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DR. FREDERICK OSBORN ADDRESSES STAFF MEMBERS

An interested audience of more than 500 staff members heard Dr. Frederick Osborn, U. S. Deputy Representative to the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission describe the present status of negotiations for international control of atomic energy in an informal talk at the Theatre yesterday.

Dr. Osborn talked about an hour on that subject and he also traced the work of the committee from the time of his last visit up to the present date.

Various members of the audience have stated that they were so interested in Dr. Osborn's remarks that few realized the length of his informal talk.

"THE MAGIC TOUCH" TONIGHT

Several changes have been made and scenes added to the play, "The Magic Touch", in which several Laboratory staff members will take part, to be presented at the Patchogue High School auditorium, Friday, April 22 at 8:30 p.m. All proceeds are to be donated to Camp Fa-Qua-Tuck, the summer camp for crippled children of Suffolk County.

Tickets for "The Magic Touch" may be purchased from Jim Hallock, Ext. 423 or Mrs. Lillian Bliss, Ext. 646.

DR. MORSE DONATES \$150 TO BERA

The trustees of BERA have announced that they have received a check for \$150 from Dr. Philip M. Morse, to be added to the Association's funds.

Dr. Morse addressed a gathering on the subject of Brookhaven National Laboratory and the check for \$150 represents the payment that was offered to him.

"LISTEN-TO-MUSIC" GROUP TO MEET APRIL 26

The "Listen-to-Music" Group will meet April 26 in the Research Staff Bldg. at 8 p.m. to listen to a program selected by James A. Amick (Chemistry). The program will consist of the following selections: Beethoven's "Third Symphony", Schubert's "Seventh Symphony", Bach's "Staccato and Fugue in B Minor", Mendelssohn's "Fingal's Cave Overture", Chopin's "Etude in E Major" and Moussorgsky's "Night on Bald Mountain".

COMING EVENTS

Golf Tournament -
April 23

Square Dance -
May 5

DR. HAWORTH ANNOUNCES MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

The appointment of Dr. Donald D. Van Slyke as Assistant Director for Biology and Medicine and Dr. Lee E. Farr as Chairman of the Medical Dept. at Brookhaven National Laboratory was announced yesterday by Dr. Leland J. Haworth, director.

"The program of the Medical Dept. will soon be formulated by these men and their colleagues," said Dr. Haworth, "but in general, like the other departments, it will be devoted to fundamental research in nuclear science."

Dr. Van Slyke is a member emeritus of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, with which he has been associated since 1907, engaged in research work on the chemistry and physiology of the amino acids, the physical chemistry of blood gases and electrolytes, renal physiology, and in the development of methods for clinical laboratories and the application of biochemical procedures to clinical medicine. He is perhaps best known in the medical field for his outstanding work on acidosis and Bright's disease and as co-author of "Quantitative Clinical Chemistry," Peters and Van Slyke.

Dr. Van Slyke has received world wide recognition for his work, including an honorary M.D. (Contd. on Page 3)

BNL FISHING CLUB TO ENTER CONTEST

The BNL Fishing Club has announced that they will enter a contest with the Patchogue and the Great South Bay Fishing Clubs, to be held on April 24 on the east side of Moriches Inlet from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. A first prize will be given for the largest fish and a second prize for the most fish. The entrance fee is \$1.00 per person. Further information about the contest may be obtained by calling Charles A. Larson, Ext. 2376.

At the regular meeting of the BNL Fishing Club held on April 11, it was decided that the monthly contests will be as follows:

April - Trout

May - Striped Bass

June - Weak Fish

Any large fish of the species mentioned above should be entered, however, when caught, as they will be considered and judged for prizes even though they were not caught in the months specified. Contest entry blanks may be obtained by calling Miss Lillian Sylvester, Ext. 2132.

The next regular meeting of the Club will be held on May 16 at 12:30 noon in the Research Staff Lounge.

CAMERA FANS TO MEET

The next meeting of the Camera Club will be held on Wednesday, April 27 at 5:15 p.m. in Building T-118 (Photography), corner of Pennsylvania St. and Pascal Place.

HERE'S HOSE!

Female members of the Laboratory staff need not worry any longer when they snag their stockings or a run suddenly develops from any other cause. The Super-Maid Hosiery Company has installed two stocking vending machines: one in Building T-134, Research Staff Building and one in Building T-100, Materials Control. The stockings offered are 51 gauge nylon, light or dark, sizes 8-1/2 to 11 and the price is \$1.00 per pair (the machine is adjusted to take 4 quarters).

Here's your opportunity, girls, to maintain that well-dressed look all day and you need no longer feel down-at-the-heel and bedraggled when a run overtakes you. And, too, BERA will benefit by your purchases, as they will receive a percentage of the profits.

BOOKS ON BERA RENTAL LIBRARY SHELVES

"THE GOD SEEKER" - by Sinclair Lewis.

Staff members who enjoyed Babbitt and Dods-worth will enjoy this latest offering. Lewis has the faculty of making the reader feel that he is living in the parts of the world described, and in "The God Seeker" his description of the cold wintry blasts of prairie wind in Minnesota makes you want to get closer to the fireside.

The story, which is based on fact, according to the author, concerns Aaron Gadd, the son of a Vermont farmer, from the

time he is seven years old, in 1830, to 1855, when he and his family have become some of the "first settlers" of St. Paul, Minnesota.

Weighed down by the religious teachings of his day, Aaron, at 25, experiences conversion at a revival meeting in the milltown of Adams, Vt. Shortly after that he is on his way, as a missionary, to a small mission for the Sioux Indians in the then distant Minnesota.

Mr. Lewis's picture of society on the frontier is one of his most remarkable achievements and his descriptions of the back-breaking labor and the frustrating feeling of continual work with no immediate prospects of progress are some of the things that hold the readers' interest. There are, of course, many amusing situations described that help to balance the stern struggle for existence on the frontier.

Mr. Lewis has not applied the whiplash of satire nor the furious moral contempt that he directed at his characters in previous books. In fact, this picture of the Midwest a century ago, stands unique in his work for its genuine affection and compassionate understanding.

One morning while shaving, a fellow was using such language that he attracted the attention of his young wife.

"What's the matter?" she called anxiously.

"My razor--it won't cut!" he shouted.

"Don't be silly, dear!" she declared, "You mean to tell me your beard is tougher than linoleum."

DR. HAWORTH

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from the University of Oslo, the first such degree granted by that institution in 100 years. He has also received the Willard Gibbs medal from the American Chemical Society, the Kuber medal of the Association of American Physicians, and numerous other honors. He is an editor of the Journal of Biological Chemistry and a past president of the American Society of Biochemists. He plans actively to continue his investigations upon assuming his duties here about Sept. 1.

Dr. Van Slyke was born in 1883 in Pike, New York, and received his bachelor's degree and Ph.D. from the University of Michigan. His son, Dr. K.K. VanSlyke, is at present a surgeon on the staff of the Medical College of Virginia at Richmond, Va., and his daughter, Miss Elsa Van Slyke, is employed by the duPont Company.

Dr. Farr is at present Director of Research and Physician-in-Chief of the Alfred I. duPont Institute of the Nemours Foundation in Wilmington, Del. He received the B.S. and M.D. degrees from Yale University, and post-graduate training at New Haven Hospital. From 1934 to 1940 he was at the Hospital of the Rockefeller Institute in Dr. VanSlyke's department, leaving there to go to Wilmington. In 1940 he received one of the two Mead Johnson awards of the American Academy of Pediatrics for research on children with nephrosis. His experimental work has dealt with studies of the nature of Bright's disease and in particular, metabolism of protein and amino acids.

During the war Dr. Farr was in the Navy, spending the first two years in the South Pacific aboard a hospital transport, transferring to the Rockefeller Institute naval unit for special work, and being stationed for the last year and a half of naval duty at the Naval Medical Research Institute working on problems concerned with deep sea diving and submarine medicine. He also holds an appointment as visiting professor of pediatrics in the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine and as consultant to the Surgeon General of the Army. He has served on the editorial committee of the American Society for Clinical Investigation and is a member of the council of the Society of Pediatric Research. He was born in Albuquerque, New Mexico, in 1907.

The staff of the Medical Dept. is now being selected so that active investigative work on fundamental problems of medicine and studies on patients with selected types of malignancy and conditions allied to cancer may be begun this fall. Radioactive materials obtained from the File will be used whenever feasible in attempts to seek out further information not only on the nature of disease states but also on the normal physiological mechanisms. Radioactive substances will also be used in the treatment of conditions which can be controlled by such radiation. A completely equipped modern hospital of 42 beds, which has been developed from the old army hospital used by Camp Upton during the war, will be available for these purposes. In addition to these

investigations the problems raised by the use of radioactive substances by the staff of Brookhaven National Laboratory will be explored to provide the utmost safety for the laboratory personnel.

Dr. Haworth emphasized that the medical research program will not be directed towards any specific cure of any specific diseases, but will be devoted to general studies of nuclear science in the field of medicine.

Apartment for Rent

Unfurnished - Bellport - \$75 per month, including utilities - At the northwest corner of Station Road and South Country Road, which is the center of the village, there is an attractive Colonial house on a large piece of land - The apartment offered for rent is on the second floor on the west side of the house - It consists of living room, bedroom, kitchenette and bath, which is equipped with stall shower - There is a small porch belonging to the apartment which is reached through the bath - There are two fireplaces in the apartment - It is available now on a month-to-month lease. If anyone could use this apartment immediately, it will probably save some rent for a Laboratory employee - To see the apartment call W. Daniel Bohan, Bellport 10 or the Housing Office, Ext. 2218.

BNL BOWLING LEAGUES STANDINGS - Apr. 15, 1949TIDE TABLE FOR
FISHERMAN FURNISHED
BY THE FISHING CLUBTUESDAY - MEN W. L. HIGH TEAM GAME

1. Fire Dept.	88	42
2. Utilities	81	49
3. Bldgs.-Grnds.	66	54
4. Purchasing	63	57
5. Electronics	67	62
6. Meteorology	49	80
7. Photography	39	71
8. Mach.Shop-B	48	82

Men

Fiscal 900

Ladies

Director's Office 720

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIESMenA. Saletros 601
(Fiscal)LadiesV. Peters 504
(Accelerator)TUESDAY - LADIES

1. Director's Off.	55	17
2. Fiscal	46	23
3. Accelerator	42	27
4. Purchasing-B	39	30
5. A.E.C.	32	34
6. Medical	14	46

WEDNESDAY - MEN

1. Fiscal	87	48
2. A.E.C.	84	51
3. Mach.Shop-A	65	70
4. Director's Off.	56	74
5. Personnel	54	76
6. Info.-Pub.	55	80

WED.-THURS. - LADIES

1. Biology	41	22
2. Communications	37	26
3. Physics	33	30
4. Info.-Pub.	15	45

THURSDAY - MEN

1. Paint Shop	95	45
2. Nuclear React.	82	58
3. Central Drftg.	80	60
4. Accelerator-B	63	72
5. Accelerator-A	49	86
6. Electronics-A	41	89

HIGH TOTALS (WITHOUT
HANDICAPS) FOR
MATCHES UP TO DATEHIGH TEAM SERIESMen

Fiscal 2524

Ladies

Director's Office 1977

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(Electronics-B)LadiesS. Webb 195
(Communications)
K. Boysen 195
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Freeport	4:57	5:36
Babylon	7:22	8:01
Bayshore	6:52	7:31
Fatchogue	7:52	8:31
Bellport	8:17	8:56
Shinnecock Oc.	3:27	4:06
Shinnecock Can.		
Peconic Bay	8:41	9:16
Montauk Pt. -		
North	4:46	5:21
Montauk Pt.		
Harbor	5:46	6:21
Orient-Shelter		
Island	6:46	7:21
Noyack Bay	8:26	9:01
New Suffolk	8:01	8:36
Sag Harbor	5:11	5:46
Greenport	7:06	7:41
So. Jamesport	8:46	9:21
Promised Land	5:56	6:31
Northport	7:53	8:19
Stonybrook	7:38	8:04
Port Jeff.	8:13	8:39
Mattituck Inlet	8:33	8:59
(Daily Increase - 55 min.)		

FOUND1 pr. brown kid gloves
(Ladies)
1 pr. pearl earrings
1 pr 2-strand pearls
("chokers")
1 gold bracelet engraved
"Bobi"LOST1 Gold ring--blue square
cut stone
1 Chrome Ronson lighter
initialed "JHS"
1 pair yellow pigskin
gloves (Ladies)
1 small pocket slide ruleFor SaleUsed Westinghouse 4-
burner electric stove -
Automatic oven control -
In good working condi-
tion - Call J. S. White,
Ext. 384.

CLASSIFIEDFor Sale

1941 Buick Special Sedan -
Heater & Defrosters -
Good condition - \$950 -
J. Woolsey, Ext. 548.

1937 Ford Tudor Sedan -
Good Rubber - Good Me-
chanical condition - South
Windheater - Reasonable -
I. Greenberg, Ext. 625 or
Patchogue 2413-W2.

Pedigreed male Beagle
Hound - Papers if desired -
10 weeks old - J. F.
Fendola, Ext. 404.

1936 DeSoto 4-door Sedan -
New front end - New
clutch - New brakes - Re-
built transmission - Re-
built starter - Rebuilt
master cylinder - New
fuel pump - Sealed beam
headlights - Heater - A
clean car in excellent
condition - Can show re-
pair bills for \$350 during
past 6 months - Price:
\$390 - J. Smith, Ext. 543.

Boat - Shelter cabin -
Mahogany hull - In good
condition - Length: 20
feet - Beam: 6 feet - Ply-
mouth motor needs re-
pairs - \$375 - Call Ext.
318 or Center Moriches
537-M.

1937 Dodge 4-door Sedan -
Good condition - Call Ext.
462 or Bellport 49 after
6:00 p.m.

Fur neck piece - Three
large minks of finest qual-
ity - Practically new -
Sacrifice - Call Ext. 724
or 681.

One sofa with new custom
made slipcover - Ext. 502.

Wanted

Riders from Babylon,
Bayshore or Smithtown -
Hank Brewer, Ext. 542.

To join or form car pool
from Bellport to Lab. -
Can drive any day - J.
Bigeleisen, Ext. 678 or
Bellport 384-M.

Talented staff members
interested in performing
with Broadway talent in
a three (3) hour Vaude-
ville Show to be held at
Riverhead on or about
June 7 or 14th. Call G.K.
Ahlers, Ext. 2158 or write
Box 154, Jamesport, N.Y.

Houses for Sale

7-Room house - Located
in lovely residential sec-
tion of Oakdale - Steam
heat - Oil - Large living
room with fireplace - Sun-
porch - 3 bedrooms - 2
baths - Modern kitchen -
All utilities - 2-car gar-
age - Plot 50 x 200 - Im-
mediate occupancy -
Price: \$13,500 - Shirley
McLaughlin, Ext. 2232 or
Sayville 2115-R.

Located on Swezey St. in
Patchogue - Price: \$9,500
One year old solid brick
house consisting of four
rooms - 2 bedrooms, liv-
ing room, kitchen, expan-
sion attic and full base-
ment - Kitchen is modern
and complete with ample
cabinet space - New gas
range and electric refrig-
erator - Modern bath with
shower and tub, all done
in ceramic tile - Large
living room with fire-
place - House is furnished
with the exception of one
bedroom - All furnishings
are included in the sale
price - Oil hot water heat-

ing system supplies ade-
quate heat and hot water
the year round - Lot 60 x
100 ft. - There is an exist-
ing \$7500 G.I. mortgage
on this property which may
be taken over at \$47.88
per month - For further
information, call Housing
Office, Ext. 2218.

Sacrifice - 4-room bung-
alow - Full cellar - Water-
Electricity - Bottle-gas
range - Refrigerator -
On 1/2 acre plot, 92-ft.
frontage - \$3500 - Call
Yaphank 629-J or Ext. 316.

SUMMARY

Gentle summer's almost
here,
Winter's really o'er.
Take back Jones' snow
shovel,
Borrow his lawn mower.

Soon come pretty flowers
As summer comes a'flyin'
Up will spring the lovely
grass
Yeah! And dandelion.

Spring passes, summer
comes
Before we are aware,
Soon folks will start to
comb
The ticks out of their hair!

Ah! Summer! Gentle
Summer!
With days packed full of
fun
The woods, the parks, the
beaches,
The soothing summer sun!

Ah! Summer! Gentle
Summer!
With sunburn, ticks, and
rime,
Hay fever, poison ivy.
(Gosh! Gimme winter
time!)

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