

BULLETIN
THE BUFFALO ASTRONOMICAL ASSOCIATION

October 30, 1952

Next meeting of the Buffalo Astronomical Association will be Wednesday, November 5, 1952, at 8:00 P. M. in the Roosevelt Room, Buffalo Museum of Science.

The speaker will be Dr. D. C. Jones of the American Optical Company; - his topic, "Optical Industry in Western New York".

Two weeks from that date, on Wednesday, November 19, will be the monthly telescope clinic conducted by Rudolph Buscking, also observing on the roof if the stars shine.

The program for the balance of the year follows. Keep this bulletin so you don't miss any of these interesting speakers.

- 8 pm Dec. 3 - Dr. Donald A. MacRae of the Warner and Swasey Observatory, - "THE GALAXY AS SEEN FROM CLEVELAND, OHIO". (Attended)
- Dec. 17 - Telescope clinic and observing on the roof.
- Jan. 7 - Dr. Lyle Phillips of the University of Buffalo, - "TIME AS A FUNDAMENTAL CONCEPT".
- Jan. 21 - Telescope clinic and observing on the roof.
- Feb. 4 - Reviews of current astronomical articles by various club members.
- Feb. 18 - Telescope clinic and observing on the roof.
- Mar. 4 - Mr. Charles R. Burrows of Cornell University, - "RADIO TELESCOPES AND ASTRONOMY".
- Mar. 21 - Telescope clinic and observing on the roof.
- Apr. 1 - Mr. George F. Goodyear, President of Buffalo Museum of Science, "SPACE TRAVEL". (Attended)
- Apr. 15 - Telescope clinic and observing on the roof.
- May 6 - Dr. F. Shirley Jones, - "HOW FAR TO THE STARS". Also election of officers.
- May 20 - Telescope clinic and observing on the roof.

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Just a reminder - Annual dues are coming due shortly - see the treasurer.

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