



Leonard G. Aamodt and **Wilson P. Bishop** have joined The Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory.

Rutgers University has announced the following additions to its physics staff: assistant professor, **Elihu Abrahams**; instructors, **Allen B. Robbins** and **Melvin Schwartz**.

Frederick Allenspach, **A. M. Bincer**, **A. N. Goland**, **W. F. Kenney**, and **Ernest K. Warburton** have joined the staff of Brookhaven National Laboratory.

Alan Andrew, formerly of Atomics International, has joined the Nuclear Physics and Engineering Department of Lockheed Missile Systems Division research laboratories, Palo Alto, Calif.

Virginia Polytechnic Institute has announced the following additions to the Department of Physics: assistant professor, **Leon S. August**, formerly of Louisiana State University; instructors, **David L. Bushnell**, formerly of the State University of Iowa, **Harry L. Reaves**, formerly of Hampden-Sydney College, and **Jean L. Ryan**, formerly of the Emery Tumor Clinic.

Lewis Balamuth has been named vice president for research and development of the Cavitron Equipment Corporation, Long Island City, N. Y.

Mervyn L. Barman, **Lee Helser**, and **William D. Miller** have joined The Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation's Control Systems Division.

Jane B. Blizard, formerly with the New England Institute for Medical Research and Vassar College, has joined the staff of the M. D. Anderson Cancer Hospital of the University of Texas in Houston.

Lars Block of the Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden, is a visiting assistant professor of physics at Stevens Institute of Technology. **Bernard N. Jaffe** is visiting instructor in Stevens' Physics Department.

Keith A. Brueckner, formerly of Brookhaven National Laboratory, has been appointed Mary Amanda Wood Professor of Physics at the University of Pennsylvania. **Barnett C. Cook**, formerly of the University of Chicago, has been appointed assistant professor of physics at Pennsylvania.

Robert S. Caird, Jr., **Richard H. Robertson**, and **William M. Visscher** have joined the staff of Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory.

Bruce P. Foster has been promoted to associate professor of physics at North Texas State College in Denton. Recent appointees to the College's Department of Physics are: **James T. Jones, Jr.** and **Pat M. Windham** (assistant professors) and **Jerome L. Duggan** and **Jim R. Sybert** (instructors).

The University of Rochester has announced the following promotions in the Physics Department: to full professor, **Harry W. Fulbright**, currently on leave of absence as a Fulbright and Guggenheim fellow at the Institute for Theoretical Physics in Copenhagen, Denmark; to associate professor, **John H. Tinlot** and **J. Bruce French**; to assistant professor, **W. Parker Alford**, **George Salzman**, and **Malcolm P. Savedoff**. Other new appointments in the Department include: instructor, **Jerry B. Marion**; research associates and assistant professors (part-time), **Charles G. Goebel** and **George H. Rawitscher**; research associates, **Arnold Engler** and **Ernest Heer**. **Paul T. Matthews** of Birmingham, England, has been appointed visiting professor beginning February 1, 1957.

Richard Hanau and **F. L. Yost** of the University of Kentucky Department of Physics are members of a Kentucky Contract Team that has been sent to the University of Indonesia in Bandung under an International Cooperation Administration contract with the Republic of Indonesia for the purpose of educational and technical cooperation.

William F. Hornyak has been appointed associate professor at the University of Maryland where he will head a new program in experimental nuclear physics. Other appointments in Maryland's Department of Physics are as follows: **Richard A. Ferrell** (promoted to associate professor), **William M. MacDonald** and **Howard J. Laster** (assistant professors), **Einar Hinnov** and **Alexei A. Maradudin** (research associates). Visiting faculty members to the Department include **Friedrich H. Hund**, **John C. Ward**, and **Antoine Visconti**.

George E. Hudson is taking a year's leave of absence from New York University's College of Engineering to organize a Department of Mathematical Physics at Smyth Research Associates, San Diego, Calif.

Gordon C. Hunt, **Jerome H. Molitor**, and **Jerome R. Tichy** have joined the staff of Boeing Airplane Company, Seattle, Wash.

Herbert Leaderman of the National Bureau of Standards is spending the academic year 1956-57 in Japan as a Fulbright Fellow. He will lecture on high-polymer physics at Gakushuin University and the Tokyo Institute of Technology, and will be associated with the Kobayasi Institute of Physical Research in Tokyo.

F. B. Llewellyn, a member of the technical staff of Bell Telephone Laboratories for more than 30 years, has been appointed assistant to the Laboratories' president, **Mervin J. Kelly**. He succeeds **T. C. Fry** who retired on September 30.

Park H. Miller, Jr., formerly professor of physics at the University of Pennsylvania, has joined the General Atomic Division of General Dynamics Corporation, San Diego.

Robert S. Mulliken has been named to the Ernest DeWitt Burton Distinguished Service Professorship at the University of Chicago. The professorship was established in honor of the University's third president.

John S. Saby has been appointed manager of the Lamp Research Laboratory of General Electric Company's Advanced Lamp Development Laboratory at Nela Park, Cleveland, Ohio.

Leonard I. Schiff, executive head of the Physics Department at Stanford University, will spend a year on sabbatical leave at the Sorbonne. He has received a Guggenheim Fellowship and will serve as visiting professor of theoretical physics on the Faculty of Science, Ecole Normale Supérieure, University of Paris.

William P. Senett, formerly with Radio Corporation of America, has been named head of the Laboratory Research Department at Walter Kidde Nuclear Laboratories, Inc., Garden City, N. Y. **Aaron Besner** has joined the Theoretical Department of the Laboratories as senior scientist.

William G. Simeral has been promoted to the position of research supervisor in the Research Division of du Pont's Polychemicals Department at the Experimental Station near Wilmington, Del.

Harold F. Richards, professor of physics and former head of the Department of Physics at The Florida State University in Tallahassee, has retired after 31 years on the University's faculty. **Richard D. Deslattes**, **Robert A. Kromhout**, **Hans S. Plendl**, **Gerald Speisman**, and **William L. Stirling** have accepted positions in Florida State's Physics Department. Two former members of the Department have resigned: **George L. Rogosa**, who has joined the Atomic Energy Commission in Washington, and **Conway W. Snyder**, who has joined the Jet Propulsion Laboratory at the California Institute of Technology.

Clinton A. Stone has been named supervisor of nuclear physics at Armour Research Foundation, Illinois Institute of Technology.

Harold C. Urey, of the University of Chicago's Enrico Fermi Institute for Nuclear Studies, is spending the academic year 1956-57 as Eastman Professor in the Department of Physics at the University of Oxford in England. **Willis E. Lamb**, formerly of Stanford University, has taken up his duties as Wykeham Professor of (theoretical) Physics at Oxford, where the theoretical physics group has been expanded considerably. Another recent addition to Oxford's theoretical group is **D. ter Haar**, formerly of the University of St. Andrews, Fife, Scotland.

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