



Radioisotopes of higher activity are also available now from the Oak Ridge Laboratory, although special arrangements for their transportation must still be made.

Commercial firms will be encouraged to manufacture and distribute the tagged compounds, the announcement said. Inquiries may be addressed to Isotopes Division, Atomic Energy Commission, P. O. Box E, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Fellowships and Awards

The Society of Rheology has completed arrangements for the establishment of an annual award in memory of the Society's founder, the late E. C. Bingham. The first presentation of the award, to a scientist living in the U. S. or Canada who has made outstanding contribution to the science of rheology, will be made on Friday, November 5, the opening day of the 1948 annual meeting.

Stanford University's Microwave Laboratory offers a number of research fellowships, assistantships, and predoctorate and postdoctorate associateships to qualified graduate students. Stipends range from nine hundred to four thousand dollars per academic year.

Airborne Instruments Laboratory, Inc., at Mineola, New York, has established two fellowships in communications and electronics. One is at Stanford University and the other at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

H. Wallace Baldwin

H. Wallace Baldwin, University of Chicago physicist engaged in cosmic ray research, was killed September 6 when he jumped from a burning B-29 bomber and his parachute failed to open.

Percy Hodge

Percy Hodge, professor emeritus of physics since 1938, and head of the physics department of Stevens Institute of Technology for twenty-seven years, died on August 4 at the age of 78. He had achieved national distinction for his metallurgical research.

Lloyd W. Taylor

Lloyd W. Taylor, 55, head of the Oberlin College physics department for twenty-four years, died in a fall while climbing Mt. St. Helens, near Kelso, Washington, on August 8. He was a former president of the American Association of Physics Teachers.

Richard C. Tolman

Richard C. Tolman, professor of physical chemistry and mathematical physics at the California Institute of Technology, former vice chairman of the National Defense Research Committee, adviser to Lt. Gen. Leslie Groves and later Bernard Baruch, died September 6th in Pasadena, after suffering a stroke. He was 67.

B. RICHARD ANKERSEN has been appointed a design engineer in the physics department of Carnegie Institute of Technology.

GEORGE P. BAKER has been named chairman of the Committee on Aeronautics of the Research and Development Board.

HAROLD A. BEATTY is the new assistant director of research at the Ethyl Corporation Research Laboratories.

INGRAM BLOCH is now assistant professor of physics at Vanderbilt University.

J. HORACE COULLIETTE has been appointed technical director and IRVINE W. GROTE administrative advisor of the Industrial Research Institute of the University of Chattanooga.

STANLEY J. CZYZAK, KENNETH FERGUSON, HARRY HUMMEL, and ALFRED H. WEBER are new staff members at Argonne National Laboratory. FRANCIS J. JANKOWSKI has completed his assignment there and returned to the University of Cincinnati.

LOUIS J. EISELE has joined the staff of Spring Hill College, Mobile, Alabama, as assistant professor of physics, and JOHN MOORE as instructor in physics.

JAMES B. FISK, research director of the Atomic Energy Commission, resigned to take up duties as professor of applied physics at Harvard University, a post held open for him for two years.

RICHARD C. HITCHCOCK has been appointed science lecturer for the Westinghouse Research Laboratories.

G. C. KUCZYNSKI, of the Sylvania Electric Products' Metallurgical Research Laboratories, is lecturing on the physics of metals at the National University, Bogota, Colombia.

JULES S. LEVIN, JOHN W. WEIL, and WILLIAM L. WHITTEMORE have joined the staff at Brookhaven National Laboratory.

WILLIAM L. PARKER has been named professor of physics and head of the department at Reed College, to replace A. A. KNOWLTON, who will head the physics department of Bennington College this year. KENNETH E. DAVIS and LEO SEREN have been appointed assistant professors of physics at Reed. RAYMOND T. ELLICKSON has left Reed to go to the University of Oregon, where he will be professor of physics and associate dean of the graduate school.

WILLIAM J. PRICE has joined the staff of Battelle Institute, where he will do research in industrial physics.

CARLETON SHUGG has been named deputy general manager of the Atomic Energy Commission in Washington.

M. M. SLAWSKY recently left the Naval Ordnance Laboratory to go to the National Bureau of Standards.

A. M. ZAREM has been appointed chairman of physics research and manager of the new Los Angeles Division of Stanford University's Research Institute.