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OF MYSORE

DR. C. S. PICHAMUTHU,
B.Sc., Ph.D. (GLAS.), F.R.S.E., F.G.S.,
Offg. Registrar.

MYSORE

Dated 15th May 1941

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Dear Dr. Krishnan,

I am desired to state that the University Council have great pleasure in inviting you to be so good as to agree to deliver the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Lecture for the year 1941-42. The lectureship was founded in 1927 by Mr. V. Subrahmanya Iyer, B.A., Retired Registrar of this University, in honour of the Silver Jubilee of the reign of His Highness the late Maharaja of Mysore. The lecture may pertain to a subject embodying "the results of an application of scientific method to any of the problems whose solution will lead directly to the promotion of human efficiency and happiness, especially under Indian conditions." A copy of the full text of the conditions with a list of lectures delivered in the past under the endowment is enclosed for your information.

The University Council will be glad if you will kindly accept this, their cordial invitation, to lecture under the auspices of the University and intimate a few alternative dates between July 1941 and December 1941, which will be convenient to you for delivering the lecture.

I am to add that it is usual to arrange for the Silver Jubilee Lecture alternately at Bangalore and Mysore. It is the turn of Bangalore this time.

Yours sincerely,

Chao Krishnan

Dr. K. S. Krishnan, D.Sc., F.R.S.,
Mahendra Lal Sircar Professor of Physics,
Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science,
210 Bowbazaar Street, CALCUTTA.

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THE SRI KRISHNARAJENDRA SILVER JUBILEE LECTURESHIP.

FOUNDER: Mr.V.Subrahmanya Iyer, B.A., Retired Registrar,
University of Mysore.

OBJECT: In honour of the Silver Jubilee of the reign of
His Highness the Maharaja, the Founder and Chancellor
of the Mysore University.

DATE: 1927.

ORIGINAL AMOUNT: Rs.2,008.

SUBSEQUENT ADDITIONS TO CORPUS: Rs.112.

RATE OF INTEREST ON INVESTMENT: Rs.5 per cent on Rs.2,120.

CONDITIONS OF GRANT:

1.The lectures under this endowment shall be delivered on any subject as embodies the results of an application of Scientific Method to any of the problems whose solution will lead directly to the promotion of human efficiency and happiness, especially under Indian conditions.

Note: The scope of the subject may be further indicated as follows:-

The application of any of the Science to industries or to life so as to increase efficiency, output and comfort;

or

Note: The application of Scientific Method to problems of any humanistic subject such as Religion, Metaphysics, Psychology (including Education), Ethics, Aesthetics, Economics, Political Institutions, so as to promote soundness of judgment, freshmenss of outlook and appreciation of higher human values.

2.The lectures shall be delivered every year, if possible, about the 8th August at Mysore or Bangalore according as the University Council may decide in view of the nature of the subject of the lectures.

3.The lecturer shall be nominated by the University Council which may, at its discretion, award, in lieu of the honorarium, a gold medal, should any lecturer so desire, the medal being then called "The Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Gold Medal."

4.The honorarium or the medal awarded for the lectures shall be equivalent in value to the total amount of interest accruing in the course of the year.

5.The University Council shall, subject to the usual approval of the Senate, be at liberty to modify all or any of the conditions under paras 2,3, and 4 excepting the name of the medal, provided that such modifications be in furtherance of the object of the endowment as indicated in para 1, which shall not be liable to any modification.

6.If, in any year, no lectures are delivered for want of a competent lecturer, or for any other reason, the unutilised amount of interest shall be added to the corpus.

LECTURES DELIVERED IN PREVIOUS YEARS

<u>Year.</u>	<u>Lecturer.</u>	<u>Subject.</u>
1928	Sir C.P.Ramaswami Aiyar, K.C.I.E.	on "Federal India"
1929	Sir C.V.Raman, K.K., M.A., D.Sc. F.R.S.	on "X-Rays in Industry"
1930	Dr. Sir S. Radhakrishnan, M.A., D.Litt.	on "Philosophy and Life Values."
1931	Dr. Leslie C. Coleman	on "the place of science in the development of Mysore Agriculture."
1932	Mr. A. Rangaswami Iyengar, B.A., B.L.	on "The Press in Indian National Life."
1933	Sir Martin, D.Sc., F.R.S.	on "the History of Science as related to Civilization."
1934	Lt. Col. Sir Hassan Suhrawardy	on "Food and Nutrition and their importance to Indian students and Politicians."
1935	Mr. C.Y. Chintamani	on "Religion and Science in National Life."
1938	Dr. A. Lakshmanaswamy Mudaliar	on "The Discoveries of Medical Science and their effect."
1939	Sir T. Vijayaraghavacharya, K.B.E.	on "Scientific Research in Agriculture."
1939	Sir Alladi Krishnaswami Aiyer, B.A., B.L.	on "Law as an Instrument and Measure of Social Progress."
1940	Mr. John Sargent, M.A.	on "Economics of Education with special reference to Indian Problems."

University of Mysore

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Office of the University of Mysore,

Mysore, Dated 22.5.1941.

FROM

DR. C. S. PICHAMUTHU, B.Sc., Ph.D. (GLAS.), F.R.S.E., F.G.S.,
Offg. Registrar, University of Mysore,
Mysore.

To

Dr. K.S. Krishnan, D.Sc., F.R.S.,
Mahendra Lal Sircar Professor of Physics,
Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science,
210 Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.

Sir,

I am directed to state that the University Council invites you kindly to deliver under the auspices of the University two special lectures on subjects of your choice at Bangalore, and to request the favour of information at your earliest convenience, whether you accept the invitation. If you can accept, information may kindly be furnished as regards the titles of the lectures to be delivered by you and the dates most suitable to you between July and December 1941. You will be paid remuneration of Rs.100/- per lecture in addition to the usual Travelling Allowance.

I am to add that these lectures may be delivered immediately before or after your Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Lecture, about which a separate reference is being made.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Chao Kishanmurti

Registrar.

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Madura,
May 27, 1941

Dear Dr Pichamuttu,

I have much
pleasure in accepting the invitation
to give the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver
Jubilee lecture for the year 1941-42.
I deeply appreciate the honour, and
I request you to convey to the
University Council my sincere thanks.

I shall write to you sometime
later about the subject of the lecture.

Yours sincerely

To
Dr C.S. Pichamuttu, F.R.S.E., F.S.S.

Registrar

Mysore University.

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Dear Dr. Pichamuthu,

I have much
pleasure in accepting the invitation
to ~~go~~ deliver two special lectures
under the auspices of the Mysore Univ.
Please convey to the Univ. Council
my heart-felt thanks. I shall give
the lectures along with the Sri
Krishnanagar Silver Jubilee lectures
and shall write to you sometime
later about the titles of the
lectures and the date.

Yours sincerely

Dr. C. S. Pichamuthu.

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The Secretary, S. I. Sc. Assn.,
Department of Physics,
CENTRAL COLLEGE, BANGALORE.

No 3/41-42.

Dated 18th August 194.

My Dear Prof. Krishnan,

I trust you have already written to the Vice-Chancellor of the Mysore University about the date in October which suits you for delivering the lectures.

The members of the South Indian Association are very anxious to have an address from you the next time you visit Bangalore and I earnestly hope that you will kindly accede to our request for a lecture.

When Sir C. V. Raman was holding your present position he used to lecture to us every time he visited Bangalore. In fact the announcement of the Raman effect was first made at a meeting of the South Indian Science Association, 13 years ago. Recently we have had two lectures from him at which his outstanding work on the Physics of the solid state was explained for the first time to a gathering of Scientists.

I do trust you will kindly follow his example and deliver an address before our association.

Kindest Regards,
Yours sincerely,

B. Sanjiva Rao.

President.

*Replied on 27/8/41
agree to give a
lecture on Coordination
Compounds.*

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Dated... 23 - 8 - 1941

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Dear ~~Sir~~, Dr. Krishnan,

I am desirous to invite kind reference to your letter dated the 1st June 1941, stating that you will give the two special lectures along with the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Lectures, and to request you to be so good to favour me, early, with the dates suitable to you. I am to add that the University Institutions will be closed for the Dasara Holidays from the 20th September to 3rd October 1941 (both days inclusive)

Yours sincerely,

Chas. Krishnamoorti

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210 BOW-BAZAR STREET
CALCUTTA,

27th August, 1941.

Dear Dr Pichamuthu,

I thank you very much for your letter of the 23rd. I should like to give the lectures soon after the reopening of the University colleges after the Dasara Holidays, sometime between the 6th and the 13th of October. You may fix any three days during this period for the lectures.

The subject of the Sri Krishnarajendra Jubilee Lecture will be
(The Place of)
Fundamental Research ~~and~~ ⁱⁿ Industrial Progress,
and that of the two special lectures

"The Electronic Structure of Metals and Alloys."

I wish to receive, in lieu of the honorarium for the Jubilee lecture, "The Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Gold Medal"

yours sincerely
K. S. Krishnan

Dr C. S. Pichamuthu,
Registrar, Mysore University.

The Place of Fundamental Research ~~and~~ in
Jubilee Lect-
= Industrial Progress

Special
lectures

2. The Electronic Structure of
Metals and Alloys

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Association

3.

Coordination Compounds

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Dated 9/9/1941

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 27th August, 1941, I am desired to state that the following dates have been fixed for your lectures at Bangalore. On hearing from you by return post about the suitability of the dates, arrangements will be made.

1. Saturday - 11th October 1941, at 6 p.m. The Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Lecture on "The place of Fundamental Research in Industrial Progress."
2. Thursday, the 9th and Friday, the 10th October, 1941; at 6 p.m. each day: The Special lectures on "The Electronic Structure of Metals and Alloys".

As desired by you, arrangements will be made to present you with a medal in lieu of the honorarium for the Silver Jubilee Lecture to be delivered by you.

Yours sincerely,

A. G. Narayanaiah
for Registrar

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Dated 24.9 1941

Dear Dr. Krishnan,

I am desired to request you to be so good as to favour me, early, ~~if you consider it~~ with a brief synopsis of the two special lectures on " The Electronic structure of Metals and Alloys " to be delivered by you at Bangalore on the 9th and 10th October 1941, so that it may be printed in time along with the lecture notices.

Yours sincerely,

Chas. H. Sircar
23.9.41

Dr. K.S. Krishnan, D.Sc., F.R.S.,
Mahendra Lal Sircar Professor of Physics,
Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science,
210, Bow Bazar Street,
Calcutta.

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24th Oct. 1941.

No. 2153

Dr. K. S. Krishnan,
Professor of Physics,
210 Bow Bazar Street,
Calcutta.
K.S. Krishnan, Esq.,
Professor of Physics,
210, Bow Bazar Street,
Calcutta.

Dear Sir,

At the request of ~~and for credit~~ the Asst.
Comptroller, ~~Asst. Comptroller~~ Govt. of Mysore
and in payment of the enclosed memorandum

I beg to hand you herewith a draft on Calcutta
for Rs. 592-4-0 receipt of which

please acknowledge.

Encl:

Yours faithfully,

B. S. Sreenivas

Agent.

D.O. 12838

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Dated 16. 10. 1941

Dear Dr. Krishnan,

I am desired to convey the thanks of the University for the two special lectures and the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Lecture delivered by you at Bangalore on the 9th, 10th and 11th October, 1941.

I am to request you to be so good as to favour me with the manuscript of the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Lecture on "the Place of Fundamental Research in Industrial Progress" for being printed.

Yours sincerely,

Chao Kutharasaiah

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