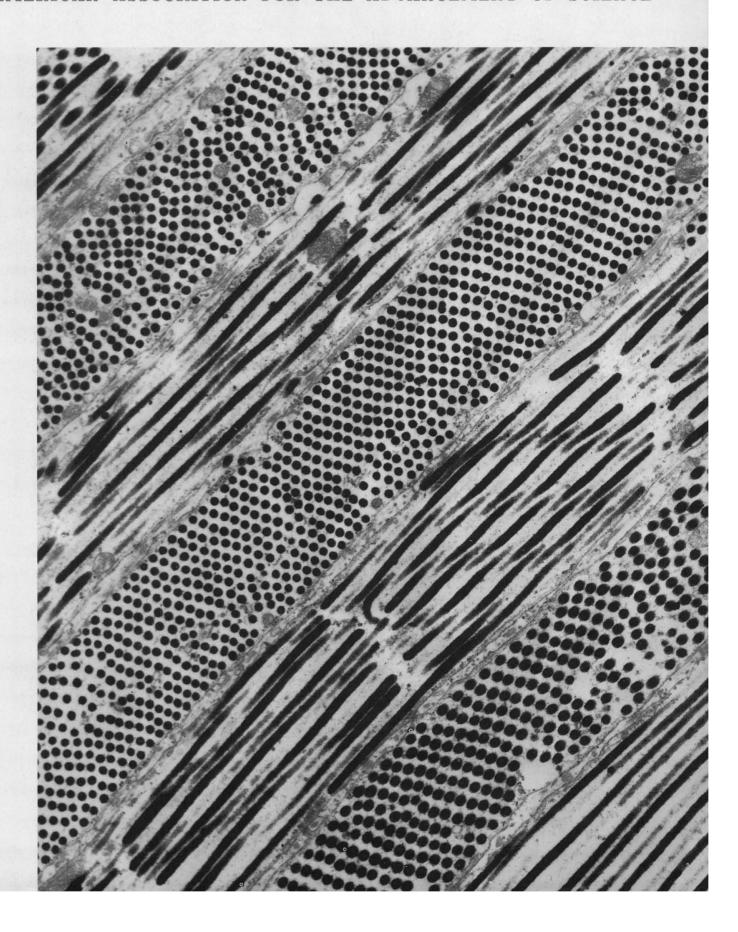
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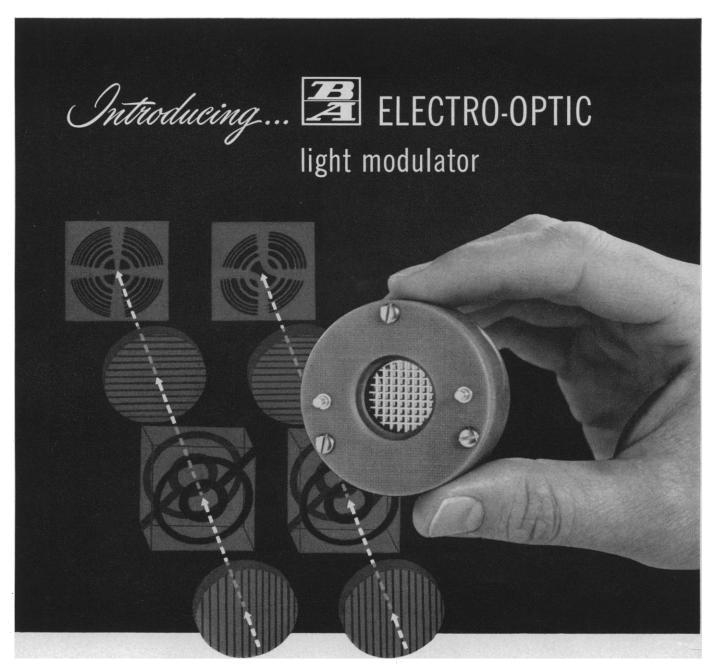
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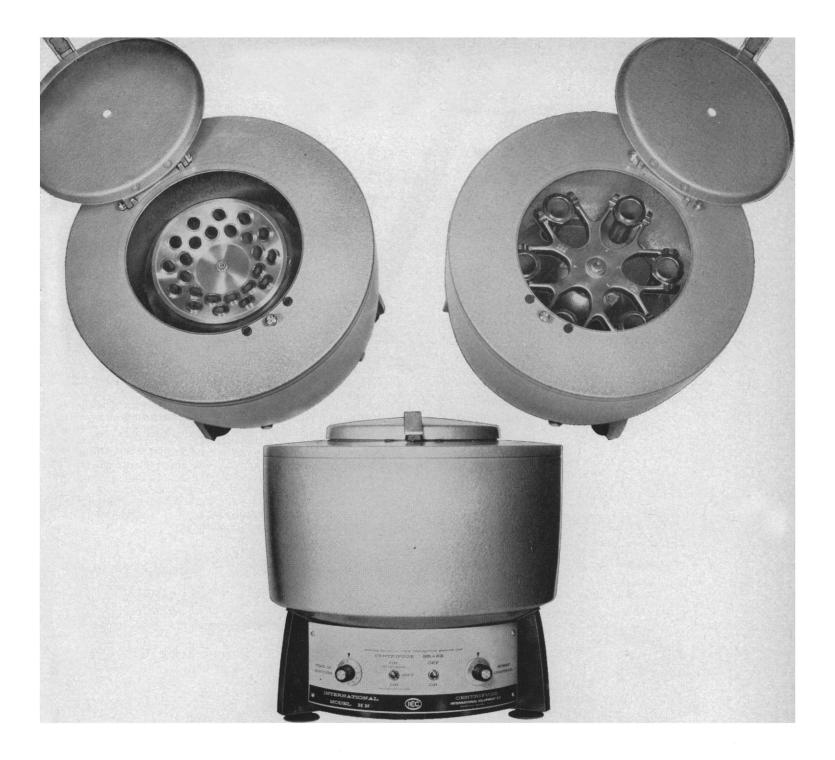


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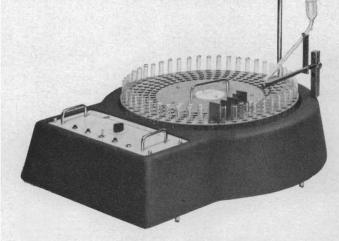
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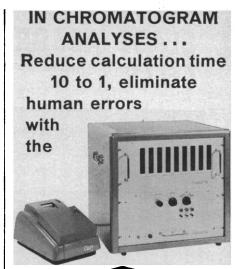
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- 5-7. High-Polymer Science, annual forum, Windsor, Ont., Canada. (L. Breitman, Research and Development Div., Polymer Corp. Ltd., Sarnia, Ont.)
- 5-7. Measurement of Thermal Radiation Properties of Solids, symp., Dayton, Ohio. (C. R. Andrews, Univ. of Dayton, Dayton 9)
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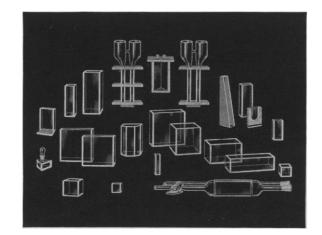
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10-15. Research in Mammary Tumours, World Health Organization scientific group, London, England. (WHO, Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland)

10-16. Protection Against Corrosion, symp., Bratislava, Czechoslovakia. (Mr. Jelinek, Dôm Technicky, Kocel'ova 17, Bratislava)

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10-21. Experimental Stress Analysis, inst., Detroit, Mich. (J. Der Hovanesian, Engineering Mechanics Dept., Wayne State Univ., Detroit 2)

11-17. Ornithology, all-union conf., L'vov, U.S.S.R. (Ministry of Higher and Secondary Special Education, Moscow, U.S.S.R.)

11-17. Physiology, intern. congr., Leiden, Netherlands. (W. O. Fenn, Dept. of Physiology, Medical Center, Univ. of Rochester Rochester 20 N.Y.)

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12–14. Condensation and Evaporation of Solids, intern. symp., Dayton, Ohio. (Office of Aerospace Research, U.S. Air Force, Washington 25)

12-14. Plutonium as a Power-Reactor Fuel, natl. meeting, Richland, Wash. (American Nuclear Soc., 86 E. Randolph St., Chicago 1, Ill.)

12-18. International Inst. de Sociologie, Córdoba, Argentina. (C. C. Zimmerman, 200 Emerson Hall, Harvard Univ., Cambridge 38, Mass.)

13-14. Advanced Gas-Cooled Reactors, symp., London, England. (Secretary, British Nuclear Energy Conf., 1-7 Great George St., London, S.W.1)

13-14. Engineering Management, annual conf., New Orleans, La. (Inst. of Radio Engineers, 1 E. 79 St., New York 21)

13-14. Engineering Writing and Speech, natl. symp., Washington, D.C. (Inst. of Radio Engineers, 1 E. 79th St., New York 21)

13-15. Polymer Research, annual symp., Łodz, Poland. (A. Boryniec, Technical Univ. of Łodz, Zwirki 36, Łodz)

14-16. Society of Exploration Geophysicists, annual intern. meeting, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. (N. J. Christie, 209A Sixth Ave., SW, Calgary)

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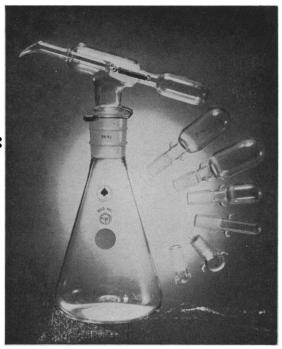
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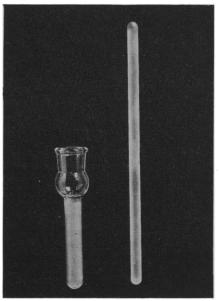
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16-22. Latin American Chemistry Congr., annual, Buenos Aires, Argentina. (Secretary, Congreso Latinoamericano de Quimica, Casilla de Correo 2153, Buenos Aires)

16-22. Low-Temperature Physics, intern. conf., London, England. (LT8, Queen Mary College, University of London, Mile End Rd. London, E.1)

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17-21. Hormones and the Kidney, colloquium, London, England. (P. C. Williams, c/o Imperial Cancer Research Fund, Burtonhole Lane, London, N.W.7)

17-21. Malacological Congr., London, England. (H. E. J. Biggs, 19 Siward Rd., Bromley, Kent, England)

17-21. Vector Control, symp., Geneva, Switzerland. (World Health Organization, Palais des Nations, Geneva)

17-22. High-Speed Photography, intern. congr., The Hague, Netherlands. (Congress Secretariat, 14 Burgemeester de Monchyplein, The Hague)

17-22. International Brain Research Organization, central committee meeting, Paris, France. (H. H. Jasper, U.N. Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Place de Fontenoy, Paris 7°)

17-22. International Union Against Tuberculosis, annual, Paris, France. (IUAT, 15 rue Pomereau, Paris 16°)

17-24. History of Medicine, intern. congr., Warsaw and Krakow, Poland. (Organizing Committee, Chocimska 22, Warsaw)

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18-21. Food Science and Technology, intern. congr., London, England. (F. J. Griffin, 14 Belgrave Sq., London, S.W.1)

18-22. Agricultural Aviation, intern. conf., Grignon, France. (P. Journet, Service de la protection des végétaux, Ministère de l'Agriculture, 78 rue de Varenne, Paris 7°, France)

18-23. International Assoc. of Geodesy, Munich, Germany. (J. J. Levallois, IAG, 19 rue Auber, Paris 8°)

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19-20. Industrial Electronics, annual symp., Chicago, Ill. (E. A. Roberts, Comptometer Corp., 5600 Jarvis Ave., Chicago

19-21. Rocky Mountain Minerals Conf., Butte, Mont. (Metallurgical Soc. of AIME, 345 E. 47 St., New York 17)

19-22. Information Retrieval, seminar, Minneapolis, Minn. (Director, Center for Continuation Study, Univ. of Minnesota, Minneapolis 14)

19-23. Air Force Assoc., convention and aerospace panorama-weapons meet, intern., Las Vegas, Nev. (AFA, 1901 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington 6)

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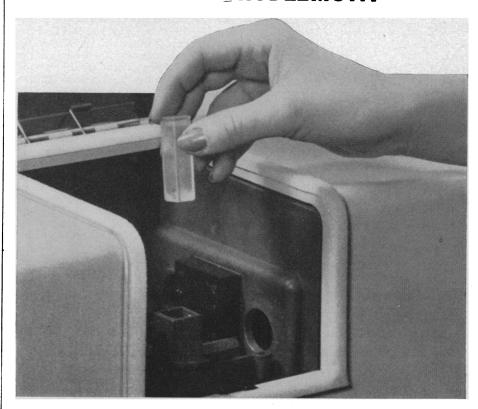
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