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MAG/NATIONAL MUSEUM OF WALES, TRANSACTIONS NUMBER 13. SEMINAR ON HEALTH AND SAFETY IN MUSEUMS

The contents of this special issue of MAG Transactions cover the proceedings of a seminar on 'Health and Safety in Museums' held at the National Museum of Wales on 14th and 15th April 1977. The Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 imposes responsibility not only in respect of staff employed in a museum, but also when the general public is admitted to the galleries, and the papers in this issue indicate some of the problem areas and possibly some solutions.

Of particular interest to BCG members are the chapters on 'Design of Conservation and General Laboratories' (Colin Meredith, Dept. Zoology, Imperial College) 'Working with toxic hazards' (John R. Glover, Welsh National School of Medicine) and 'Diseases communicable from animals to man' (Bernard Williams, MAFF, Tolworth).

A wealth of information can be found throughout the publication, and it must feature as essential reading for all museum staff. Copies can be obtained (£3 each) from either MAG or the National Museum of Wales.

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