Univer-sity of Nottingham). General lectures by Professor R. S. Rivlin, Professor P. H. Roberts and Professor I. N. Sneddon.

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