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#### FEBRUARY 1968

- 1, 2 Spectroscopy ☐ WESTERN SPECTROSCOPY ASSOCIATION ☐ Asilomar, Calif. (H. Brown) 12/67
- 1-3 Solar Astronomy □ AAAS □ Tucson, Arizona (N. Sheeley) [12/ 7] 9/67
- 5-7 □ s of R □ San Diego, Calif. (J. F. Johnson) 9/67
- 6 Philosophy of Science ☐ BOSTON U. ☐ Boston (R. S. Cohen) 1/68
- Philosophy of Science ☐ BOSTON U. ☐ Boston (R. S. Cohen) 1/68
- 14-16 Solid State Circuits 
  U. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia 
  (R. Webster) [10/23] 10/67
- 19-21 Biophysics ☐ BIOPHYSICAL SO-CIETY ☐ Pittsburg (H. C. Mel) [12/1] 1/68
- 23,24 Nuclear Conference U. of sas-KATCHEWAN Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada (Physics Dept., U. of Saskatchewan) 11/67
- 26, 27 Gas Phase Molecular Structure

  U. OF TEXAS Austin, Tex.
  (H. P. Hanson) [12/15] 11/67

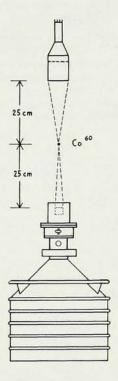
- 26–29 Elementary Particles ☐ INSTITUT
  FÜR THEORETISCHE PHYSIK DER
  UNIVERSITÄT GRAZ ☐ Schladming,
  Styria, Austria (H. Kühnelt)
  10/67
- 26-1 Lasers and Their Engineering Applications □ U. OF CALIFORNIA EXTENSION □ Berkeley, Calif. (Head, University extension)
- 28-1 Scintillation and Semiconductor Counters □ AEC-IEEE □ Washington, D. C. (G. A. Morton) [11/7] 8/67

# **MARCH 1968**

- 4–7 Neutron Cross Section and Technology □ APS-AEC-NBS □ Washington, D. C. (D. T. Goldman) [12/1] 8/67
- 5-8 Nuclear Electronics and Radioprotection □ CENTRE DE PHY-SIQUE ATOMIQUE ET NUCLÉAIRE DE LA FACULTÉ DES SCIENCES □ Toulouse, France (Faculté des Science) [10/15] 10/67
- 13-15 Electronics and Light ☐ ROCH-ESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOL-OGY ☐ Rochester, N. Y. (A. R. Maurice) [11/22] 1/68
- 13–15 Radiation Therapy ☐ MEMORIAL SLOAN-KETTERING CANCER CENTER ☐ New York (R. Phillips) (by invitation) 1/68
- 13-15 Fluctuations in Superconductors

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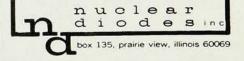
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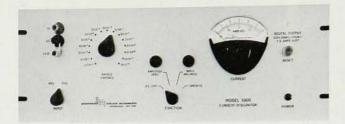
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#### **MARCH 1968**

☐ NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION | Pacific Grove, Calif. (W. S. Goree, Physics Dept., Stanford Research Institute, Menlo Park, Calif. Institute, M 94025) 2/68

- □ osa □ Wash., D. C. (M. E. Warga) [12/15] 1/68 13-16
- 14-15 Metal-Nonmetal Transitions APS-IUPAP □ San Francisco (J. C. Thompson, Physics B. 210, U. of Texas, Austin, Tex. 78712) [1/29] 2/68

This conference will cover transitions such as semimetal-semiconductor, displacive, paramagnetic metal-antiferromagnetic insulator, in dense metallic vapors of -S² configuration, monovalent systems, metal-ammonia solutions, impure semiconductors.

- 18-20 Physical Electronics □ APS □ U. of Minnesota, Minneapolis (W. T. Peria) 12/67
- High-Polymer Physics □ APS □ Berkeley, Calif. (H. D. Keith) [12/26] 12/67
- Ocean Sciences and Engineering 19.20 of the Atlantic Shelf Philadelphia, Pa. (T. Evans) [11/1] 12/67
- Microwave Power | INTERNA-21-23 TIONAL MICROWAVE POWER INSTI-TUTE Boston (1968 Sympo-sium on Microwave Power) [1/1] 12/67
- 25-28 Organic Solid State Chemistry [ BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORA-TORY □ (G. Adler) 12/67
- 28-30 Low-Luminosity Stars I NA-TIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION-AAS ☐ U. of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va. (S. Kumar) 10/67
- Theoretical Physics  $\square$  U. OF MICHIGAN  $\square$  Ann Arbor (D. Humphrey) 1/68

#### **APRIL 1968**

- 1 3Heavy-Particle Collisions | IPPS ☐ Belfast, Ireland (Meetings Officer, IPPS) [9/29] 9/67
- Radiation Effects on Cells 
  IAEA Monaco (M. Schulman)
  [11/15] 1/68 1 - 5
- Semimetals and Narrow Gap Semiconductors □ IPPS □ Dur-ham, England (Meeting Officer, 2, 3 IPPS) [1/5] 9/67
- 2-4 □ AAS □ Charlottesville, Va. (P. M. Routly) 9/67
- Magnetics 

  BEEE 

  Washington, D. C. (J. M. Lommel) [12/15] 9/67 3 - 5
- 3-5 Engineering Aspects of Magnetohydrodynamics U. OF TENNES-SEE SPACE INSTITUTE | Tullahoma, Tenn. (L. E. Ring) [11/27] 11/67
- 5, 6 High-Energy Physics □ APS-NEW ENGLAND SECTION Tufts U., Medford, Mass. (J. J. Quinn) 1/68
- 8–11 □ AMERICAN GEOPHYSICAL UNION □ Wash., D. C. (W. E. Smith, American Geophysical Union, 2100 Pennsylvania Ave. NW,

- 8-19 Helium 

  AMERICAN U. OF BEIRUT 

  Beirut, Lebanon (C. le Pair) 1/68
- 16-18 Turbulence of Fluids and Plasmas ☐ POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE OF BROOKLYN ☐ New York (J. Fox, PIB symposium committee, 333 Jay St., Brooklyn, N. Y. 11201) [1/15] 2/68

The symposium will cover introduction to turbulence, theoretical and experimental descriptions of turbulent media, experimental diagnostic techniques and related interactions with turbulent media.

- 17-19 Electronics and Electrical Engineering 

  IEEE 

  (J. V. Leeds)

  [11/1] 1/68
- 17-19 Structure Analysis □ IPPS □ U. of York; York, England (Meetings Officer IPPS) [1/5] 10/67
- 19, 20 ☐ AAPT-CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA SECTION ☐ U. of Delaware, Newark (C. B. Cooper) 1/68
- 20 ☐ AAPT-NEW ENGLAND SECTION
  ☐ U. of Hartford, Hartford,
  Conn. (W. H. Ross, 125 Hasbrouck Physics Lab., U. of
  Massachusetts, Amherst, Mass.
  01002) 2/68
- 22-24 Thin Films | IPPS | U. of Southampton, England (Meetings Officer, IPPS) [1/19] 10/67
- 22–24 Frequency Control □ US ARMY ELECTRONICS COMMAND □ Atlantic City, N. J. (M. F. Timm) [12/15] 10/67
- 22-25 Aps Washington, D. C. (W. W. Havens Jr.) 9/67
- 30-1 The Electron Microscope ☐ IIT RESEARCH INSTITUTE ☐ Chicago (L. B. Alden, IIT Research Institute, 10 W. 35 St., Chicago, Ill. 60616) 2/68

## MAY 1968

- 1-3 Vacuum Ultraviolet Physics—Interaction With Solids □ ORNL □ Gatlinburg, Tenn. (L. C. Emerson, ORNL, Oak Ridge, Tenn.) [2/1] 2/68
- 1-3 Vacuum Science and Technology

  □ AMERICAN VACUUM SOCIETY □

  Los Angeles (G. R. Neff) [12/1]

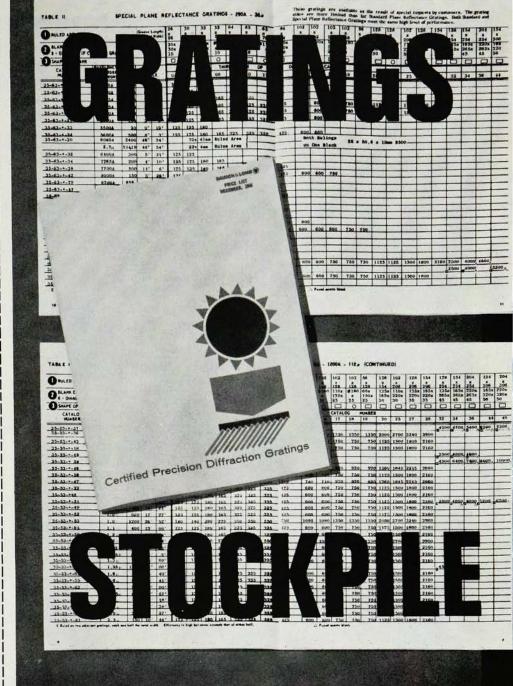
  12/67
- 5-9 Optical and Microwave Lasers 

  ELECTROCHEMICAL SOCIETY 
  Boston (Electrochemical Society)
  12/67
- 8-10 Electronic Components 

  ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION 

  Wash., D. C. (F. M. Collins) [10/10] 10/67
- 8-11 Technical Communications 
  SOCIETY OF TECHNICAL WRITERS
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  Los Angeles
  (B. P. Sauer) 11/67
- 9-10 Low-Energy Electron Diffraction

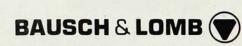
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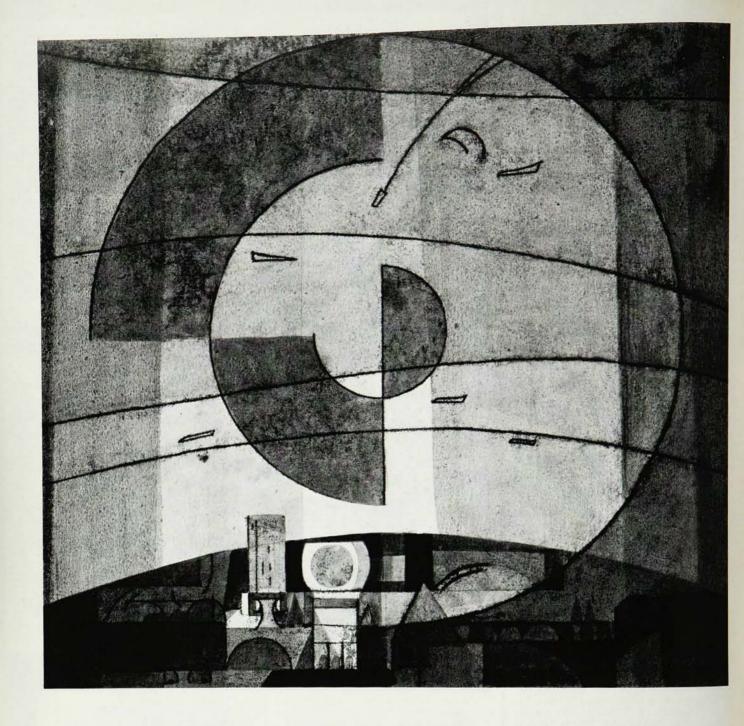
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#### **MAY 1968**

(Meetings Officer, IPPS, 47 Belgrave Sq., London SW 1) [1/15] 2/68

Topics will include properties of clean surfaces, metal and gas epitaxy, experimental and theoretical work.

- 12–18 Universal Aspects of Atmospheric Electricity ☐ AFCRL ☐ Tokyo (Capt. J. H. Shock) 10/67
- 13–17 Applied Spectroscopy □ SOCIETY FOR APPLIED SPECTROSCOPY □ Chicago (E. Lanterman) [1/15] 10/67
- Philosophy of Science ☐ BOSTON U. ☐ Boston (R. S. Cohen) 12/67
- 14-16 Silicon Carbide ☐ AFCRL ☐ University Park, Pa. (J. W. Faust, 1-112 Research Building, Penn. State U., University Park, Pa. 16802) 2/68
- 14–17 Quantum Electronics ☐ JOINT COUNCIL ON QUANTUM ELECTRONICS ☐ Miami, Fla. (R. W. Terhune) [1/8] 10/67
- 20–24 Neutron Inelastic Scattering □ IAEA □ Copenhagen, Denmark (J. Dolnicar) [12/20] 12/67
- 25-31 Economics of Nuclear Fuels ☐ IAEA ☐ Gottwaldov, Czechoslovakia (J. H. Kane) [12/15] 1/68
- 27–31 Thermionic Electrical Power Generation □ EUROPEAN NU-CLEAR ENERGY AGENCY □ Stresa, Italy (European Nuclear Energy Agency) [12/15] 10/67

#### **JUNE 1968**

- 3-6 Atomic Physics ☐ NEW YORK U ☐ New York (V. W. Hughes) (by invitation) 11/67
- 9-13 Radioisotopes □ AMERICAN NU-CLEAR SOCIETY □ Toronto (D. G. Hurst) [1/31] 1/68
- 10–13 Vacuum Metallurgy ☐ AMERI-CAN VACUUM SOCIETY ☐ Beverly Hills, Calif. (L. W. Sink) 11/67
- 10-14 X-Ray Spectroscopy Clinic ☐ STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY ☐ (H. Chessin, physics dept., SUNYA, 1223 Western Ave., Albany, N. Y. 12203) 2/68

This clinic will develop basic theory and techniques starting from elementary principles. Lectures and laboratory experiments will be held.

- 11-14 Optimization ☐ SOCIETY FOR IN-DUSTRIAL AND APPLIED MATHE-MATICS ☐ Toronto (P. Wolfe) [4/1] 1/68
- 12–14 Communications ☐ IEEE ☐ Philadelphia (L. Winner) [1/15]
- 16-20 ☐ HEALTH PHYSICS SOCIETY ☐ Denver, Colo. (W. R. Hendee) [2/1] 10/67
- 17–19  $\hfill\Box$  APS  $\hfill\Box$  Los Alamos, N. M. (W. Whaling) 10/67
- 19-21 Structure and Chemistry of Solid Surfaces ☐ LAWRENCE RADIATION LABORATORY ☐ Berkeley, Calif. (C. V. Peterson) 1/68
- 23-28 Power Conference □ IEEE □

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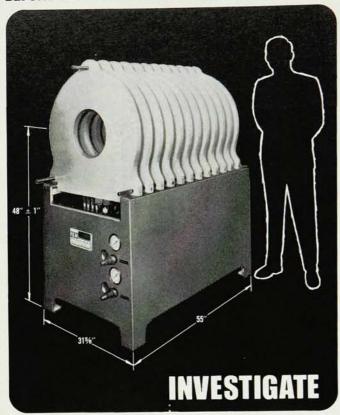
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Chicago (J. F. Bracken) [2/9] 1/68

- 24-27 Bioastronautics and Exploration of Space □ US AIR FORCE, MEDICAL DIVISION □ San Antonio, Tex. (J. Harmon, PO Box 2296, San Antonio, Tex. 78206) 2/68
- 25–28 Precision Electromagnetic Measurements □ IEEE-NBS □ Boulder, Colo. (G. Goulette) [2/12] 12/67

# **JULY 1968**

- 1–31 Theoretical Biology and Biophysics ☐ AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES ☐ Northwestern Michigan College, Traverse City, Mich. (H. J. Morowitz) [2/15] 12/67
- 8-10 Marine Technology | Marine Technology Society | Wash., D. C. (F. Masters) 1/68
- 8-11 Nuclear Magnetic Resonance 
  FORD FOUNDATION-U. OF SÃO PAULO 
  SÃO PAULO, Brazil (L. W. Reeves) [4/20] 1/68
- 10-12 Competing Spectrochemical Techniques ☐ IPPS ☐ Keele, Germany (Meetings Officer, IPPS, 47 Belgrave Sq., London, SW 1) [4/19] 2/68

The conference will highlight the areas of overlap among spectrochemical techniques and compare and contrast alternative techniques.

- 14-20 Combustion ☐ COMBUSTION IN-STITUTE ☐ U. of Poitiers, France (M. W. Evans, Stanford Research Institute, Menlo Park, Calif. 94025) [12/14] 2/68
- 15 (through Sept. 8) Nuclear Physics □ U. OF GRENOBLE □ Les Houche, Haute-Savoie France (C. Dewitt) [3/1] 1/68
- 15-18 Electrical Contact Phenomena
  ☐ IPPS ☐ University College of
  Swansea, Wales (Meetings Officer, IPPS) [2/1] 10/67
- 15–18 Orbital-Electron Capture ☐
  HUNGARIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENCES
  ☐ Debrecen, Hungary (R. W. Fink, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Ga. 30332) 2/68

Topics: capture ratios at the different atomic shells, electron capture-positron emission ratios, internal bremsstrahlung, accompanying electron capture and beta decay, two-quantum transitions, monoenergetic positron emission.

- 15-19 Crystal Growth ☐ AFCRL ☐ Birmingham, England (C. S. Sahagian) 12/67
- 22-26 Rarefied Gas Dynamics 

  SACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY 
  Cambridge, Mass.
  (Symposium secretary Rm. 37412 aeronautics and astronautics
  dept., Massachusetts Institute of
  Technology) [12/31] 11/67
- 23–29 Physics of Semiconductors ☐ IUPAP ☐ Leningrad, USSR (A. R. Regel) [2/1] 12/67
- 24-30 Magnetohydrodynamic Production of Electricity 
  Warsaw, Poland (M. V. Tcherniline) [4/2] 12/67

#### AUGUST 1968

- 1-7 Plasmas and Controlled Nuclear Fusion □ IAEA □ Novosibirsk, USSR (J. H. Kane) [1/15] 1/68
- 6-15 Medical Radioisotope Scintigraphy 

  IAEA 

  Salzburg, Austria (G. J. Hine & H. Vetter)

  [3/1] 11/67
- 7-9 Ellipsometry □ U. OF NEBRASKA
  □ Lincoln, Neb. (N. M. Bashara) 9/67
- 12-16 Liquid Crystals ☐ KENT STATE U.
  ☐ Kent, Ohio (G. H. Brown,
  Liquid Crystal Institute, Kent
  State U., Kent, Ohio 44240)
  [5/1] 2/68
- 21-23 ☐ AAS ☐ University of Victoria, Victoria, B. C., Canada (G. C. McVittie) 11/67
- 21–23 Applications of X-Ray Analysis

  Denver research institute
  U. of Denver, Colo. (J. B. Newkirk) 10/67
- 21-28 Low Temperature Physics 
  OF ST. ANDREWS 
  Scotland (D. M. Finlayson)
  10/67
- 26–31 Applied Mechanics ☐ STANFORD U. ☐ Stanford, Calif. (C. R. Steele) [2/2] 10/67
- 26-30 Reactivity in Solids | International union of pure and applied chemistry | Schenectady, N. Y. (R. W. Roberts) 10/67

# SEPTEMBER 1968

- 3–6 Macromolecular Chemistry □ IN-TERNATIONAL UNION OF PURE AND APPLIED CHEMISTRY □ Toronto (Organizing Committee) 1/68
- 3-6 Light Scattering in Solids □

  NEW YORK U. □ New York (J.

  Birman, Physics Dept. NYU, University Heights, Bx., N. Y. 10453)

  [3/15] 2/68
- 4-6 Physics and Chemistry of Electrophotography ☐ INSTITUTE OF OPTICS, U. OF ROCHESTER ☐ Rochester, N. Y. (W. L. Hyde) [6/1] 1/68
- 9-12 Elementary Particles ☐ IPPS ☐ London (Meetings Officer, IPPS, 47 Belgrave Sq., London SW 1) 2/68

Topics: wide-angle and inelastic scattering, neutrino interactions, Regge poles, form factors, high symmetries, CP invariance, theoretical developments.

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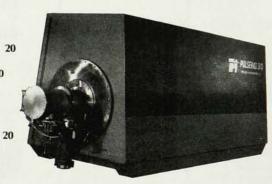
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- 9-14 Statistical Mechanics I IUPAP Tokyo (R. Kubo) 1/68
- 10-15 Magnetic Oxides ☐ INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS OF THE ACADEMY OF SR ROMANIA ☐ Bucharest, Romania (M. Rosenberg) 10/67
- 11-13 Physical Aspects of Noise in Electronics 

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- 16–21 ☐ 15TH AMPERE COLLOQUIUM ☐ St. Martin d'Hères, France (P. Averbuch) 9/67
- 16–18 Laser Measurements ☐ INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFC RADIO UNION ☐ Warsaw, Poland (S. Hahn) [2/1] 10/67
- 23–27 Vacancies and Interstitials in Metals ☐ IUPAP ☐ Jülich, Germany (W. Schilling) [5/15]
- 25-27 Stresses in Composite Materials

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- 25–27 Ultrasonics ☐ IEEE ☐ New York (F. M. Smits, Bell Telephone Laboratories, Mountain Ave., Murray Hill, N. J. 07971) [7/15] 2/68

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- 14–18 Packaging and Transportation of Radioactive Materials □ ORNL-AEC □ Gatlinburg, Tenn. (K. W. Haff, P. O. Box X, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tenn. 37830) [1/1] 2/68

Topics: new transport regulations, national and international shipment operations, unirradiated fissile material shipping containers, isotope and/or spent fuel shipping containers.

28–31 Instrumentation ☐ INSTRUMENT SOCIETY OF AMERICA ☐ New York (O. W. Williams) [2/1]

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- 16–20 Relativistic Astrophysics 
  SOUTHWEST CENTER FOR APVANCED STUDIES Dallas (I. Robinson) 9/67
- 18-20 □ APS □ San Diego (W. Whaling, Calif. Inst. of Technology, Pasadena, Calif. 91109) [10/15] 2/68