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PROGRAMME

MONDAY MORNING

Chairman: C. Sandorfy, Université de Montréal.

- 9:45 Welcoming address by Dr. Max Wyman, Vice-President of the University of Alberta, Edmonton.
- 10:00 A. J. Coleman, Queen's University, Kingston:
"The Density Matrix Approach to the N-Particle Problem".
- 11:00 Coffee
- 11:15 T. Arai, Argonne National Laboratory:
"Cluster Expansion in the Heitler-London Approach to Large Systems".

MONDAY AFTERNOON

Chairman: A. J. Coleman, Queen's University, Kingston.

- 2:00 A. A. Frost, Northwestern University:
"Series Solutions".
- 3:00 Coffee
- 3:15 C. W. Scherr, University of Texas:
"Higher-Order, Perturbation Theory for Excited States"
- 4:15 Coffee
- 4:30 H. W. Taylor, University of Southern California:
"A Proposed Theory of Calculating the Energy of Negative Ion Resonant Elastic Scattering States, and of the Pre-Ionization States of Electronic Spectroscopy".
- 8:30 Mixer: Faculty Club, University Campus.

TUESDAY MORNING

Chairman: W. T. Simpson, University of Oregon.

- 9:00 ~~A. Dalgarno~~^{Taylor}, Queen's University, Belfast:
"Electron Correlation in Atoms".
- 10:00 H. P. Kelly, University of California, San Diego:
"Brueckner-Goldstone Perturbation Theory Applied to Atoms".
- 11:00 Coffee
- 11:15 D. W. Smith, University of Florida:
"Density Matrix Analysis of Wave Functions".

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Chairman: K. L. McEwen, University of Saskatchewan.

2:00 Contributed Papers:

J. Sokoloff and R. J. Dickson, Research Laboratory, Lockheed Missiles and Space Co., Palo Alto:
"Are the Perturbation Expansions for the Ground State of Neutral Helium the Same for a Hartree Basis Set and a Hartree-Fock Basis Set?"

J. C. Y. Chen, Brookhaven National Laboratory:
"Virtual State Eigenvalue Problems. I. Physical and Mathematical Description".

M. L. Sage and M. D. Girardeau, University of Oregon:
"The Use of Overcomplete Functions in Molecular Calculations".

~~D. W. Howgate~~^{R. Butler}, Solid State Physics Branch, U. S. Missile Command, Redstone Arsenal:
"Green's Function Calculation of Line Shapes of an Interacting Electron-Phonon System".

M. Synek, DePaul University:
"Calculations of Atomic Excited States". (Read)

TUESDAY EVENING

Chairman: R. Bader, McMaster University.

7:15 Contributed Papers:

W. H. Adams, Pennsylvania State University:
"Orbital Theories of Electronic Structure".

I. Shavitt, Israel Institute of Technology:
"Studies in Orbital Optimization".

B. Musulin, M. Povich and C. M. Wang, Southern Illinois University:
"Molecular Screening Parameters".

8:15 Coffee

8:30 Contributed Papers:

S. Rothenberg and E. R. Davidson, University of Washington:
"Hydrogen Molecule Excited States: $1\pi_u$ ".

J. R. Riter, University of Denver:
"The Use of H_2^+ -like Eigenfunctions as Two-Centre Basis Sets
for SCF Calculations".

D. S. Villars, U. S. Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake:
"Quantum Mechanics of HO_2 ".

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Chairman: ~~A. Dalgarno~~ ^{Kraus}, Queen's University, Belfast.

9:00 W. T. Simpson University of Oregon:
"Hybridization in Hydrogen Fluoride". (co-author, E. W. Anacker)

10:00 K. Ruedenberg, Iowa State University:
"Localized SCF Molecular Orbitals in Small Molecules".

11:00 Coffee

11:15 A. Weiss, National Bureau of Standards:
"Configuration Interaction in Atoms".

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Chairman: A. A. Frost, Northwestern University.

2:00 R. G. Parr, Johns Hopkins University:
"The Integral Hellmann-Feynman Theorem and its Applications
in Chemistry".

3:00 Coffee

3:15 C. Moser, Centre de Mécanique Ondulatoire Appliquée:
"Rydberg Levels in Diatomic Molecules".

4:15 Coffee

4:30 D. D. Konowalow, University of Wisconsin:
"Quantum Chemistry at Wisconsin"

7:15 Dinner: Faculty Club, University Campus.

THURSDAY MORNING

Chairman: R. G. Parr, Johns Hopkins University.

- 9:00 C. Sandorfy, Université de Montréal:
"Empirical and Semi-Empirical Calculations on Saturated Hydrocarbons".
- 10:00 E. Ruch, Technische Hochschule, München:
"On π -Electron Systems".
- 11:00 Coffee
- 11:15 I. Csizmadia, University of Toronto:
"Gaussian-Type Functions in ab initio Molecular Orbital Calculations".

THURSDAY EVENING

Chairman: I. Csizmadia, University of Toronto.

7:15 Contributed Papers:

- G. Berthier, Laboratoire de Chimie Quantique de la Faculté de Sciences de Paris:
" σ and π Radicals in the Series of Nitroxides".
- D. Leupold, Deutsche Akademie der Wissenschaften zu Berlin:
"On MO Treatment of the Branching π -Electron Systems". (read)
- D. D. Ebbing and L. Poplawski, Wayne State University:
"Some Molecular Calculations on π -Electron Systems Using Geminal Wave Functions".
- W. J. Taylor, Ohio State University:
"Hartree-like Approximation to the Fermi Hole in SCF Molecular Orbital Theory: Relation to the Slater and Pariser-Parr-Pople Methods".

8:15 Coffee

- 8:30 J. F. Harrison, Princeton University:
"Electronic Structure Theory of Polyatomic Molecules: A Gaussian Lobe-Function Approach".
- H. F. King, State University of New York, Buffalo:
"A First Order Wave Function for Neon Using Correlated Gaussian Functions".
- F. Grein, University of New Brunswick:
"Chemical Shifts and Spin Coupling Constants Calculated from One-Centre Wave Functions".

FRIDAY MORNING

Chairman: K. Ruedenberg, Iowa State University.

- 9:00 P. Bagus, Argonne National Laboratory:
"SCF Excited States".
- 10:00 A. D. McLean, IBM Research Laboratory, San Jose:
"Accurate Wave Functions for Small Molecules: A Clerical Problem".
- 11:00 Coffee
- 11:15 A. C. Wahl, Argonne National Laboratory:
"Hartree-Fock is Here. What next?".