

Notices

ENERGY 73

The First International Energy Exhibition will be held in Brussels from 13th to 18th May, 1973.

Particulars may be obtained from: R. W. Boardman (Exhibitions) Ltd., 8 Leicester Street, Leicester Sq., London WC2H 7BN.

VIIIth INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON CYBERNETICS

This congress will be held in Namur, Belgium, from 10th to 15th September, 1973.

Particulars may be obtained from: International Association for Cybernetics, Palais des Expositions, Place André Rijckmans, 5000 Namur, Belgium.

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

University of the Witwatersrand

The Sixth Executive Development Programme is scheduled to take place from 2nd July to 24th August, 1973.

Particulars are obtainable from: Graduate School of Business Administration, 2 St. David's Place, Parktown, Johannesburg.

IFAC SYMPOSIUM 1973

Second announcement of the International Symposium on AUTOMATIC CONTROL IN MINING MINERALS AND METAL PROCESSING to be held at the University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, from 13th to 17th August, 1973.

Particulars obtainable from: The Secretary, Institution of Engineers, 157 Gloucester Street, Sydney, N.S.W. 2000, Australia.

MINERALS AND ENVIRONMENT

The effect of the mineral industry on the environment and mineral resources

The Institution of Mining and Metallurgy, with the co-operation of the Institute of Quarrying and the Institution of Mining Engineers, will hold a Symposium "Minerals and the environment" at the Institution of

Electrical Engineers, Savoy Place, from 4th to 7th June, 1974.

Particulars may be obtained from: The Secretary, 44 Portland Place, London WIN 4BR.

COLLOQUIUM ON SLIMES DAMS

The South African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy have great pleasure in advising members that a two-day colloquium on slimes dams is being arranged for the 14th and 15th November, 1973. Papers will be presented on the following topics:

A review of slimes disposal practice on South African gold mines, Theoretical and engineering aspects of slimes dam construction, Legal aspects of the construction of slimes dams,

The building of slimes dams that are to be used for bacterial leaching and recovery of uranium, Problems associated with the construction of slimes dams from base-metal mining operations, with particular reference to copper mines,

Slimes dam construction on the platinum and antimony mines, Economics and practice of slimes dam construction on gold mines, Slimes dam construction on the diamond mines,

Impact of slimes dams on pollution of water resources, and

Ecological aspects of slimes dam construction.

Any members of the Institute who feel they would like to make a contribution to the Colloquium are invited to submit their suggestions to the Chairman of the Organizing Committee, Dr R. E. Robinson, c/o National Institute for Metallurgy (telephone 725-4200), if possible before the end of March, 1973.

INTERNATIONAL SOLVENT EXTRACTION CONFERENCE

This conference will be held at Lyon from 8th to 14th September, 1974. Particulars may be obtained from the Secretary: Dr A. Naylor, British Nuclear Fuels Ltd., Windscale and Calder Works, Seascale, Cumberland CA20 1PG, United Kingdom.

Competition for Student Members of the South African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy

Each year the Institute offers a prize (or prizes should the entries warrant it) of up to R100 for the best paper or dissertation on a topic appropriate to the interests of the Institute. The competition is open to all Student Members of the Institute.

A Student Member who is in full time study at a university may submit the dissertation or thesis he has to write in part fulfilment of his university degree, provided that it is presented in a manner and on a topic suitable for publication in the journal.

Entries for 1973 should reach the Institute by 31st December, 1973.

Proceedings of the Tenth International Symposium on Application of Computer Methods in the Mineral Industry (APCOM)

The Proceedings of the APCOM Symposium held in Johannesburg from April 9th to 14th, 1972, have now been published. Members of the Institute may buy the Proceedings at a special price of R12,50 as against the list price of R25,00 to non-members.

Orders should be sent to the Secretary, South African Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, P.O. Box 61019, Marshalltown.

Verrigtinge van die Tenth International Symposium on Application of Computer Methods in the Mineral Industry (APCOM)

Die Verrigtinge van die APCOM Simposium, wat op April 9 tot 14, 1972, in Johannesburg gehou is, is gepubliseer. Lede van die Instituut kan die Verrigtinge teen 'n spesiale prys van R12,50 koop, in teenstelling met die prys van R25,00 vir nie-lede.

Bestellings moet by die Sekretaris, Suid-Afrikaanse Instituut vir Mynbou en Metallurgie, Posbus 61019, Marshalltown, geplaas word.