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- 15–18 Intermag □ IEEE □ Amsterdam (Th. Holtwijk) 9/68
- 15–18 Conference on the Physics of Liquids ☐ SOLID STATE PHYSICS SUBCOMMITTEE, IPPS ☐ Norwich, Norfolk, England (Meetings Officer) 10/68
- 16-18 Thin Films □ IPPS □ University of York (Meetings Officer) 3/69
- 16-18 Geoscience Electronics Symposium ☐ IEEE ☐ Washington, D. C. (M. E. Ringenbach) 10/68
- 17, 18 Coherent Optics and Instrumentation □ OAKLAND UNIVERSITY □ Rochester, Mich. (Conference Dept.) 2/69
- 17, 18 Cryogenics and Infrared Detection Systems ☐ 500 INCORPO-RATED ☐ Frankfurt, W. Germany (B. Powell, 555 Acorn Park, Cambridge, Mass. 02140) 4/69
- 18, 19 Undergraduate Physics Conference □ SOCIETY OF PHYSICS STUDENTS, INDIANA U. OF PENNSYLVANIA (R. L. Longwill, Physics Dept., Indiana U. of Pennsylvania, Indiana, Pa. 15701) 4/69
- 18, 19 APS OHIO SECTION ☐ Kent State U. ☐ Kent, Ohio (A. A. Silvidi) 3/69
- 19 ☐ AAPT IOWA SECTION ☐ Uni-

- versity of Northern Iowa (D. Hutchinson) 1/69
- 21–25 Fundamental Aspects of Dislocation Theory □ NBS □ Washington, D. C. (J. A. Simmons) by invitation only 8/68
- 21-25 50th Anniversary Meeting ☐ AMERICAN GEOPHYSICAL UNION ☐ Washington, D. C. (Geophysical Union Headquarters) 8/68
- 21–25 Solid State Chemistry ☐ ARIZONA STATE U. ☐ Scottsdale, Ariz. (L. Eyring) 8/68
- 27-30 Conference on Isotopes Application □ OAK RIDGE NATIONAL LAB., OAKRIDGE ASSOC. UNIVERSITIES, AEC □ Gatlinburg, Tenn. (J. H. Gillette, Isotopes Div., Oak Ridge National Lab., P.O. Box X, Oak Ridge, Tenn. 37830) 4/69
- 28-1 Spring Meeting and Nuclear Physics Div. ☐ APS ☐ Washington, D. C. (W. W. Havens Jr) 5/68
- 28-2 Thin Films ☐ INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THIN FILMS ☐ Boston, Mass. (M. H. Francombe) 6/68
- 28-30 Surface Science, Effusion and Evaporation □ NEW MEXICO SECTION AVS, LOS ALAMOS SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY □ LOS Alamos, N. M. (C. Winkelman) 8/68

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MAY 1969

- 2 □ ELECTRON AND ATOMIC PHYSICS DIV.—APS □ Washington, D. C. (W. W. Havens Jr) 11/68
- 3–8 Annual Meeting □ AMERICAN CE-RAMIC SOCIETY □ Columbus, Ohio (D. W. Readey) 2/69
- 4-9 Spring Meeting ☐ ELECTRO-CHEMICAL SOCIETY ☐ New York (Electrochemical Society) 8/68
- 5-7 Aerospace Instrumentation Symposium | INSTRUMENT SOCIETY OF AMERICA | Las Vegas, Nevada (D. Limbacher) 12/68
- 5-7 Hypernuclear Physics

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- 5-8 Microwave Symposium

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- 6-8 Frequency Control Symposium

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 COMMAND
 Fort Monmouth,
 N. J. (Director, Electronic Components Lab.) 12/68

- 6–8 Nuclear Electronics Symposium

 □ NORTH ITALY SECTION, IEEE □
 Ispra, Italy (Luciano Stanchi)
 12/68
- 6-9 Nuclear Track Registration in Insulating Solids and Applications

 Clermont-Ferrand (Jourentra, Faculté des Sciences) 3/69
- 7-9 Annual Symposium □ AVS SOUTH-WEST SECTION (R. P. Fedchenko) 10/68
- 8-10 X- and Gamma-Ray Astronomy

 Rome (L. Gratton, Laboratorio
 di Astrofiscia, C.P. 67, Frascati,
 Rome, Italy) 4/69
- 12–15 Symposium on Spectroscopy □
 CHICAGO SECTION-SOCIETY FOR
 APPLIED SPECTROSCOPY, CHICAGO
 GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY GROUP □
 Chicago (R. L. Terry) 12/68
- 14–16 Semiconductor Effects in Amorphous Solids Symposium □
 PICATINNY ARSENAL & ARMY RESEARCH OFFICE □ New York (W. Doremus, Dept. of the Army, Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, N.J.)
 4/69
- 14–17 ☐ ANS ISOTOPES AND RADIATION DIV. ☐ San Juan, P. R. (O. J. Du Temple)
- 15 Forefront in Optics □ OSA NEW ENGLAND SECTION □ Worcester Polytechnic Institute (B. Hanatow) 3/69
- 18-23 Mass Spectrometry □ AMERICAN

70 Summer Sessions for 1969 Gordon Research Conferences

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Chemistry and Physics of Solids, 11–15 Aug., Kimball Union Academy, Meriden, N. H.

Chemistry and Physics of Space, 7-11 July; Nuclear Structure Physics, 28 July-1 Aug., Tilton School, Tilton, N. H.

Physical Acoustics, 7–11 July, Proctor Academy, Andover, N. H.

Chemistry and Physics of Isotopes, 21–25 July; Chemistry and Physics of Liquids, 11–15 Aug., Holderness School, Plymouth, N. H.

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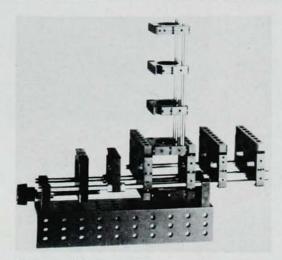
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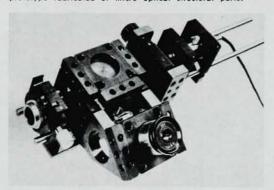
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- 22–23 Applied Magnetics ☐ IEEE ☐ Washington, D. C. (O. Kiltie)
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- 27-30 Annual Meeting

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 Paris (Secrétaire Général de la Société de Chimie Physique) 10/68

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- 2-6 Radiation Damage in Reactor Materials

 IAEA Vienna, Austria (J. H. Kane, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545) 2/69
- 2–6 General Relativity □ AEROSPACE RESEARCH LABS., U. OF CINCINNATI □ U. of Cincinnati (L. Witten, Physics Dept., U. of Cincinnati, Ohio 45221) 4/69
- 8–12 Annual Meeting ☐ HEALTH PHYSICS SOCIETY ☐ Pittsburgh, Pa. (R. F. Cowing) 10/68
- 12-13 Kinetic Equations □ Cornell U. (L. Liboff) by invitation only 3/69
- 15–28 Magnetism ☐ INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR ADVANCED STUDIES ☐ Chania, Crete (E. D. Haidemenakis) 3/69
- 16, 17 Polymers in High Performance Applications □ London (The Plastics Institute) 12/68
- 16–18 Structures of Water and Aqueous Solutions ☐ U. OF CHICAGO (G. E. Walrafen) 2/69
- 16–18 Fluid and Plasma Dynamics ☐
 AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICS AND ASTRONAUTICS ☐
 San Francisco (P. A. Libby) 1/69
- 16–18 Thermophysics Conference ☐
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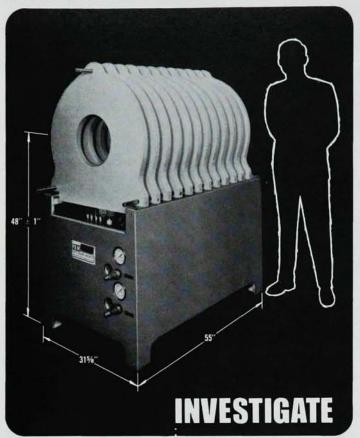
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- 18-20 Summer East Meeting □ APS □ Rochester, N. Y. (W. W. Havens Jr) 6/68
- 18-20 Symmetries and Quark Models

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- 23-25 Shock Tubes □ APS □ Toronto
- 23–25 Summer Meeting □ AAPT □ St. Louis, Mo.
- 23-27 Annual Meeting ☐ SOCIETY OF NUCLEAR MEDICINE ☐ New Orleans, La. (S. N. Turiel) 11/68
- 23-27 Conference on Plasma Physics and Controlled Fusion ☐ FOM-INSTITUTE FOR PLASMA PHYSICS ☐ Utrecht, Netherlands (FOM-Institute for Plasma Physics) 11/68
- 25–28 Annual Meeting ☐ CANADIAN ASSOC. OF PHYSICISTS ☐ Waterloo, Ontario (D. D. Betts) 3/69
- 29-12 Optical Properties of Solids ☐
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 Crete (E. D. Haidemenakis) 3/69
- 30-1 Fibres for Composites: Strength, Structure and Stability

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 University of Sussex (Meetings Officer) 2/69
- 30-4 From Theoretical Physics to Biology ☐ THERMODYNAMICS AND STATISTICAL MECHANICS COMMISSION, IUPAP ☐ Versailles, France (R. Kubo) 2/69

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- 2-4 Lasers in Medicine | IPPS, ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE, OPH-THALMOLOGICAL SOCIETY, HOS-PITAL PHYSICISTS ASSOCIATION | London (Meetings Officer) 1/69
- 7-11 Nuclear and Space Radiation Effects

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- 8-10 Three-Body Problem in Nuclear and Particle Physics

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- 14-16 Electron Microscopy

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- 14-18 Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy

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- 14–19 Instruments and Techniques ☐ INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION FOR

- OPTICS, IUPAP ☐ Reading, England (W. L. Hyde) 2/69
- 15–18 Nuclear Reactions Induced by Heavy Ions ☐ MAX PLANCK INSTITUT FÜR KERNPHYSIK, IUPAP (R. Bock) 3/69
- 16–18 Electron Microprobe Analysis □
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7-18 APRIL

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Topics: Basics; crystal symmetry and simple structures, reciprocal lattice, powder method of x-ray diffraction and identification of chemical compounds. Topography; methods of x-ray diffraction topography. Special problems; individually selected experiments.

16-26 APRIL

Chemistry of Extended Defects in Non-Metallic Solids ☐ NATO, ARIZONA STATE U. ☐ Scottsdale, Ariz. (L. Eyring, Dept. of Chemistry, Arizona State U., Tempe, Ariz. 85281)

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28 APRIL-2 MAY

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2-13 JUNE

X-Ray Diffraction □ POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE OF BROOKLYN □ New York (D. Cattell, Dept. of Physics, Polytechnic Inst. of Brooklyn, 333 Jay St., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201)

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9-13 JUNE

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16-20 JUNE

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16-25 JUNE

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16-27 JUNE

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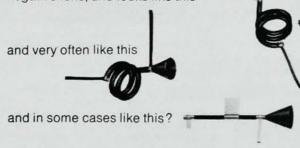
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