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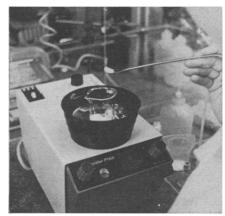
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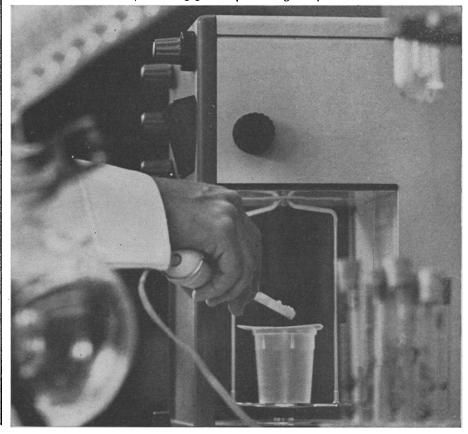
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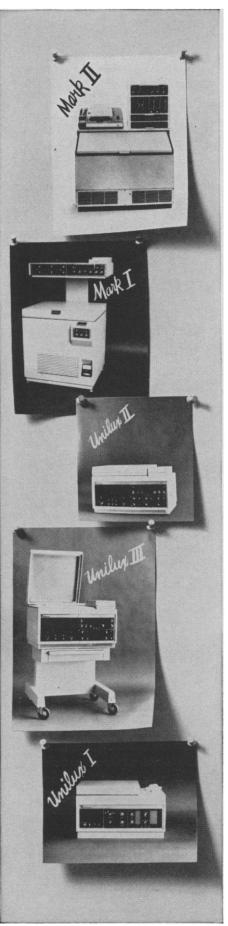
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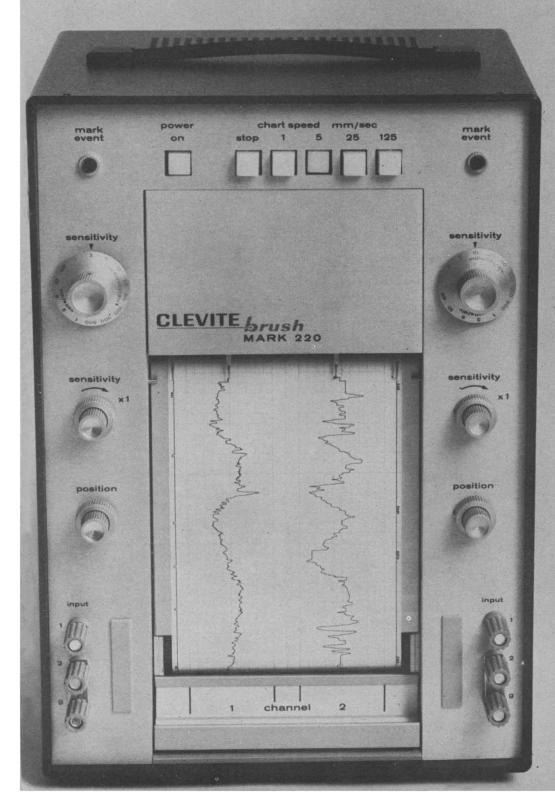
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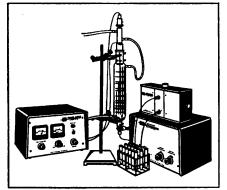
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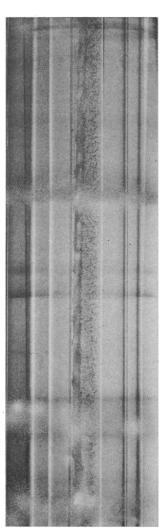




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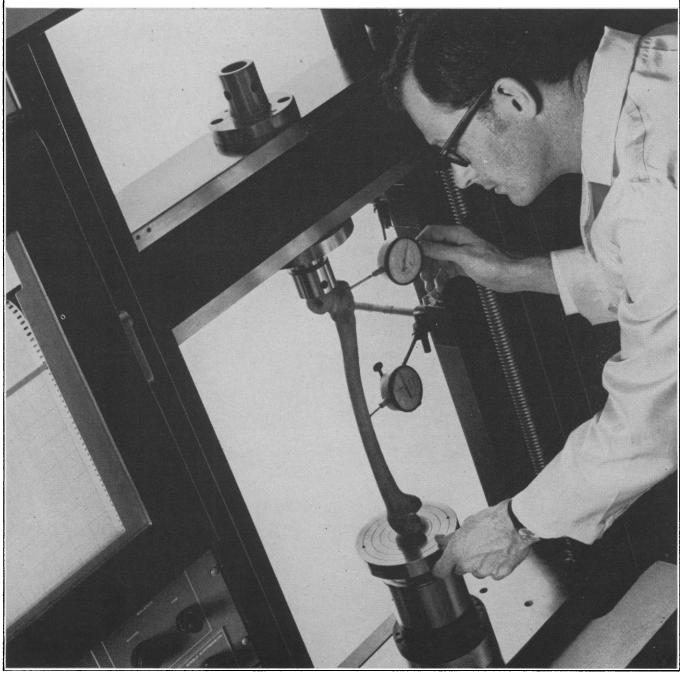
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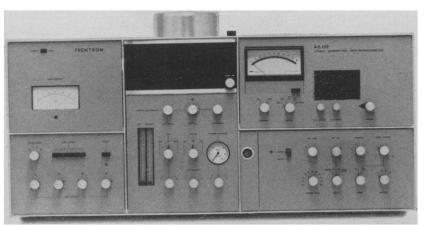
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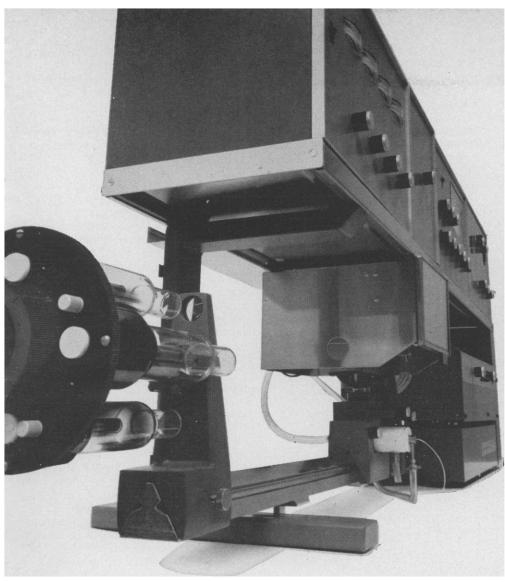
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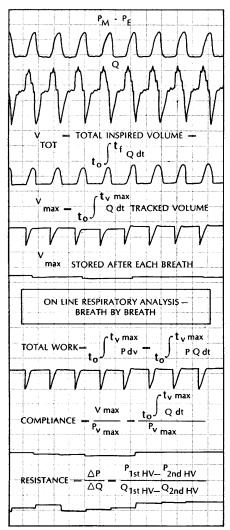


Figure 1.

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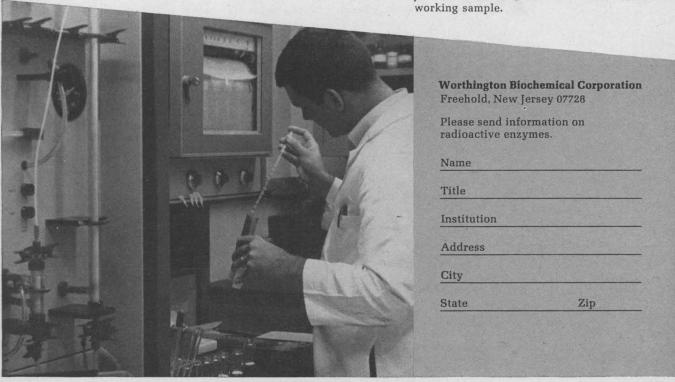
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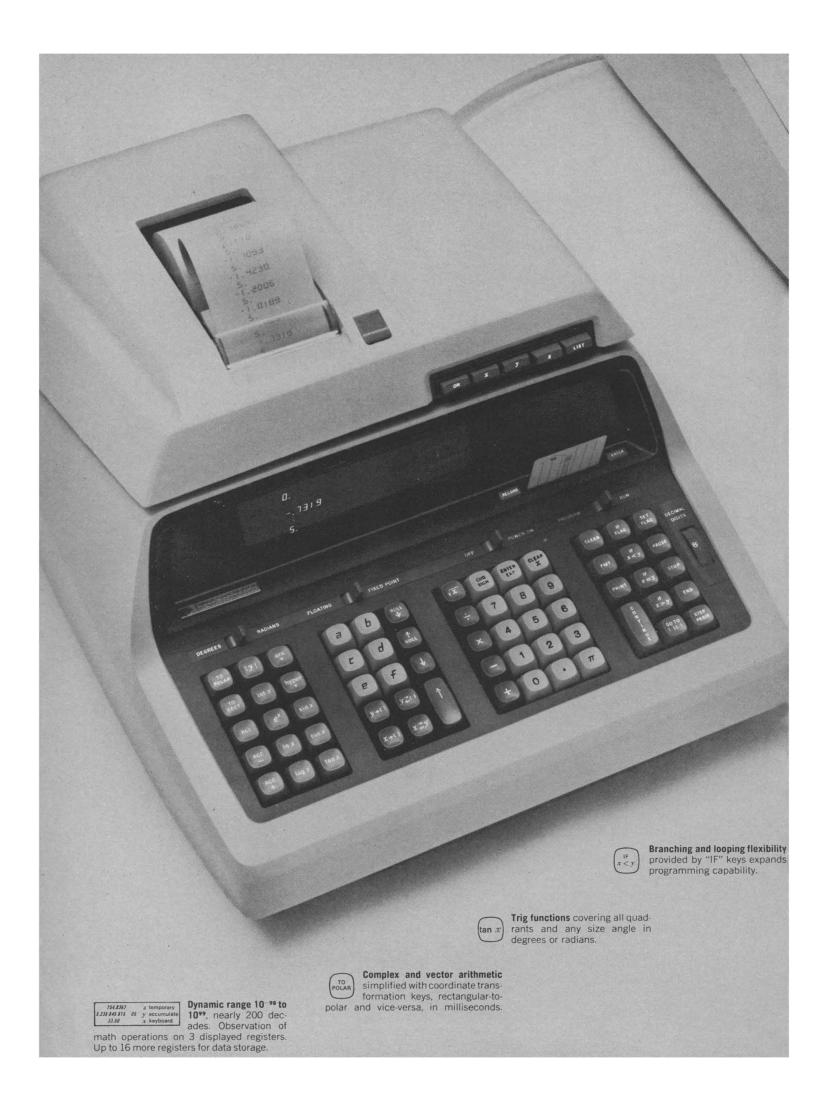
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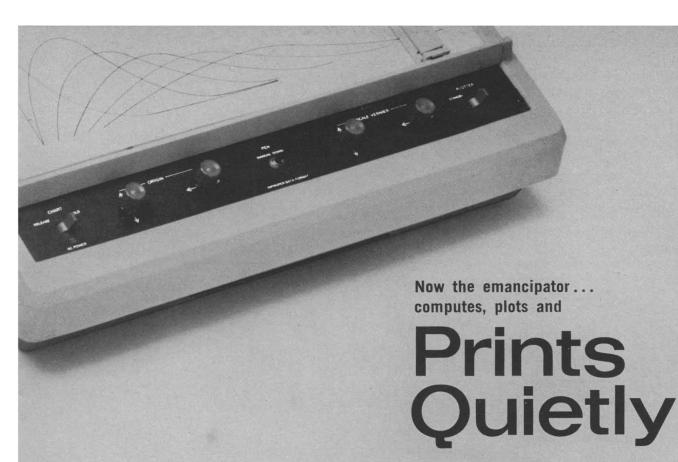
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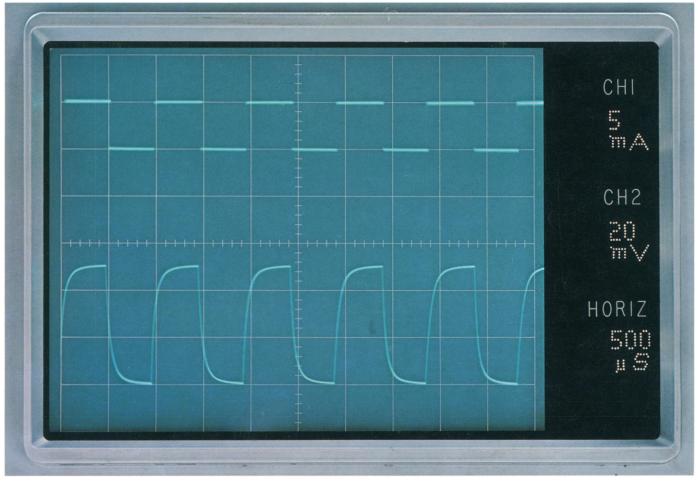
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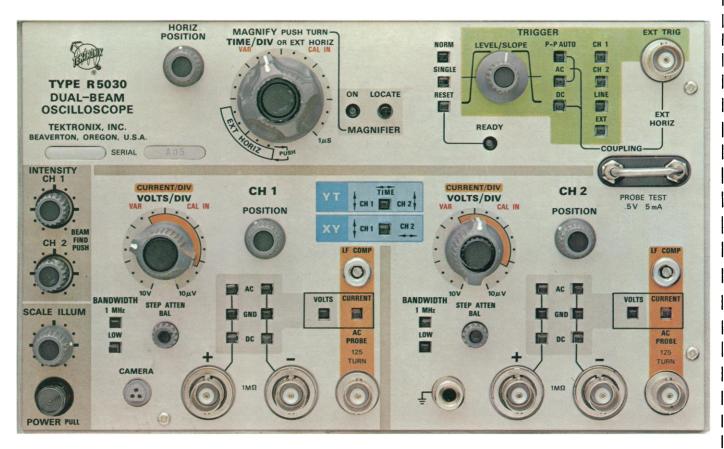
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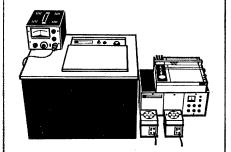
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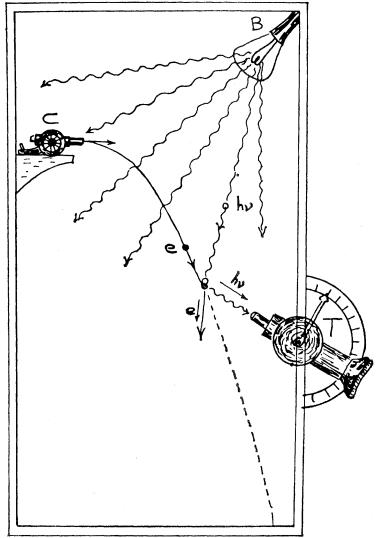
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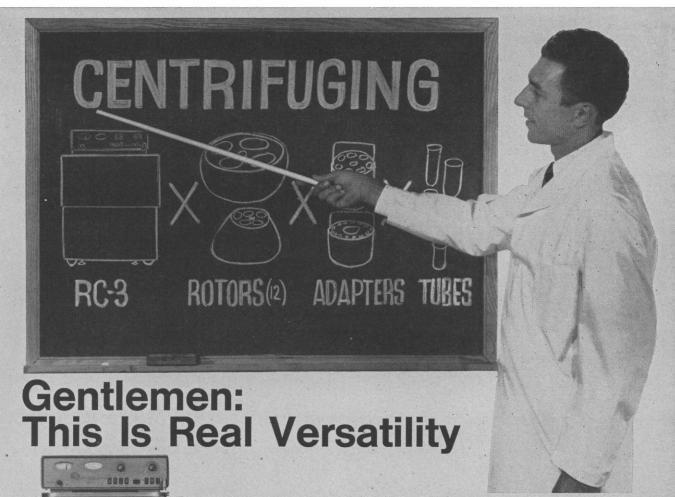


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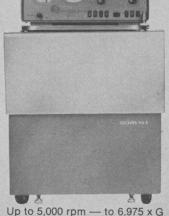
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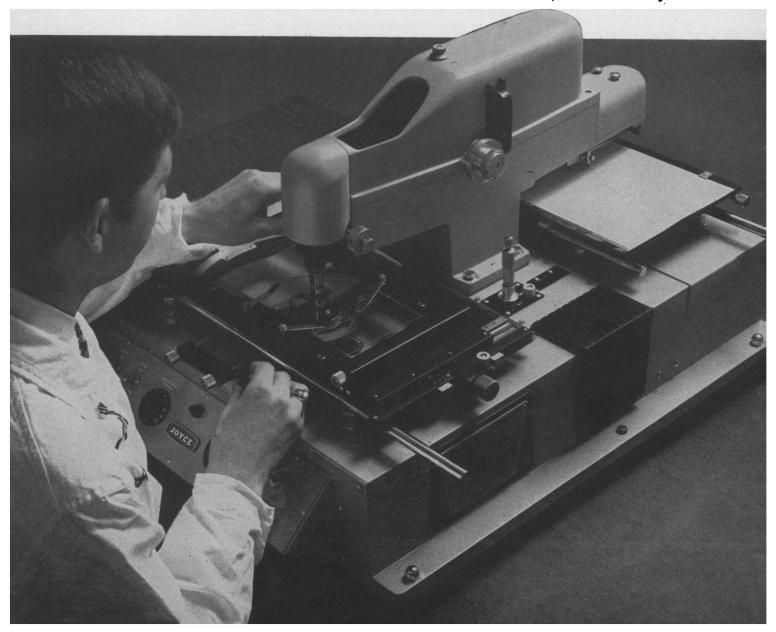
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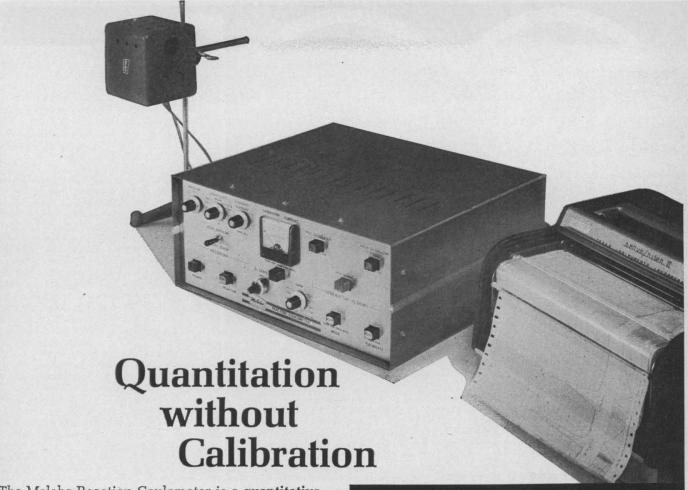
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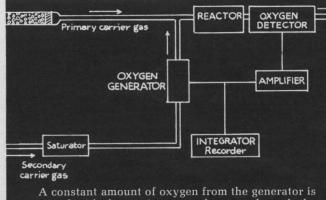
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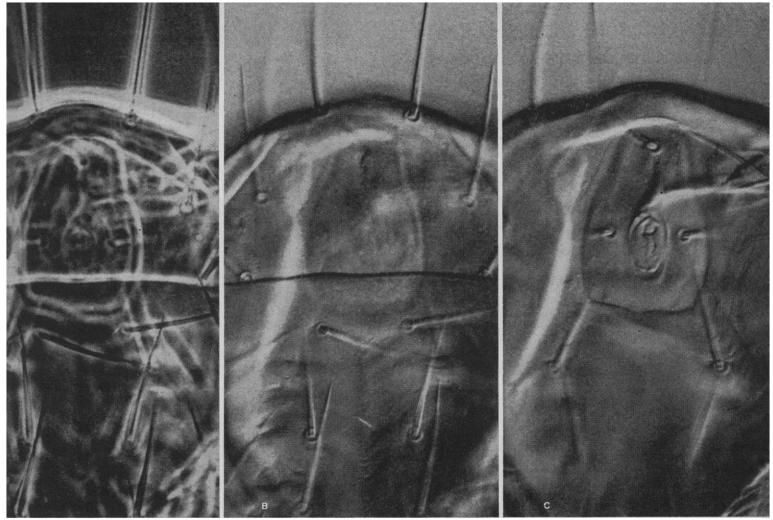
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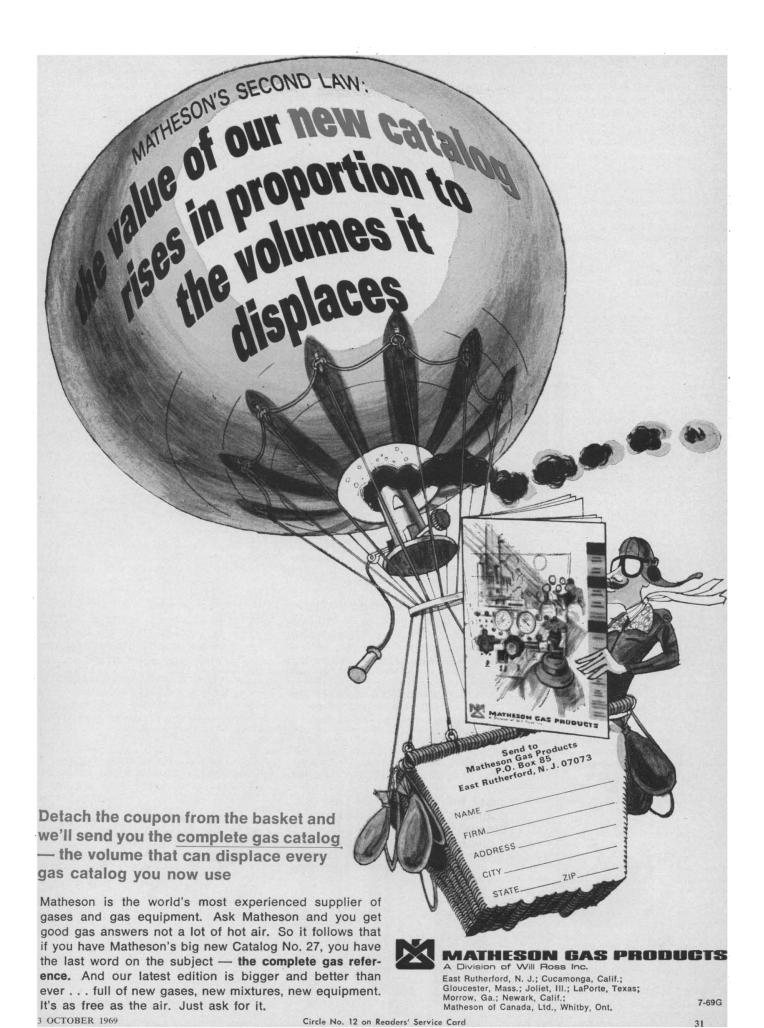
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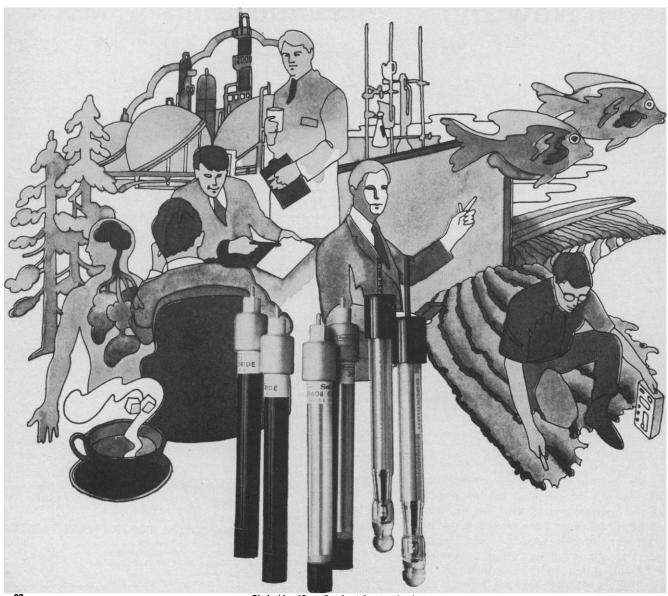
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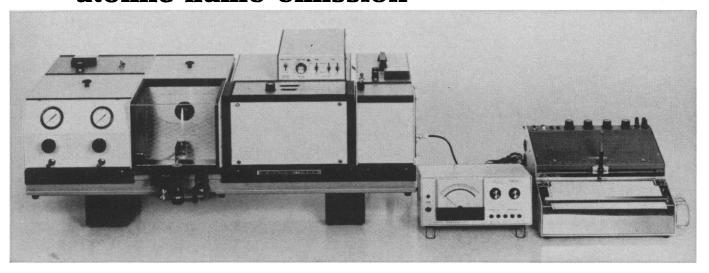
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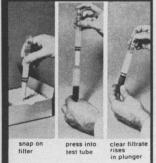
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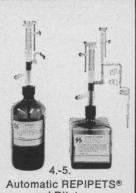
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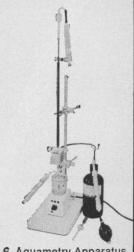
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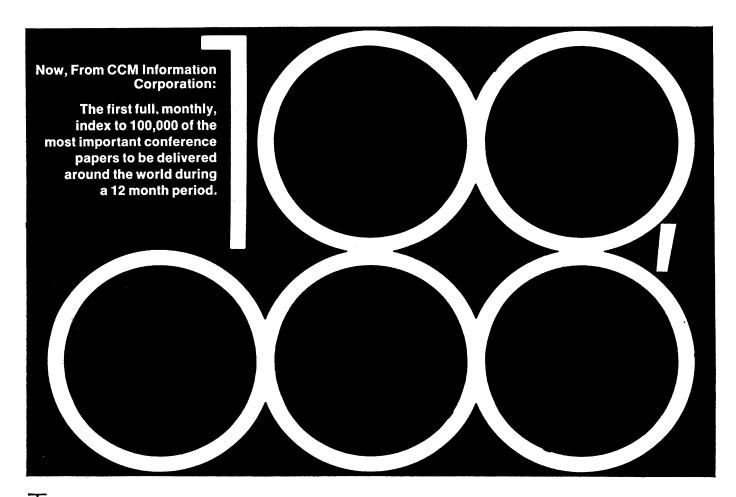
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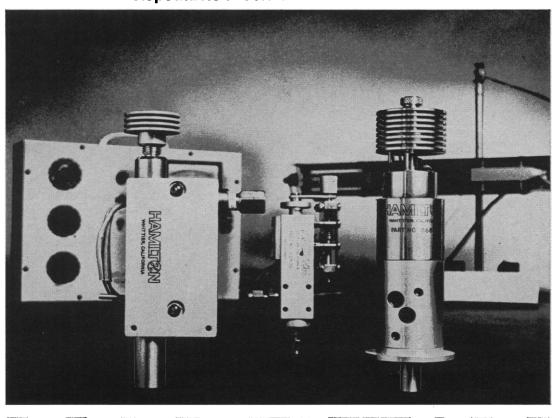
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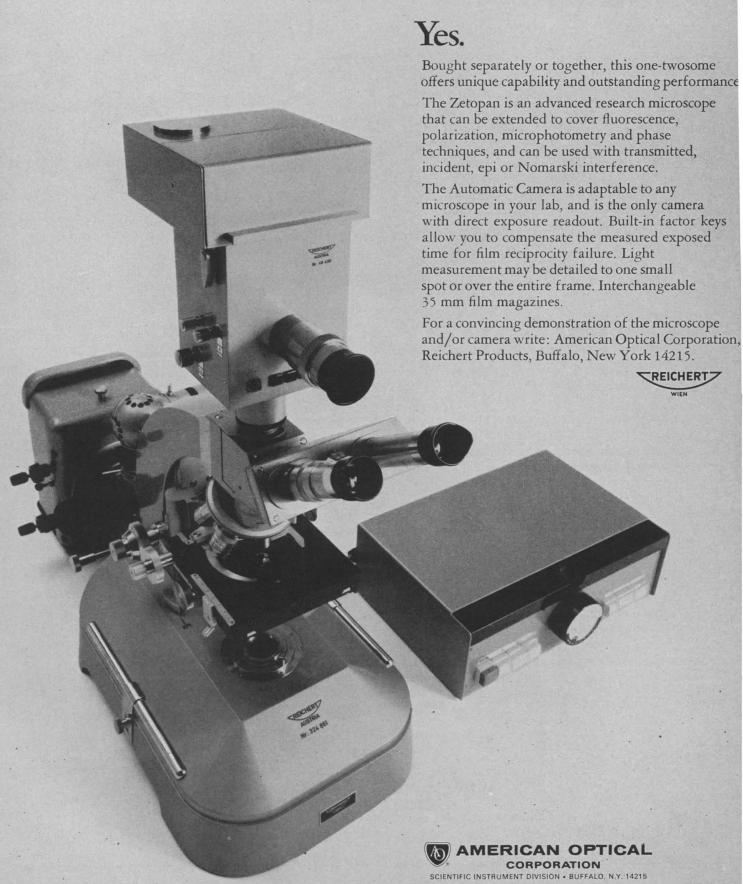
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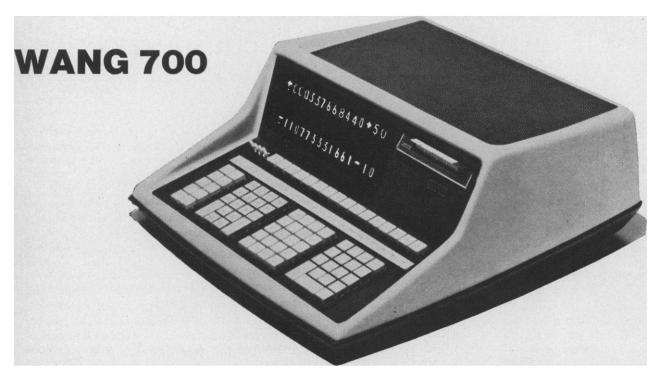
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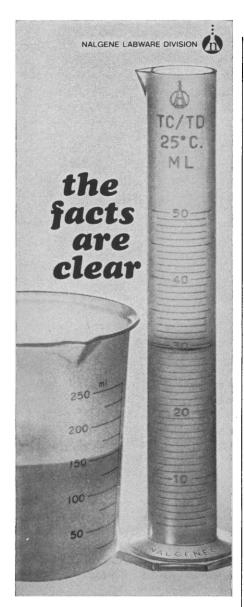


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- 2) Investigation of new composing and printing techniques to see if they can reduce publication cost or increase publication services substantially.
- 3) More emphasis on the Reviews of Geophysics which publishes review articles covering all of the areas of interest to the members of the AGU.

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Plea of the Philatelist

As an avid collector of stamps and occasional author of biological papers, which even more occasionally elicit reprint requests, I deplore the trend among senders of reprints or request cards of allowing machine stamping on their envelopes instead of regular postage stamps. Surely, whether one collects stamps or not, one of the pleasures of receiving reprints or request cards, partially offsetting the tedium of reading or processing these, is the sight of exotic and colorful stamps, enlivening an otherwise humdrum heap of mail. Must we forever lose this splash of color from our working day? The price of this minor increase in efficiency is, I believe, too high.

I wish to exhort all scientists to insist on the use of postage stamps and I don't mean a never-ending tribute to Franklin D. Roosevelt or Queen Elizabeth II. Decorative commemoratives should always be at the fingertips of any competent secretary. Add some sparkle to your mail. Who knows—it may increase the impact of your publications.

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More about Abrus Precatorius

I wish to add more information to Gunn's letter (18 Apr.) about Abrus precatorius, the pretty but poisonous seed. The plant is native to India, and its seeds, known locally as rati, have been used here from time immemorial as weights by goldsmiths since it is presumed, though without any good reason, that the weight of all rati seeds is equal. Actually, each weighs about 1.75 grains troy. The seeds are extensively used as beads for necklaces. That they are poisonous has been well known from early times. The principal poisonous constituent is abrin which was formerly used as a remedy for granular eyelids, but a dangerous one, as it frequently proved. The bruised seeds have often been used as darts for criminal purposes such as poisoning cattle and even human beings. A poultice of the seeds is said to bring about abortion. Strangely enough, the boiled seeds have been used as a famine food in Egypt and India!

In addition, the roots and leaves of A. precatorius contain glycyrrhizin, the active ingredient in licorice which accounts for its being known as Indian licorice. The leaves taste sweet, and a decoction of the leaves and roots is widely used for coughs, colds, and colic.

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DDT: Maxwell's Demon

It appears from the letter by J. L. Fischer (15 Aug., p. 645) that DDT is well on its way to becoming a sort of reversible Maxwell's demon. If a species of wildlife declines in numbers, it is being poisoned by DDT; if it increases in numbers, this is because its natural enemy is being destroyed by DDT. Apparently, the hypothetical and unidentified predator of starfish, according to Fischer, has been eliminated by DDT, but there are no indications that DDT was present, or whether, if present, it would have killed the free-swimming and fragile larvae of the starfish themselves.

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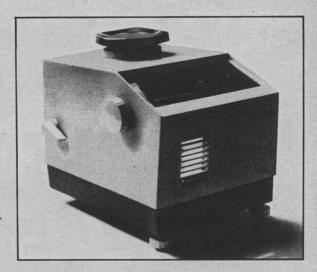
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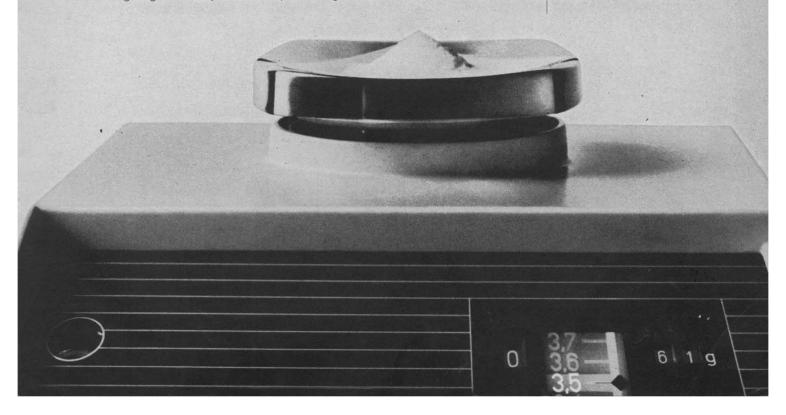
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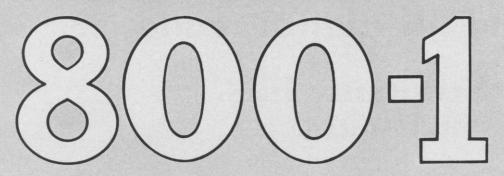
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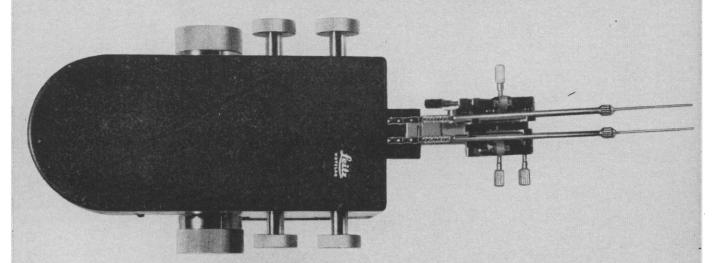
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Who Will Plan the Future?

The increasing knowledge which is making it possible to plan the future to an extent quite unthinkable by any previous generation and, even more, the increasing need for long-range solutions to society's mounting problems give promise that the widening interest in future planning will continue. The establishment, in July, of a National Goals Staff in the Executive Office of the President is one of numerous signs. With much planning so strongly indicated, it is necessary to ask: Who should be responsible? The answer has two parts. In a pluralistic democracy, responsibility for initiating plans and for analyzing alternatives should be spread over all segments of society that can make useful contributions. Selection among alternatives should then be made in the public forums of legislatures and the market.

There is little current threat to the public processes of selection and decision. But there is danger that the initiating function will become unduly concentrated, for some of the institutions that should be involved are under strong attack.

Historically, some of the strongest influences on the future have resulted—although often not through deliberate planning—from private business catering to (and influencing) consumer preferences. The automobile, the elevator, the telephone, television, computers, pesticides, and the birth control pill have all had widely ramifying effects. Industry will go on innovating, but industry is under attack because pollution, noise, ecological damage, and some other effects of technology are harmful, and some extremists are attacking industry just for being private industry.

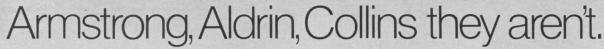
Universities have been the source of much of the knowledge that now makes planning more possible. But universities, despite the rarity of their acceptance of institutional responsibility for the ways in which new knowledge is used, are under attack for having any involvement with business and government, and, at the same time, are attacked for not being involved enough in local, social problems.

The private foundations have often been more farsighted than government or universities in identifying emerging problems and stimulating their study and analysis. But the House of Representatives has adopted legislation to prevent private foundations from sponsoring studies intended to influence public policy.

Each of these attacks has some justification. Industry has sometimes been callous and selfish. Universities have sometimes passively accepted conditions that should have been improved. There have been foundation abuses. These shortcomings should be corrected. But punitive restrictions on whole classes of institutions because of the shortcomings of some of their members will inevitably place more of the responsibility for planning in government hands.

Government agencies have to be involved; planning is part of their business, and some of the agencies have had substantial experience. The results have not been faultless, however, and in any event the processes of planning are too uncertain and the decisions too important to be entrusted to any one sector. No sector has a monopoly on wisdom, and participation by a variety of institutions is necessary to ensure that plans and decisions will be subject to continuous criticism, analysis, and possible revision. In deciding how faults of the past can be prevented in the future, it is therefore necessary to remember that the road marked by undue restrictions on the independence of private institutions is the road that leads toward control by government bureaucracy.

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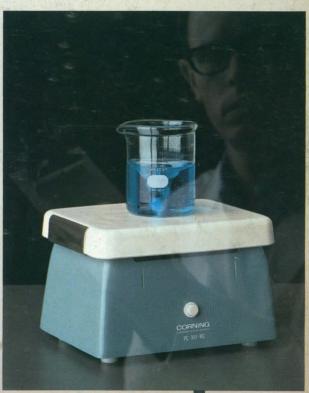






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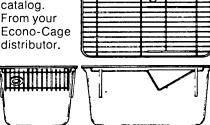
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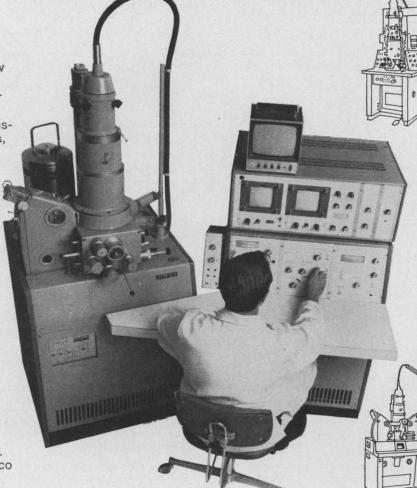
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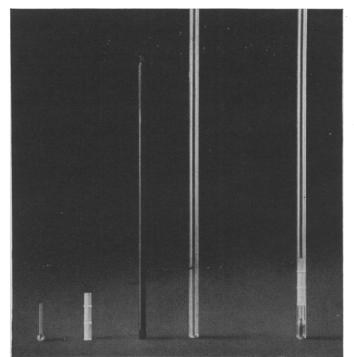
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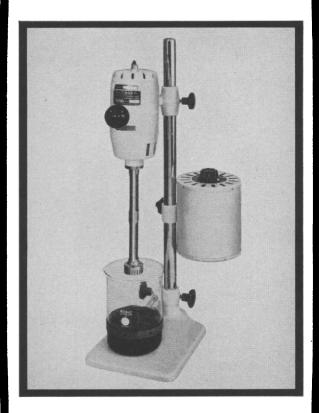


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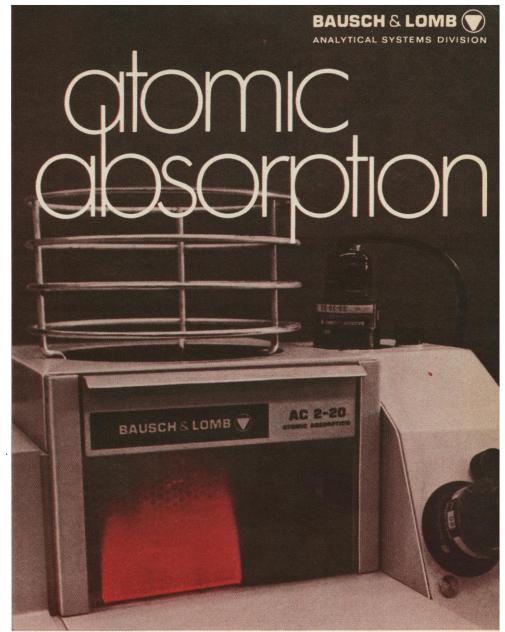
Julian H. Bigelow (Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, New Jersey) then reviewed the Longuet-Higgins model, which is an extension of holography techniques from light to sound (phonoholograms). The essential feature brought out in this discussion was that the exact geometry of the optical hologram, for instance, is not a fundamental requirement, but rather that many methods for the storage and recovery of information about both amplitude and phase (or their counterparts) might serve in analogous situations.

Willard F. Libby (University of California at Los Angeles) opened up the discussion on possible cell and molecular levels of interaction by examining the possibility of communication between molecules, for example, between the subunits of hemoglobin. The level of understanding of hemoglobin structure and the kinetics of association of the alpha and beta subunits into hemoglobin provided the opportunity for reflections on how the heme groups "communicate" with each other, such that when one heme has acquired an oxygen, the other does not have to pay the same price in free energy for acquiring an oxygen as did the first. Possibilities suggested were that electronic shift in the proteins attending the heme due to the first oxygen attachment lowered the required association energy for other hemes, or that the charged groups just outside of the heme plates relaxed symmetrically due to heme polarization induced by oxygen attachment and thus lowered the initial entry energy barrier. William R. Carroll (National Institutes of Health) pointed out that the many subunits of glutamic acid dehydrogenase disassociate when steroid hormones are present, possibly because electronic shifts cause an entropy-based reconfiguration (steric shift). This association greatly affects the activity of the enzyme. He further pointed out that there are many such examples of "communication between molecules." However, two basic questions remained unresolved-if this kind of molecular interaction should indeed be called "communication" at all, and how such interaction could be active in information storage and transfer in the nervous system.

Melvin Klein (University of California, Berkeley) provided an added dimension to a possible molecular explanation of neuronal subsystem interactions by examining the role of liquid crystals (mesophases) as possible elements in molecular communication. The

interchangeable smectic and nematic crystalline phases can order spontaneously, orienting in electric and magnetic fields into specific three-dimensional configurations. These dynamic structures then can be modulated chemically or thermally, and respond to subsequent mechanical stresses or electrical fields. It was pointed out that many biological molecules (DNA, RNA, and protein alphahelices) exhibit similar properties and that perhaps the brain might contain information in such dynamic geometrical structures which are continually being shifted and recorrelated by neuronal impulses. The question arose, however, how this information might be stored and accurately retrieved from what is known about brain tissue structure.

Francis O. Schmitt (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), in discussing the cell and molecular level of brain structure, noted that there exists much intercellular space in brain tissue filled with hyaluronic acid fibers, ions, and proteins, all packed into approximately 150-angstrom tubes. He speculated that there might be some analogy between the behavior of these molecules confined in small spaces and paracrystalline structures. These intercellular spaces are continuous in the brain, and hydration of their hyaluronic acid, with the association of water molecules, could effect ion movement by filling or ordering intercellular space. Another potential role that molecules might play in information processing in the nervous system could be facilitated by the differential movement of metabolites and gene products along the numerous microtubules and neural filaments of brain axons. The presence of different materials at synaptic junctions, controlled by electrical activity of neurons or feedback to the genome might provide a molecular rationale for specific neuronal interactions, and the establishment of dynamically interacting neural nets. The differential activity of microtubules, coupled with what is known of differential RNA synthesis, vesicle deposition at axon endings, and the principles of allosteric molecular recognition (ab-ag, enzyme-substrate interactions) all provide some circumstantial basis for the possibility of alteration of a building stone or structural unit of synaptic membranes which could serve adequately as a "recognition factor" between neurons of the same set. For example, the successful regeneration of the fibers from the optic tectum and their proper reconnection to the optic



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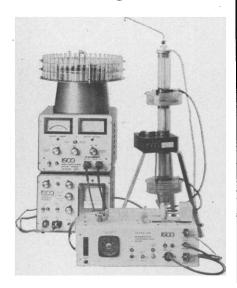
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Josiah Macy, Jr. (University of Alabama), in describing the components of a large hierarchical computing complex which serves a number of research laboratories, emphasized the problem of constructing indexing techniques to find stored information in computer memory. He drew an analogy to human information processing in the central nervous system and noted that present-day computer systems are not adequate to handle the massive amounts of data that the human brain is capable of storing and retrieving.

John H. Milsum (McGill University) characterized the ocularmotor control system as an open-loop system that has been optimized by evolution. When an organism's response to some aspect of its environment requires a consistent set of neural controls for survival, then the original open-loop neural pathway becomes a closed-loop, autonomous operation. He cited what appears to be the accretion of longer, more complex control pathways in the nervous system through evolution, followed by a "streamlining" of these control modes by bypassing certain unused portions of the pathways. He then noted the interesting possibility that certain mental pathologies might be interpreted as a reopening of these discarded pathways which should be bypassed for normal, adaptive behavior.

Julian H. Bigelow (Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, New Jersey) drew together much of what had been discussed by sketching the beginnings of a model of neuronal behavior analogous to the functional properties of holography. In his model the precise geometric constraints necessary for recovery of information with holographic optics were replaced by the concept of distributed storage of information in the nervous system, recoverable en masse by sampling with "strobing" scans using precise timing. This model provides a mechanism for erasure of information by inverse cancellation and incorporates the requirement for a conformal mapping of neuronal activity in the brain over convoluted rather than planar areas.

The conference, chaired by Otto H. Schmitt (University of Minnesota), was organized under the auspices of the Interdisciplinary Communications Program, formerly of the New York Academy of Sciences and now of the Smithsonian Institution (M. C. Shelesnyak, director; Frank Fremont-Smith,



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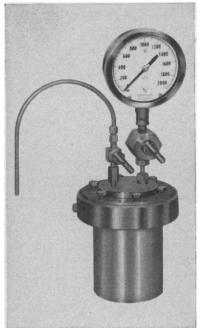
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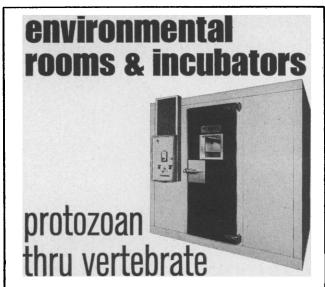
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16-17. Association of Earth Science Editors, 3rd annual conf., Houston, Tex. (W. D. Rose, Kentucky Geological Survey, Univ. of Kentucky, Lexington 40506)

16-17. National Conf. on Fluid Power, Chicago, Ill. (W. R. Smith, NCFP, 3300 S. Federal St., Chicago 60616)

16-17. Rapid Excavation, 2nd symp., Sacramento, Calif. (H. L. Hartman, Dean of Engineering, Sacramento State College, Sacramento 95819)

17-19. Society for Social Responsibility in Science, New Haven, Conn. (H. Bloom, SSRS. 221 Rock Hill Rd., Bala-Cynwyd, Pa. 19004)

18-23. American Acad. of **Pediatrics**, Chicago, Ill. (G. E. Hughes, Secretary for Education Affairs, 1801 Hinman Ave., Evanston, Ill. 60204)

19-22. American Mining Congr., San Francisco, Calif. (R. W. Van Evera, Ring Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20036)

19-25. American College of Gastroenterology, 34th annual, Houston, Tex. (D. Weiss, Executive Director, ACG, 33 W. 60 St., New York 10023)

20-21. Polymer-Modified Hydraulic Cements Symp., Philadelphia, Pa. (H. B. Wagner, Dept. of Chemistry, Drexel Inst. of Technology, Philadelphia 19104)

20-22. George H. Hudson Symp., 5th annual, Plattsburgh, N.Y. (G. F. Kokoszka, Dept. of Chemistry, State Univ. College, Plattsburgh 12901)

20-22. American Assoc. of Stratigraphic Palynologists, University Park, Pa. (A. Traverse, Dept. of Geology and Geophysics, Pennsylvania State Univ., University Park 16802)

21-24. Optical Soc. of America, 54th annual, Chicago, Ill. (M. E. Warga, The Society, 2100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20037)

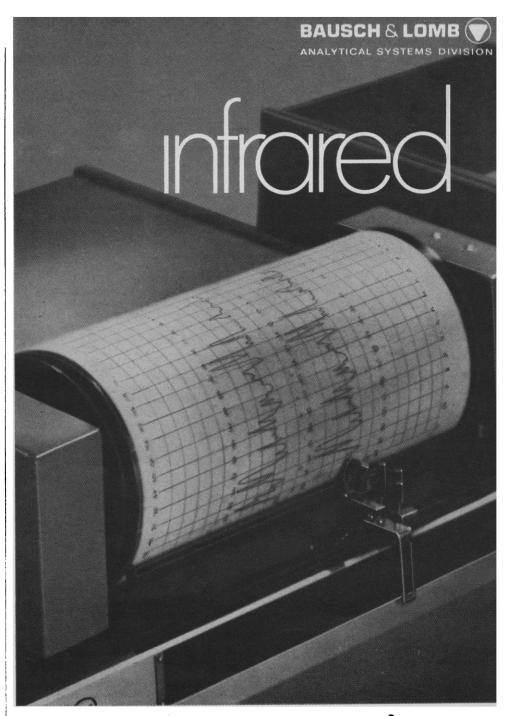
21-25. Association of Engineering Geologists, 12th annual, San Francisco, Calif. (P. Vardy, AEG, P.O. Box 985, San Francisco 94101)

23-25. American Astronautical Soc., Las Cruces, N.M. (J. Penwarden, New Mexico State Univ., Las Cruces)

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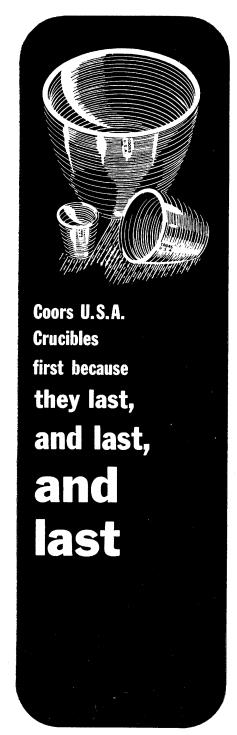
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30-3. Association of American Medical Colleges, Cincinnati, Ohio. (D. E. Mattson, Div. of Educational Measurement and Research, AAMC, 2530 Ridge Ave., Evanston, Ill. 60201)

31-2. American Soc. of Criminology, Columbus, Ohio. (R. M. Susman, ASC, 800 Fourth St., SW, S-610, Washington, D.C. 20024)

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3-5. Engineering Science in Biomedicine, 7th annual, St. Louis, Mo. (E. Y. Rodin, Dept. of Applied Mathematics and Computer Science, Box 1176, Washington Univ., St. Louis 63130)

3-6. National Bureau of Standards, 3rd Materials Research Symp., Gaithersburg, Md. (R. R. Stromberg, A-307, Polymers

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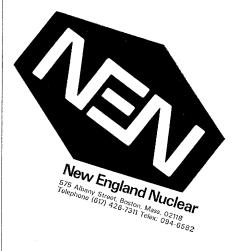
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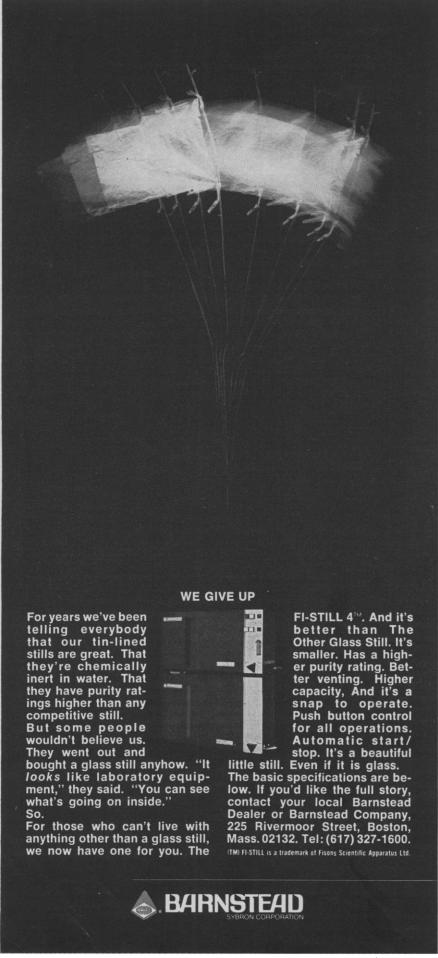
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10-14. American College of Preventive Medicine, Philadelphia, Pa. (E. A. Piszczek, 6410 N. Leona Ave., Chicago, Ill.

10-14. American Public Health Assoc., 97th annual, Philadelphia, Pa. (B. F. Mattison, APHA, 1740 Broadway, New York 10019)

10-14. Technical Conf. on Tin, 2nd, Bangkok, Thailand. (W. Fox, Intern. Tin Council, Haymarket House, 28 Haymarket, London, S.W.1., England)
11-13. Neurosurgical Soc., 28th annual,

Kyoto, Japan. (H. Handa, Dept. of Neurosurgery, Kyoto Univ., Kyoto)
11-14. Neutrons in Radiobiology Symp.,

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16-19. Association of Military Surgeons of the U.S., Washington, D.C. (Brig. Gen. F. E. Wilson, USAR, Executive Director, 1500 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20005)

16-20. American Assoc. of **Blood Banks**, Houston, Tex. (L. J. James, AABB, 30 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60602)

16-20. Gulf and Caribbean Fisheries Inst., 22nd annual, Miami Beach, Fla. (Executive Secretary, Gulf and Caribbean Fisheries Inst., 10 Rickenbacker Causeway, Miami 33149)

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18-21. Magnetism and Magnetic Materials, 15th conf., Philadelphia, Pa. (J. Blades, Franklin Inst., Research Labs.,

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19-21. Eastern Analytical Symp., New York, N.Y. (R. J. Knauer, Advanced Materials Div., Armco Steel Corp., P.O. Box 1697, Baltimore, Md. 21203)

20-21. Association for the Study of Animal Behaviour, London, England. (J. Cullen, Psychology Dept., The University,

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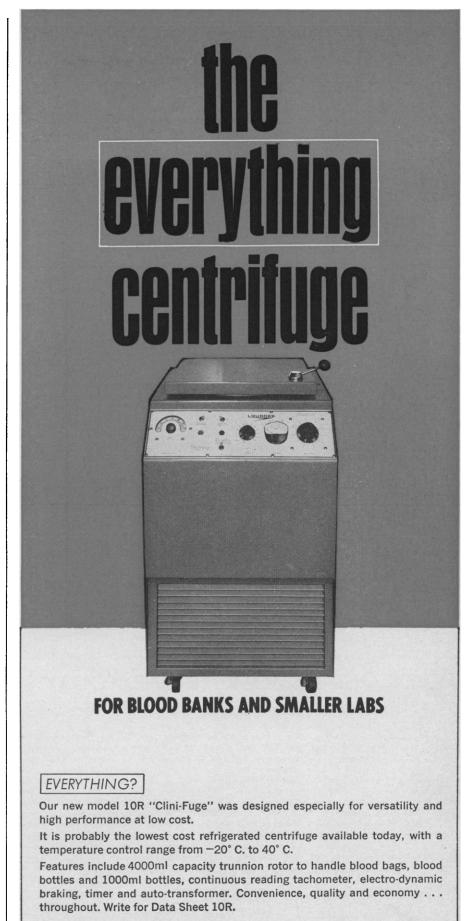
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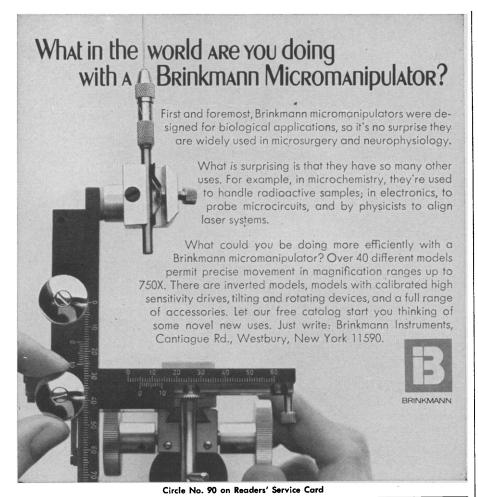
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- 3-5. International Wire and Cable Symp., Atlantic City, N.J. (J. Spergel, U.S. Army Electronics Command, Amsel-K1-EE, Fort Monmouth, N.J. 07703)
- 3-6. American Assoc. of **Physicists in Medicine**, Chicago, Ill. (J. G. Kereiakes, Radioisotope Lab., Cincinnati General Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio 45229)
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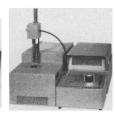


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8-10. Applications of Simulation, 3rd conf., Los Angeles, Calif. (P. J. Kiviat, RAND Corp., 1700 Main St., Santa Monica, Calif. 90406)

8-10. Circuit Theory, intern. symp., San Francisco, Calif. (B. J. Leon, School of Electrical Engineering, Cornell Univ., Ithaca, N.Y. 14850)

8-10. National Electronics Conf. and Exhibition, 25th, Chicago, Ill. (R. J. Napolitan, NEC, Oakbrook Executive Plaza #2, 1211 W. 22 St., Oak Brook, Ill. 60521)

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8-11. Oak Ridge Associated Universities Symp. in **Medicine**, 12th, Oak Ridge, Tenn. (R. M. Kniseley, Medical Div., Oak Ridge Associated Universities, Oak Ridge 37830)

11-12. Conference on Holography and the Computer, Houston, Tex. (J. A. Jordan, Jr., IBM, Houston Scientific Center, 6900 Fannin St., Houston 77025)

12-14. American Psychoanalytic Assoc., New York, N.Y. (H. Fischer, 1 E. 57 St., New York 10022)

14-18. American Assoc. of Hospital Pharmacists, Washington, D.C. (J. A. Oddis, AAHP, 4630 Montgomery Ave., Bethesda, Md. 20014)

15-18. American Geophysical Union, San Francisco, Calif. (W. E. Smith, AGU, 2100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20037)

17-19. Symposium on Infections and Immunosuppression in Sub-Human Primates, Rijswijk, Netherlands. (H. Balner, Radiobiological Institute TNO, Lange Kleiweg 151, Rijswijk Z.H., Netherlands)

18-20. International Symp. on Computer and Information Science (COINS-69), Miami Beach, Fla. (J. T. Lou, Univ. of Florida, Gainesville 32601)

26-30. Sigma Delta Epsilon, Boston, Mass. (M. Myers, 6234 Mary Lane Dr., San Diego, Calif. 92115)

26-31. American Assoc. for the Advancement of Science, 136th mtg., Boston, Mass. (Meetings Manager, 1515 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20005)

26-31. Animal Behavior Soc., Boston, Mass. (B. Dane, Tufts Univ., Medford, Mass.)

26-31. American Soc. of Naturalists, Boston, Mass. (B. H. Judd, Dept. of Zoology, Univ. of Texas, Austin 78712)

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Diseases in Free-living Wild Animals. Proceedings of a symposium, London, 1968. A. McDiarmid, Ed. Published for the Zoological Society of London by Academic Press, New York, 1969. xxiv + 336 pp., illus. \$14.50. Symposia of the Zoological Society of London, No. 24.

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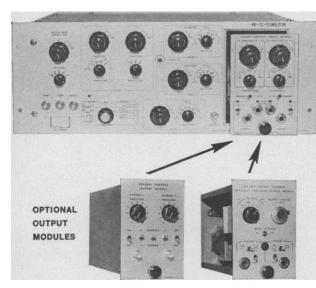
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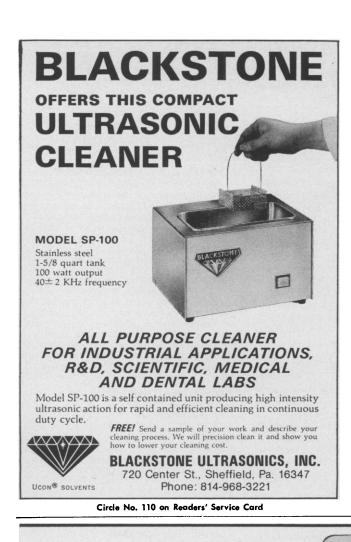
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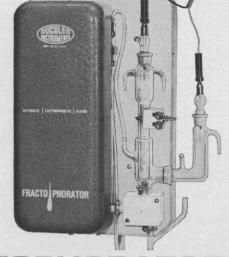
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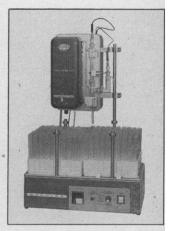


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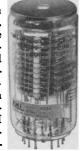
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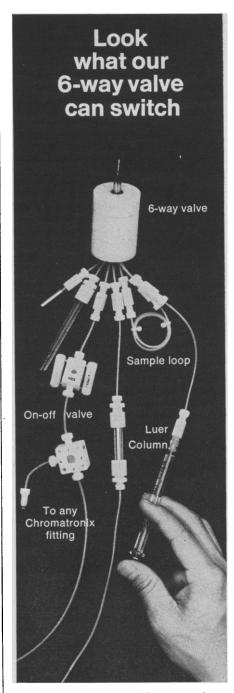
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