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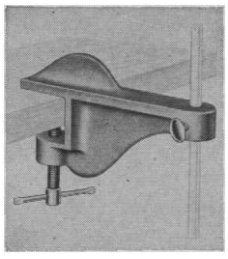

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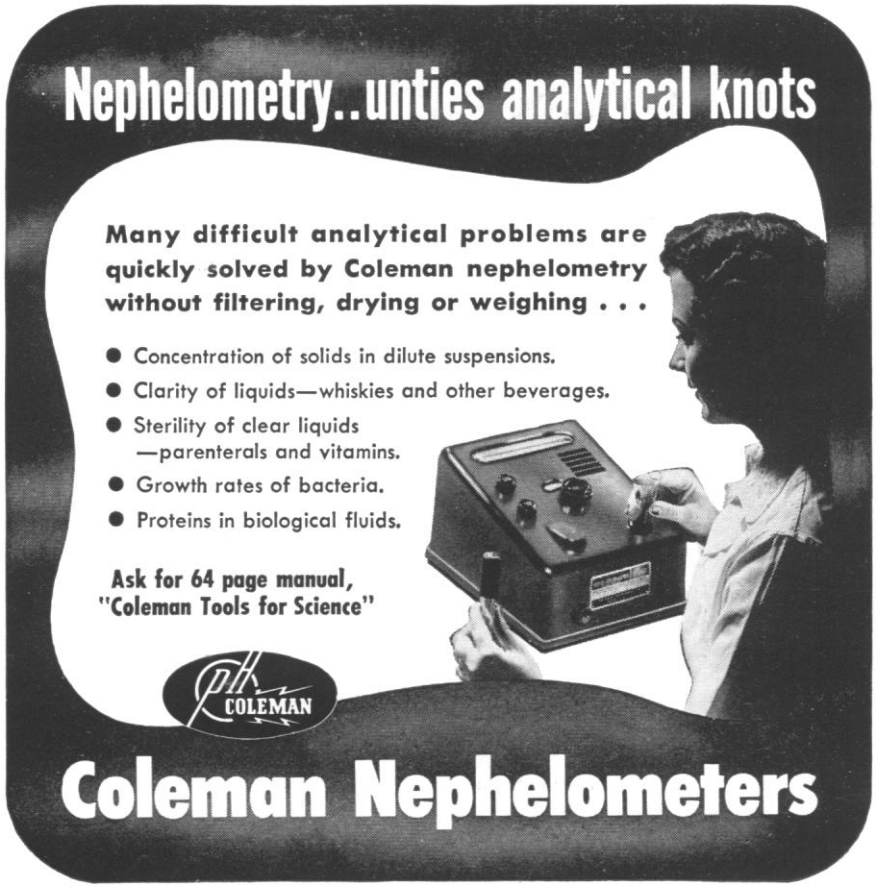

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3–8. Microbiological Inst., 10th annual, Lafayette, Ind. (C. L. Porter, Dept. of Biological Sciences, Purdue Univ., Lafayette.)

3–12. Quantitative Biology, 22nd Cold Spring Harbor Symp., Cold Spring Harbor, N.Y. (B. Wallace, Biological Laboratory, Cold Spring Harbor.)

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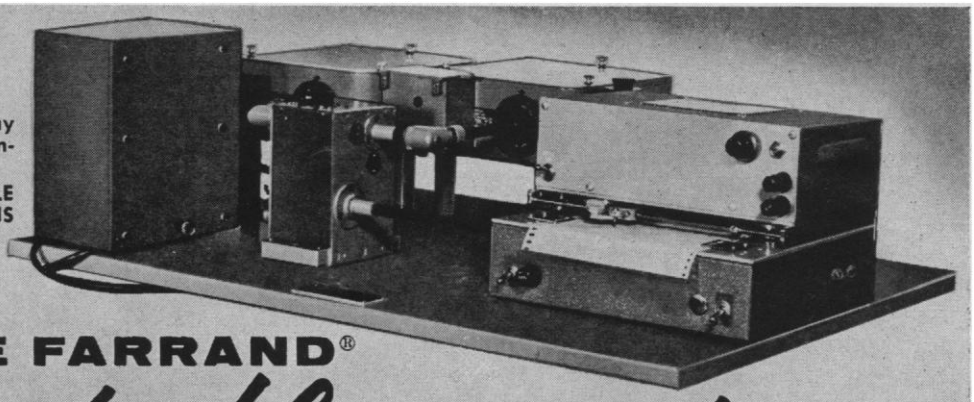

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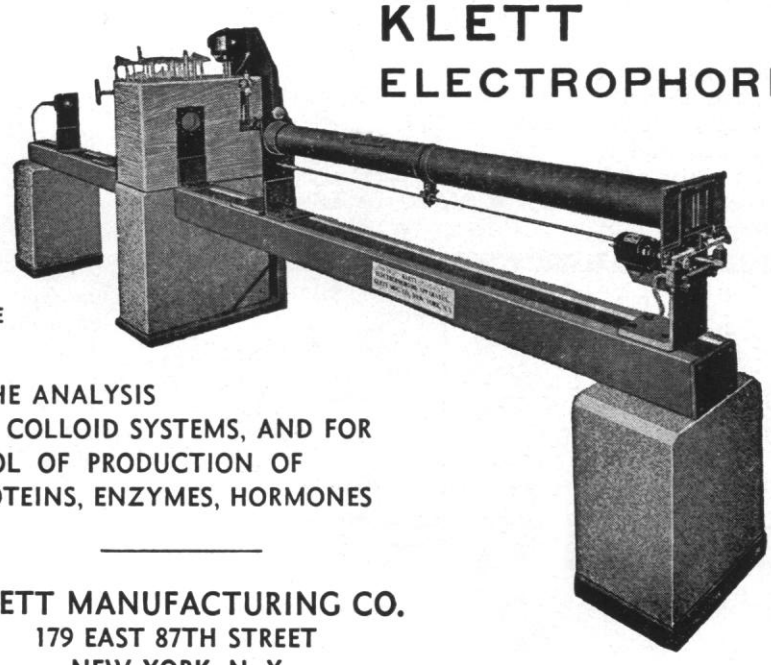

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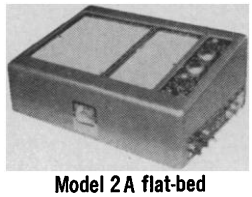
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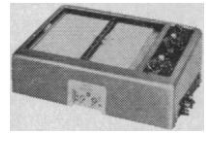
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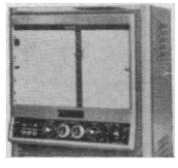
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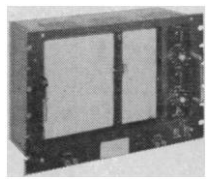
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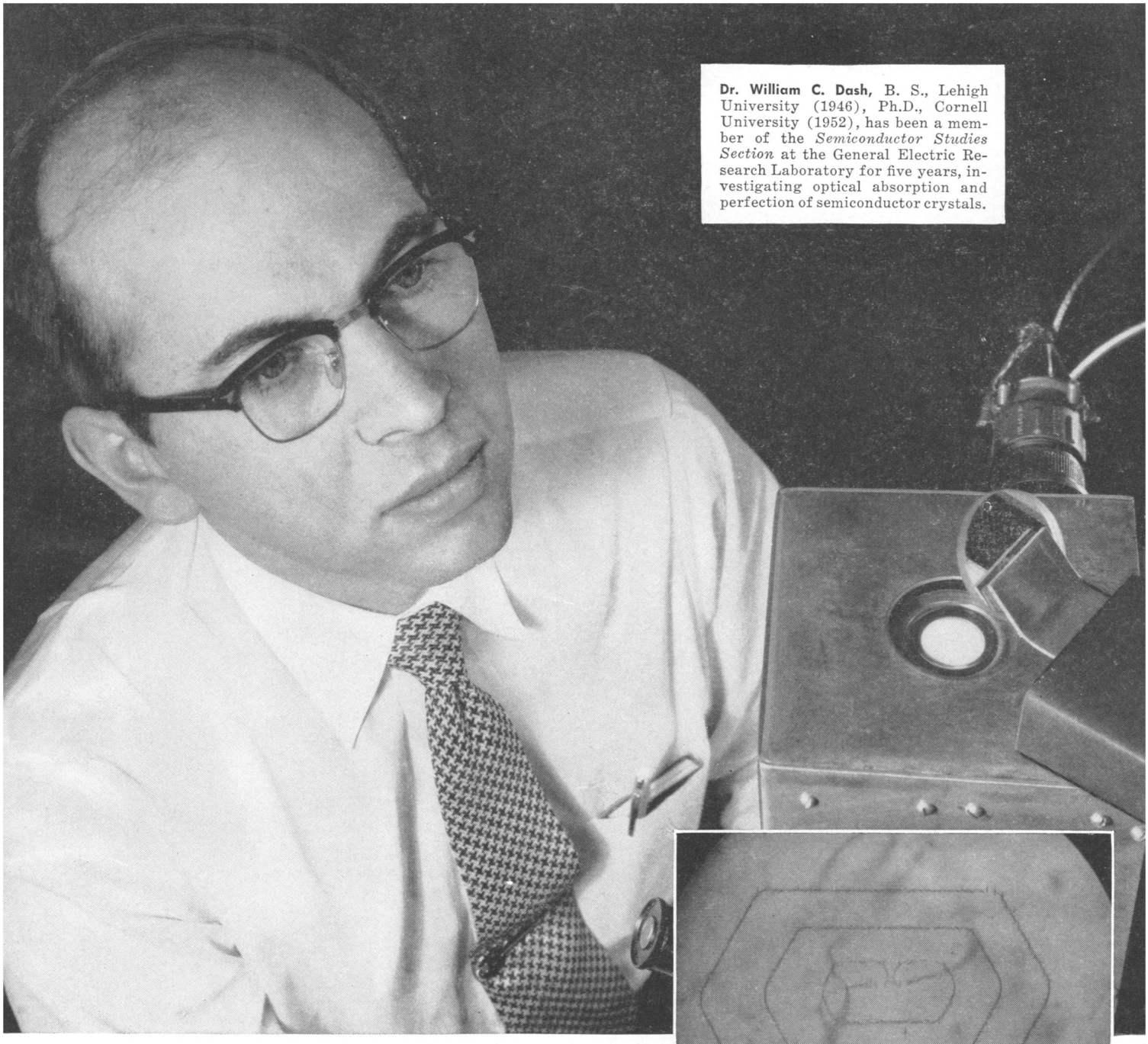

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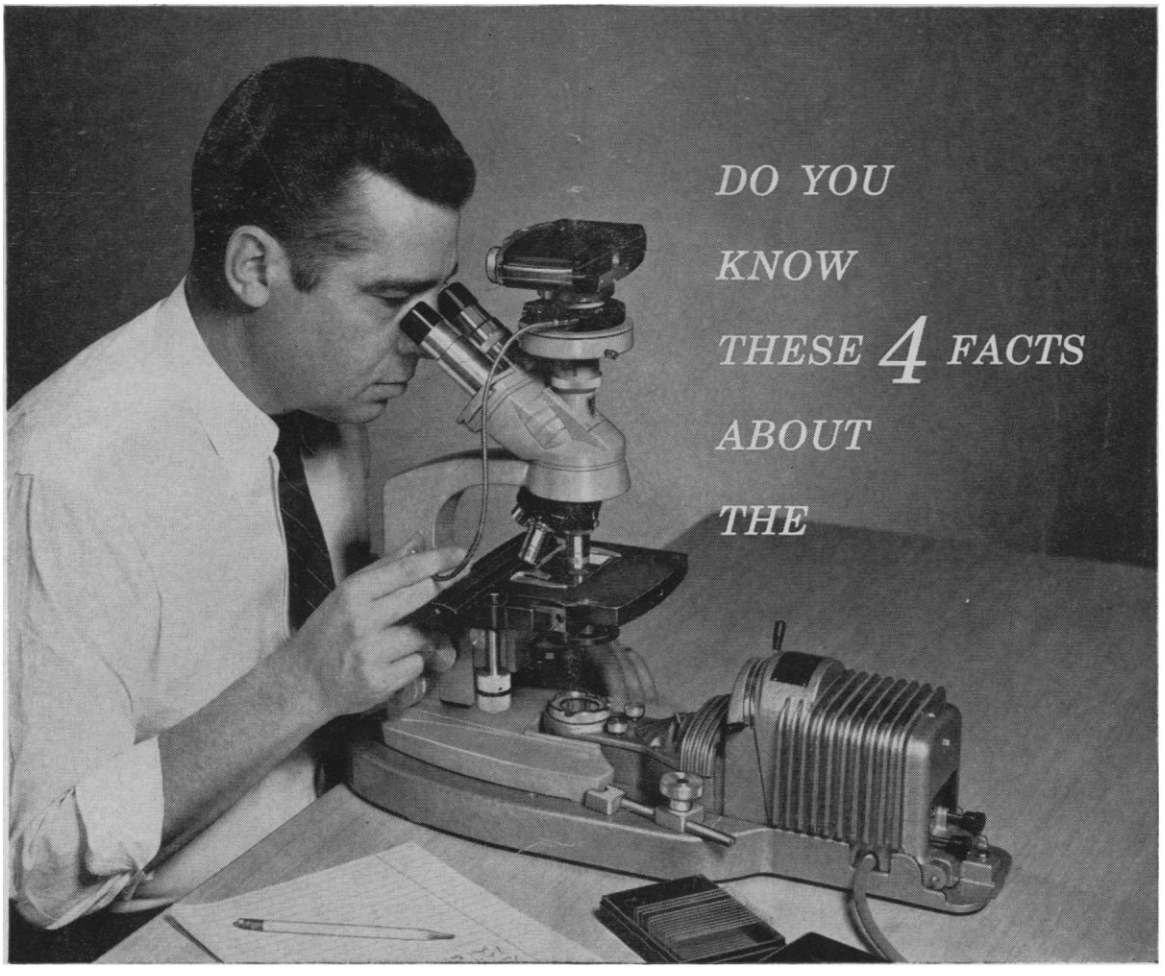

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