

to a member who has significantly contributed to the field of architectural acoustics. Sabine is the manager of the sound laboratory of Owens-Corning Fiberglas Technical Center, where he directs acoustical research and technical support activities. Sabine has contributed to measuring flow resistance and impedance, evaluating and predicting the performance of line ducts and developing testing techniques for transmission loss and reverberation chamber absorption.

John Bardeen Is Recipient of Michelson-Morley Award

The Albert A. Michelson-Edward W. Morley Award of Case Western Reserve University



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was presented to John Bardeen, professor of physics and electrical engineering at the University of Illinois. Bardeen was cited for his contributions to the theory of solid state, especially for development of the theory of superconductivity leading to new insights into collective electronic phenomena in solids and for pioneering applications of quantum theory to surface properties of semiconductors leading to the invention of the transistor. The award consists of \$5000 and a silver plaque; it is named for the scientists who disproved the concept of an ether which permeated the universe. Bardeen was corecipient of the Nobel Prize in 1956 for his work on the transistor and is currently president of the American Physical Society.

Babcock, Glass Scientist, Joins Arizona Optical Center

Clarence L. Babcock, a glass scientist at Owens-Illinois, Inc for 34 years, has begun a new career at the age of 64. He has become research professor of optical sciences at the new University of Arizona Optical Sciences Center in Tucson. The center, unique in the US, offers master's and doctor's degrees in optical sciences in addition to research on and instruction in the development and fabrication of optical devices for space, defense, astronomy and industry.

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in the glass and glass crystalline optical fields and will teach graduate students. At Owens-Illinois he was associate director of research and played an important role in the development of Cer-Vit materials, which are used as mirror blanks for three of the world's largest telescopes.

Other new appointments include Peter Hans Bartels as associate professor, on joint appointment with the department of microbiology, University of Arizona and the department of obstetrics and gynecology, University of Chicago. Bartels is doing research in pattern recognition and optical image analysis. Also appointed to associate professor is Allan J. Malvick on joint appointment with the civil engineering department, University of Arizona. He is doing research in deformation of large mirrors.

Jack D. Gaskill from Stanford Electronics Laboratories and William Swindell from the University of Melbourne are assistant professors.

Miami Theoretical Center Establishes Oppenheimer Award

An annual prize in memory of Robert Oppenheimer was established by the scientific council of the University of Miami Center for Theoretical Studies. Oppenheimer helped found the UM Center.

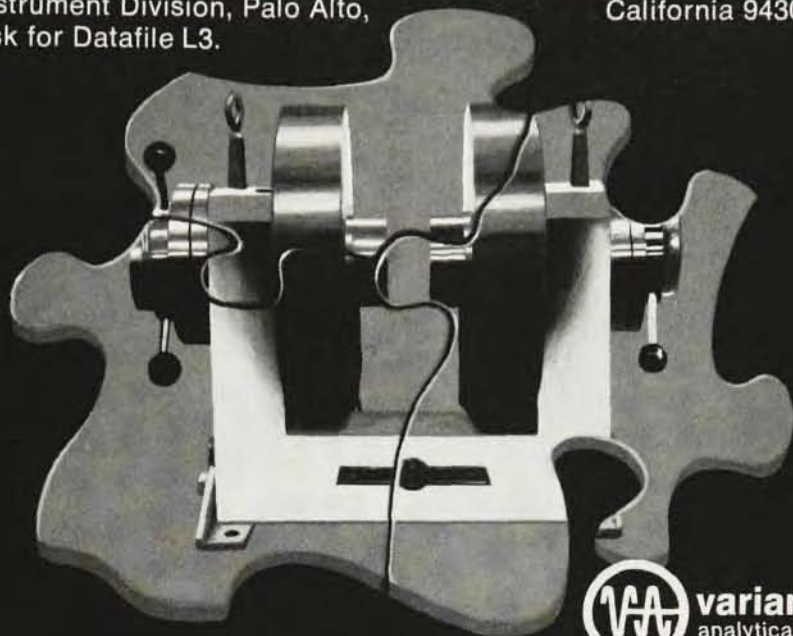
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Manfred Kaminsky Named Outstanding Citizen

Manfred S. Kaminsky, an associate physicist at Argonne National Laboratory, was named the outstanding new citizen of the year by the citizenship council of Metropolitan Chicago. Kaminsky was selected from approximately 10 000 newly naturalized citizens living in northern Illinois. The citation notes Kaminsky's contributions to science that have benefited his fellow men. He is currently studying effects of impact of very energetic particles on metal surfaces and their subsequent penetration of the metal. □

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