

FAREWELL TO A COLLEAGUE

Bill Hayes of the Atlas Computer Laboratory retires on Friday 5 May. Although not currently engaged on driving duties Bill has spent most of his working life driving a varied assortment of vehicles and passengers. He started in 1927 as a driver on the City of Oxford buses (in those days when there was room to drive in Oxford) and after a couple of years went to work for the Lambourn Race horse Transport Service and apart from a few years as a civilian driver for the R A F during the war, spent 28 years driving to all the racecourses up and down the country. He has transported more than one 'National' winner at Aintree. He also served as a volunteer ambulance driver for 20 years and managed to get in 30 years service as a Special Constable with what is now the Thames Valley Constabulary. Bill came to the Rutherford Laboratory in September 1960 and worked in the Transport Section until the birth of the Atlas Computer Laboratory in 1963 and has been with Atlas ever since.

Last Friday, on behalf of all his friends and colleagues, Dr Howlett presented Bill with a handsome chiming clock and in the evening a dinner was held in his honour at the Bear Hotel, Wantage attended by 61 of his colleagues. During the dinner Keith Wilkes presented Bill with an engraved pewter tankard on behalf of the Shop Stewards. We all join in wishing Bill many happy years of retirement in the 'Back Seat'.

OBITUARY NOTICE

We deeply regret to announce the death of Mr L Proctor on Wednesday 26 April. He was aged 46. Leslie Proctor, a skilled craftsman in Building R9 workshop joined the Laboratory in August 1966. He will be sadly missed by his many friends and colleagues. We extend our deepest sympathy to his wife and child.

MISSING EQUIPMENT

Pye Scalamp Galvanometer, L P 1253. Anyone with information concerning the present whereabouts of this item please contact Mr P Seager Ext 6651.

Reported missing from R2O - Table Fan Serial No 4470 and a Dymo printer - anyone with information about the whereabouts of these items please contact Mrs T Walker Ext 6615.

Lost on site last Monday 'Parker' ball point pen, black with stainless steel top, finder please contact Mr E E Jones Ext 6249.

FILM BADGE NOTICE

It is period 5 - colour strip BLUE for  $\beta\gamma$  films and fast neutron packs. Please check you are wearing the correct dosimeters and all old ones returned. Next film change Monday 15 May.

OVERSEAS VISITS

Messrs R M McClure and P P Swan-Taylor to CERN 7 - 21 May for installation and commissioning of Capacitor Charging Unit for High Field Pulsed Magnet testing. Dr B D Jones to CERN 7 - 10 May to attend E C F A Neutrino Working Party. Dr J M Valentine to CERN 8 - 10 May for discussions on the comparison with CERN project.

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Friday I2 May I2.30 pm RI2 Conference Room. All are welcome to attend a Bible Study on 2 Corinthians chapter 7 led by Dennis Williams.

## INTERNAL EVENTS

MINROD LECTURE SERIES Monday 8 May II.30 Lecture Theatre

Results from CERN Hyperon Beam

Dr R Bland Ecole/Polytechnique

HEP DISCUSSION GROUP Wednesday 10 May 11.00 Conference Room RI

Unitarity, Duality and Absorption

Dr G Cohen-Tannoudji/CEN-Saclay

NIMROD LECTURE SERIES Monday 15 May 11.30 Lecture Theatre

Report on Philadelphia Meeting on Mesons and Washington A P S Meeting

Drs M Jane, Shah and Brown/RHEL

FILM SHOWS

There will be no film shows this week.

## NIMROD SCHEDULE

CYCLE 5 25 4 72	- 16 5 72	MACHINE PHYSICS HI	GH ENERGY PHYSICS
Team	Beam	Experiment	State
Birmingham University RHEL	KIZA	$\mbox{K-n}$ Elastic Scattering and $\mbox{K+n}$ Charge Exchange from 0.45-0.95 GeV/c	Data
Cambridge University RHEL	KI3C	Associated Production Cross Sections	Setting up
Imperial College Southampton University	π7	Studies of $\eta$ $\omega$ and A2	Data
Surrey University Birmingham University RHEL	πΙΟ	Total Cross-Sections for Pions on Light Nuclei	Setting up
RHEL	K9	HBC-Technical Tests for Future Experiments	Setting up
Glasgow University RHEL	π9,Ν4	Polarisation Measurements in π p Charge Exchange	Setting up
Bristol University Southampton University RHEL	K15	$K^{\dagger}p$ and $\pi^{\stackrel{+}{-}}p$ Differential Cross–Sections	Setting up
Westfield College RHEL	π8	Neutron Counter Tests for $\Omega$ Project	Setting up
Oxford University	P71	Cherenkov Counter Tests for NAL Experiment	Setting up

## EXTERNAL EVENTS

YSICS & TEOPHYSICS COLLOQUIUM Monday 8 May

17.00 University of Bristol Microstructural design of heat-resisting alloys

Professor J B Newkirk/Colorado

COMPUTING SCIENCE SEMINAR Tuesday 9 May 14.00

Culham Laboratory

The MIRFAC Programming Language

H J Gawlik/Royal Armament R & D Establishment

DARESBURY LECTURE SERIES Tuesday 9 May

14.00 Daresbury Laboratory Utilisation of CERN II to study Electromagnetic Interactions

E Gabathuler/D N P L

THEORETICAL PHYSICS DIVISION

SEMINAR Tuesday 9 May Conference Room Building 8.9 AERE

Periodic Wave Propogation and Pattern Formation in Developing Systems

Dr B C Goodwin/University of Sussex

ELEMENTARY PARTICLE PHYSICS SEMINAR

Tuesday 9 May 14.30 Nuclear Physics Lecture Theatre Oxford

Systematic Features of Particle Exchange Amplitudes

Dr V Barger/Wisconsin & RHEL

THEORETICAL PHYSICS SEMINAR Wednesday 10 May

14.30 University of Manchester Bose Einstein Condensation in Helium

Professor G V Chester/Cornel and Sussex

THEORETICAL PHYSICS SEMINAR Thursday II May Clarendon Laboratory Oxford Isobaric Analogue States (Review)

Dr B Buck

COLLOQUIUM Friday 12 May 16.15 Clarendon Laboratory Oxford Information Storage in After Images

Professor R W Ditchburn F R S/University of Reading

THEORETICAL PHYSICS SEMINAR Monday 15 May

15.45 Queen Mary College London Neutron Capture Level's and Error-correcting Codes

Professor F J Dyson/Princeton

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## SOCIAL NEWS

SEVEN-A-SIDE SOCCER

28 April. R18 v D O. R18 gained an early lead from a fine goal by Jim Taylor. D O managed to equalise before half-time with a long floating shot from Bob McClure. The second half saw both teams under pressure with R18 gradually taking command and netting three goals, scorers being Jeff Bessel, Jim Taylor and Gavin Shand. Final Score RI8 - 4 D O - L.

2 May R25 - Hall 3. A game which produced fine football from both teams. George Pullinger netted Hall 3's first goal with a well placed header. The second half saw R25 applying pressure resulting in some good saves from Hall 3's keeper, Derek Hill, but R25 managed to equalise with a good shot from Dave Ferris. Final score Hall 3-1 R25 - 1. The man of the match was, without doubt, Derek Hill.

RUTHERFORD FOOTBALL LEAGUE TABLE 3 MAY 1972

TEAMS	Р	W	D	L	F	А	Pts
Transport	4	4	0	0	22	5	.8
R 18	3	3	0	0	12	3	6
Stores	4	1	1	2	9	11	3
R 9	3	1	1	-1	7	1,1	3
R 25	3	0	2	=1,	. 5	6	2
DO	3	0	2	1	5	8	2
Atlas	3	0	1	2	5	13	1
Hall 3	3	0	1	2	3	11	1

Next Week's Games: Atlas (orange and Black check) v D O (none) - Monday 8 May.

Stores (maroon) v R25 (blue & white stripes) - Thursday II May.

FOLK CLUB

The Rutherford and Atlas Recreational Society Folk Club meets every Friday in R22 Coffee Lounge at 20.00 hours. Licensed Bar.

Appearing in the near future:-

12 May George Deacon and Marion Ross (Traditional)

26 May Roger Sutcliff (Blues)

Dick Ganghan (Scottish Traditional) 2 June 9 June

Duncdain (English Traditional)
To be arranged - suggestions welcome from members 16 June

Pete and Ali Nalder 23 June

Tony Capstick (Traditional and Contemporary) 30 June

Joe Stead (very funny - banjo etc) Rosie Hardiman (Contemporary) 7 July

14 July

For further details please contact Stephanie Hannan R22 Ext 6229.

RUTHERFORD & ATLAS RECREATIONAL SOCIETY This year SRC Sports Day will take place on Monday 19 June at the Civil Service Sports Ground at Chiswick.

The events will include: Tennis (mens and mixed doubles) Bowls; Six-a-Side Football; Netball and Chess. There will be a Social Evening afterwards. Names of participants to be in as soon as possible (26 May latest). Rutherfor names to P Craske Building R2 Ext 232 and Atlas names to G Holt or R Brandwood Ext 6257.

RECORD SOCIETY

Friday May 12 at 12.40 in the Lecture Theatre: Borodin String Quartet Selection.