We hear that...

The following physicists have joined the staff of the Boulder (Colo.) Laboratories of the National Bureau of Standards: Milo V. Anderson, William R. Atkinson, D. K. Bailey, and Burton A. Kingsbury.

Robert F. Bacher, chairman of the Division of Physics, Mathematics, and Astronomy at the California Institute of Technology, has been elected to membership on the Board of Directors of Bell & Howell, following that firm's merger with Consolidated Electrodynamics Corporation of which he was previously a director.

Norman A. Baily, formerly chief scientist for the Department of Radiation Therapy at the Roswell Park Memorial Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., has joined Hughes Aircraft Company's Nuclear Electronics Laboratory as a senior staff physicist.

Robert L. Becker, formerly at the University of Kentucky, has joined the staff of Boston College as an associate professor of physics.

The following physicists have joined the General Atomic Division of General Dynamics Corporation at the John Jay Hopkins Laboratory for Pure and Applied Science in San Diego: James R. Brown, formerly of the Westinghouse Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory; Victor Luco, formerly of the Curtiss-Wright Research Division; Hugh L. Garvin from the University of California; Ronald A. Missman, Jr., from the University of Illinois; Arthur A. Schupp of the University of Michigan; Kedar D. Pyatt from Yale University; Albert W. Blackstock of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory; and Samuel H. Levine from the Westinghouse Bettis installation.

Walter T. Buhl has been appointed deputy group executive of American Machine & Foundry Company's Electrical Products Group in Vandalia, Ohio. He was formerly vice president and general manager of AMF's Leland Electric Company division.

A. D. Callihan and F. C. Maienschein have been appointed associate directors of the Neutron Physics Division at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

Anthony Carnvale, formerly at the Naval Ordnance Laboratory, Silver Spring, Md., has joined the Chesapeake Instrument Corporation of Shadyside, Md., where he will head the New Product Development Division.

Frank A. Comerci, who for the past 12 years has been in charge of the Communication and Acoustics Section at the New York Naval Shipyard, has joined Audio Devices, Inc., as senior project engineer at the firm's Stamford, Conn., Laboratory.

Lloyd T. DeVore has been named director of engineering of the Laboratories Division at Hoffman Electronics Corporation in Los Angeles. The appointment was made to coordinate more effectively the Division's research and engineering activity with advanced research at the Hoffman

Science Center in Santa Barbara, which Dr. DeVore also heads.

B. Gale Dick has been appointed assistant professor of physics at the University of Utah in Salt Lake City.

J. Robert Downing, formerly director of the Research and Development Division of Cook Electric Company in Chicago, has been named as president of Space Recovery Systems, Inc., a combined operation of CBS Laboratories and M. Steinthal and Co., Inc., located in El Segundo, Calif.

Ralph Dressel, head of New Mexico State University's Physics Department, is spending the spring semester as a postdoctoral research fellow at the California Institute of Technology, where he is doing research in electron physics.

Nisson A. Finkelstein, formerly assistant director of the Scientific Bureau of the Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, has been appointed assistant vice president and director of research of the Stromberg-Carlson Division of General Dynamics Corporation, located in Rochester, N. Y. Ernest G. Brock has been named as a principal scientist in Stromberg-Carlson's Basic Science Laboratory.

Martyn H. Foss has been appointed associate director of the Particle Accelerator Division at the Argonne National Laboratory, Lemont, Ill.

Newton B. Green, vice president and general manager of Eastman Kodak's Apparatus and Optical Division, retired on January 1, after 41 years with the company. Edwin C. Fritts, supervisory physicist in the Division's Apparatus Research and Development Department, who first became associated with Kodak in 1923, also retired the same day.

Howard D. Greyber, formerly with the General Electric Missile and Space Vehicle Department in Philadelphia, has joined the staff of the Geophysics Corporation of America in Boston.

Wayland C. Griffith has been promoted to the position of assistant director of research at the Lockheed Missiles and Space Division in Sunnyvale, Calif.

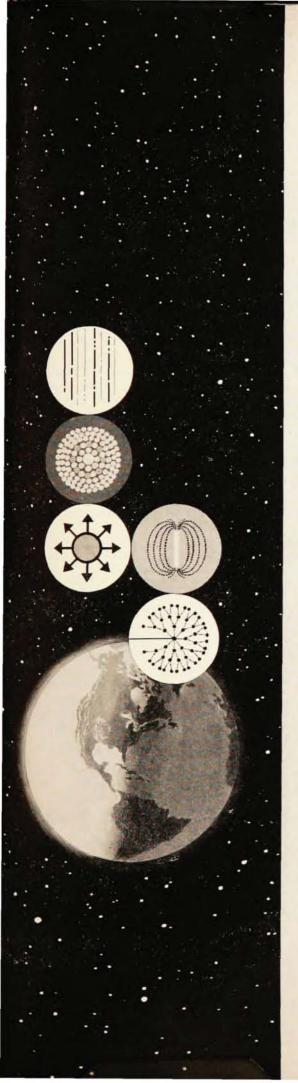
Robert C. Hansen, formerly of Hughes Aircraft Company, has been appointed senior staff engineer in the Telecommunications Laboratory of Space Technology Laboratories in Los Angeles.

Cyril M. Harris, head of the acoustical research program in Columbia University's Electronics Research Laboratories, is spending his sabbatical leave in Japan as visiting professor (until August 1) at the University of Tokyo.

Norman P. Heydenburg and Georges M. Temmer have joined the Physics Department at the Florida State University in Tallahassee through a joint appointment with the Carnegie Institution of Washington. Dr. Temmer will be in charge of Florida State's Tandem Van de Graaff program. Other recent additions to the department include Renato Ricamo, on leave from the University of Catania, Sicily, and Harry Adams from the University of Minnesota.

John P. Hurley, formerly of Washington University in St. Louis, has joined the staff of the US Naval Radiological Defense Laboratory in San Francisco. He heads the fundamental shielding program of the Nuclear Radiation Shielding Branch.

William P. Hurley, assistant professor of physics at Fordham University in New York City, has received a Fordham College Alumni Association Award presented



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William R. Hutchins, formerly chief of the Ballistic Missiles Defense Branch of the Department of Defense Advance Research Project Angency, has been named to the newly created post of scientific liaison officer for the Raytheon Company and will make his headquarters at the firm's Washington, D. C., office.

Alan C. Kolb, of the US Naval Research Laboratory and secretary of the APS Division of Plasma Physics, has received the Washington Academy of Sciences 1959 Award for Scientific Achievement in the Physical Sciences for "distinguished service in conducting original research in high-temperature physics".

Donald E. McCarthy, formerly with the Aerojet Corporation, and James C. Sternberg from Michigan State University have joined the Scientific and Process Instruments Division of Beckman Instruments, Inc., in Fullerton, Calif.

Frank A. Metz has joined the Intellectronics Laboratories of Ramo-Wooldridge in Canoga Park, Calif. John O'Grady has joined the Ramo-Wooldridge Reconnaissance Systems Department.

R. G. Moore, Jr., formerly with the Convair Division of General Dynamics Corporation, has joined the technical staff of Texas Instruments, Inc., Dallas, Tex.

Harold S. Morton and Eugene L. Nooker of The Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory have been awarded Distinguished Public Service Awards by the Navy for their work on the design development of missile warheads.

Nathan Ockman has joined the Electronic Research Laboratory at RCA's David Sarnoff Research Center in Princeton, N. J.

S. Fred Singer, professor of physics at the University of Maryland, has been named by the US Junior Chamber of Commerce as one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men of 1959. The awards have been made annually since 1938 to ten men between the ages of 21 and 36 whose "exceptional achievements exemplify the opportunities available in the free enterprise system".

Ramond C. Waddel, formerly at the Naval Research Laboratory, has been named as a consultant in the Payload Systems Division at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Goddard Space Flight Center, Washington, D. C.

Robert T. Watson, formerly with the Radio Corporation of America, has been appointed associate director of the Components and Instrumentation Laboratory at the ITT Laboratories, Nutley, N. J.

John A. Wheeler, professor of physics at Princeton University, has accepted an appointment to the Board of Trustees of Battelle Memorial Institute in Columbus, Ohio.

Harry J. White, formerly director of research and development at Research-Cottrell, Inc., has accepted an appointment as professor of applied science at Portland State College in Oregon.

Marsh W. White became professor emeritus of physics at the Pennsylvania State University on January 31 after 42 years on the Penn State faculty. He will continue to serve as executive secretary of Sigma Pi Sigma, the national physics honor society.