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## Bates, not Lecomte

With reference to the photograph of the 1966 General Assembly of the International Union of Pure and Applied Physics (PHYSICS TODAY, May, page 55), I am sure that the gentleman identified as J. Lecomte would prefer to be called Leslie F. Bates.

RALPH P. HUDSON

*National Bureau of Standards*

BATES SAYS: I am indeed the person wrongly described. I may add that it gave me much pleasure to appear in that photograph because the president, Louis Néel and I were elected to the newly formed Magnetism Commission in 1957, and I was appearing for the last time as secretary of that commission.

LESLIE F. BATES

*University of Nottingham, Emeritus*

LECOMTE SAYS: The person referred to as "J. Lecomte" is very likely L. F. Bates as I identify myself on the last-but-one row approximately above Louis Néel.

J. LECOMTE

*Faculté des Sciences de Paris*

A CORRECTION: In my August review of P. K. Kabir's book *The CP Puzzle: Strange Decays of the Neutral Kaon*, sentence 5 of paragraph 5 should have ended with the word "statement." Then a new sentence should begin: "Again, 'A neutral  $2\pi$  state. . .'" The following sentence should have read as follows: "An  $I$ -odd state of two neutral pions does not exist (because of Bose statistics), and it is confusing for the author to imply that it must satisfy this condition."

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