# H. TRACY HALL BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH 20 April 1980

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Born: Ogden, Utah, 20 October 1919; parents: Howard & Florence Tracy Hall.

<u>Married</u>: To Ida-Rose Langford, 24 September 1941 in Salt Lake City, Utah.

<u>Children</u>: Sherlene (Bartholomew), Howard Tracy, Jr., David Richard, Elizabeth (Neil), Virginia (Wood), Charlotte (Weight), Nancy (Mecham).

Education: A.S. Weber College, Ogden, Utah, 1939; B.S., M.S., Ph.D., University of Utah, 1942, 1943, 1948 respectively with major in physical chemistry and minor in physics. Special wartime training in electronics at Bowden College, M.I.T., Harvard, and Honolulu Naval Base for a total of 11 months while an ensign in the U.S. Navy, World War II.

## Employment:

- 1955-1980, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah: Distinguished Professor of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Emeritus 1980--; Distinguished Professor of Chemistry 1967-1980; Distinguished Professor of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering 197 -1980; Director of Research and Creative Endeavor for the entire University and Professor of Chemistry 1955-1967.
- 1948-1955, General Electric Research Laboratory, Schenectady, New York, Research Associate.
- 1942-1944 & 1946, United States Bureau of Mines Research Laboratory, Salt Lake City, Utah, chemist.
- 1940-1942, Sperry Flour Mills, Ogden, Utah, Chemical Analyst (part time)
- 1939-1940, Checketts Photo, Ogden, Utah, Photographer.

## Military Service:

1944-1946, United States Navy, the first six weeks a Seaman First Class and the balance of the two years as Ensign.

## Consulting:

1957-- for various governmental, industrial, and educational organizations (over 50 in number).

## Business:

1966-- co-founder of Megadiamond Industries (current name) with Bill J. Pope and M. Duane Horton. President and Board Chairman 1966-1972; Vice President and Board Chairman 1972-1975; Vice President for Advanced Research 1980--.

1957-- H. Tracy Hall, Inc., President

Other Responsibilities: Director of the Brigham Young University High Pressure Laboratory, 1955-1980. Director of the National High Pressure Data Center run by Brigham Young University for the U.S. National Bureau of Standards, 1965-1980.

## Professional Society Membership:

American Chemical Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Physical Society, Sigma Xi, Phi Kappa Phi, Utah Academy of Science Arts and Letters, Timpanogos Club of Utah

## Major Scientific Achievments:

1. The invention of the "Belt" high pressure/high temperature apparatus, U.S. patent No. 2,941,242 issued 21 June 1960. Conception and reduction to practice occured in 1953 but issuance of the patent was delayed by a U.S. Government secrecy order based on the invention's importance.

This device can simultaneously maintain a pressure of one million pounds per square inch and a temperature of 2000 degrees centigrade. It is used throughout the world in the commercial manufacture of industrial diamond. An estimated one billion carats (about 200 tons) of diamond has been made since the Belt was invented. The Belt has been the subject of world-wide litigation, the most notable case being General Electric vs. the South African Chamber of Mines. This invention is the most highly cited invention in the field of high pressure and was so recognized in "This Week's Citation Classic", Current Contents, ISI Press 41, 14, 1980.

- 2. The first synthesis of diamonds, a feat that had eluded scientists for at least 150 years. The Belt made this possible. U.S.patents Nos. 2,947,608 & 2,947,610, 20 August 1960.
- 3. The invention of the tetrahedral press, U.S. patent No. 2,918,699, 29 December 1959. This invention circumvented the proprietary interest of the General Electric Company which prevented H. Tracy Hall from using the Belt for scientific research after leaving that company in 1955. It has the same pressure-temperature capabilities as the Belt. Note that the patent on this was granted before that on the Belt. This device also became subject to a U.S. Government secrecy order.
- 4. Sintered diamond, a synthetic carbonado first introduced to the world by Megadiamond Industries 24 September 1970. This type of material is rapidly revolutionizing the industrial diamond industry. U.S.patents 3,816,085; 3,829,544; 3,913,280, see Science, 169,868-69 (1970).

- 5. The determination of the first melting curve under high pressure, high temperature conditions. The material studied was germanium. See J. Phys. Chem. 59, 1144-1146 (1955)
- 6. The first high pressure, high temperature X-ray diffraction apparatus (with J. Dean Barnett) U.S. patent No. 3,249,7533. Also, see Rev. Sci. Instrum. 35, 175-182 (1964).
- 7. Discovery of the first pressure induced phase change from a close-packed to a non-close-packed structure (FCC to BCC in Ytterbium at 40kbar) with J. Dean Barnett and Leo Merrill. Such a change was thought to be impossible before this discovery. The article disclosing this transformation appeared in Science 139, 111-112 (1963) and was featured on the front cover of that issue.
- 8. The determination of the nature of the "resistance cusp" in cesium. This intriguing problem had remained unsolved since the discovery of the cusp by P. W. Bridgman in 1951 (with Leo Merrill and J. Dean Barnett) See Scienc, 146, 1297-1299 (1964)
- 9. The synthesis of over 100 rare earth compounds and polymorphs, impossible to synthesize by conventional means. They were prepared by the application of high pressure, high temperature techniques and are described in a series of 20 papers beginning with an article by Norman L. Eatough and H. Tracy Hall entitled "High Pressure Synthesis of Rare Earth Diantimonides", Inorg. Chem. 8, 1439 (1969)

## Honors and Distinctions:

- 1980 Admitted to practice patent law before the U.S. Patent and Trademark office as an agent, registration number 29,800, June 23.
- 1980 "Man of the Year Award," Abrasive Engineering Society, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- 1978 "Karl G. Maser Research Award," Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah August 31
- 1977 "International Prize for New Materials," The American Physical Society, San Diego, California, March 22
- 1975 "Distinguished Alumni Award," Weber State University, Ogden, Utah, October 16
- 1974 "IR-100 Award," Industrial Research Magazine for Indexible Sintered Diamond Tools, Chicago, October 8
- 1973 "Engineering Materials Achievement Award," The American Society for Metals, Chicago
- 1973 American Chemical Scoeity Tour Speaker (Texas, Louisiana)
- 1973 The American Society for Metals "Engineering Materials Achievement Award," Chicago, October 2, Conrad Hilton Grand Ballroom
- / 1972 American Chemical Society Tour Speaker (Oregon, Washington)
  - 1972 Fellow, The American Institute of Chemists
- The Intermountain Society of Inventors and Designers "Certificate for Distinguished Service and Leadership in the Field of Invention and Designing," Salt Lake City, Utah, May 20
- 1972 Fellow, The Utah Academy of Science, Arts, and Letters
- 1972 The American Chemical Society "Award for Creative Invention," Boston, Massachusetts, April 10
  - 1971 Honorary Doctor of Science Degree, Brigham Young University, Commencement Exercises, Provo, Utah, May 28
- 1971 "Outstanding Manhood Award," presented by Associated Men Students, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah April 13
- 1970-1973 Member of National Academy of Science--National Research Council Evaluation Panel for the National Bureau of Standards Heat Division
- / 1970 Cortez Honors Lecture, Weber State University, December 10, Ogden, Utah
- 1970 American Institute of Chemist's "Chemical Pioneer Award," Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, May 16
  - 1968- Member of Joint Army-Navy-Air Force Thermochemical Tables Advisory Group
  - 1967- Distinguished Professor of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, Brigham Young University

- 1967 Robert A. Welch Foundation, "Lecturer in Chemistry," Texas Universities
- 1966-1969 Member of Editorial Board, "The Review of Scientific Instruments"
- 1965 The American Chemical Society, Salt Lake Section's "Utah Award," University of Utah, Salt Lake City, December 9
- 1965 The National Association of Manufacturer's "Modern Pioneers in Creative Industry Award," The Waldorf Astoria, New York City, December 2
- 1965 The Brigham Young University's "James E. Talmage Scientific Achievement Award," Baccaluareate Exercises, Provo, Utah, May 27
- - 1964 First "Annual Faculty Lecture," Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, April 8
  - 1962 The American Society of Tool and Manufacturing Engineers "Research Medal,"
    New York City
  - 1961-1964 Member of Editorial Board, "Inorganic Chemistry"
  - 1960-1961 President, Utah Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters
  - 1960 Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science
  - 1959-1963 Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Research Fellow
  - 1959 Chairman, Salt Lake Section, American Chemical Society
  - 1954 First to synthesize diamond, December 16, G.E. Research Lab, Schenectady, New York

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- Graham W. Marks and H. Tracy Hall, "A Method for the Spectrochemical Determination of Germanium, Tin and Lead in Ore Samples," U. S. Bureau of Mines Report of Investigations No. R.I. 3965, Nov. 1946, 38 pp.
- 2. H. Tracy Hall and Henry Eyring, "The Constitution of Chromic Salts in Aqueous Solution," J. Am. Chem. Soc., 72, 782-790 (1950).
- 3. Graham W. Marks and H. Tracy Hall, "Transmission Characteristics in the Visible Spectral Region of the Quinalizarin and Beryllium - Quinalizarin Complex in N/4 Sodium Hydroxide Solution," U. S. Bureau of Mines Report of Investigations No. 4741, Oct. 1950, 5 pp.
- 4. H. Tracy Hall and Raymond M. Fuoss, "Empirical Analysis of Viscosity Data," J. Am. Chem. Soc., 73, 265-269 (1951).
- 5. H. Tracy Hall, "Molecular Weight of Polytrifluorochloroethylene by Light Scattering," J. Polymer. Sci., 7, 443-447 (1951).
- H. Tracy Hall, Edward L. Brady and Paul D. Zemany, "Viscosity of Polytrifluorochloroethylene in O-Chlorobenzotrifluoride," J. Am. Chem. Soc., 73, 5460 (1951).
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- 9. F. P. Bundy, H. T. Hall, H. M. Strong and R. H. Wentorf, "Man-Made Diamonds," Nature, 176, 51-54 (1955).
- 10. H. Tracy Hall, "The Melting Point of Germanium as a Function of Pressure to 180,000 Atmospheres," J. Phys. Chem., 59, 1144-1146 (1955).
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- 12. H. Tracy Hall, "Chemistry at High Temperature and High Pressure," High Temperature--A Tool for the Future, Stanford Research Institute, Menlo Park, California, 161-166 (1956).
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   J. Wash. Acad. Sci., 47, 300-304 (1957).
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- 17. H. Tracy Hall, "Ultrahigh Pressure Research," Science, 128, 445-449 (1958).
- 18. H. Tracy Hall and S. S. Kistler, "High Pressure Developments," Annual Review of Physical Chemistry, Annual Reviews, Inc., Palo Alto, California, 395-416 (1958).
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- 20. H. Tracy Hall, "Ultrahigh Pressures," Sci. American, 201, 61-67 (1959).
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  and W. J. Harris, Jr., Office of Naval Research, Dept. of the Navy,
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  Assignee: Research Corporation

  Foreign Patents and Numbers: Great Britain 847,067

  Canada 622,429

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"High Temperature - High Pressure Apparatus."
Assignee: General Electric Company.

Foreign Patents and Numbers: Canada 624, 376 England 830, 209

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"High Temperature - High Pressure Apparatus" (The Belt)

Assignee: General Electric Company

Foreign Patents and Numbers: Argentina

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Australia	244, 497
Belgium	582, 483
France	1, 243, 894
Holland	108,063
Italy	615, 588
Japan	311, 237
Israel	16, 123
South Africa	3549/59
Switzerland	377, 319

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- 6. U. S. 2,947,608, August 2, 1960. "Diamond Synthesis"
  Assignee: General Electric Company
  Foreign Patents and Numbers: Argentina

Argentina	122,721
Austria	223,173
Belgium	582,481
Canada	638,043
England	840,770
France	1,243,888
India	68,989
Italy	615,336
Japan	302,022
Luxembourg	37,663
Norway	97,992

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Foreign Patents and Numbers: Argentina 122,044

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  Assignee: None
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  Assignee: Megadiamond Industries

Foreign patents & numbers:

Belgium 748,855 Canada 1,070,123 France 2043350 Great Britain 1,307,713 Ireland 34,071 Italy 903,201 Luxemboug 60,741 South Africa 70/2043 Sweden 7005234-5 West Germany 20 18-344

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Assignee: Megadiamond Industries

Foreign Patents & Numbers:

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Appl. 40837/1974

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Assignee; Megadiamond Industries

Foreign Patents & Numbers:

Belgium 739.800
Canada 898,495
France 2026389
Great Britain 1,298,565

Republic of

Ireland 33321
Italy 872,266
Luxemboug 59,473

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South Africa 69/5840 West Germany 19 63 057

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Asignee: Brigham Young University

Research Grants Received by H. Tracy Hall for the support of his research in the field of High Pressures and Temperatures 1956-74

Carnegie Foundation	1956	\$ 10,000
National Science Foundation	1956	25,500
Office of Ordnance Research (now Army	1956	20,000
Research Office)		
Linde	1957	300
du Pont	1957	5,000
Office of Ordnance Research (now Army	1957	15,000
Research Office)		The F
National Science Foundation	1958	85,000
Office of Ordnance Research (now Army	1958	14,590
Research Office)		
du Pont	1958	7,500
du Pont	1959	5,000
National Science Foundation (with Dr. Robert	1959	10,800
Egbert)	-,5,	20,000
Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	1959	12,000
du Pont	1960	5,000
Army Research Office (with Dr. J. Dean	1960	103, 100
Barnett)		
Diamant Boart	1961	1,500
Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	1961	6,250
Advanced Research Projects Agency	1961	17,700
Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	1961	3,000
Advanced Research Projects Agency	1961	16,000
Army Research Office (with Dr. J. Dean	1962	24, 372
Barnett)		
National Science Foundation	1962	150,000
Army Resear ch Office (with Dr. J. Dean	1963	25,530
Barnett)		
Army Research Office (with Dr. J. Dean	1964	26,730
Barnett)		
Army Research Office (with Dr. J. Dean	1965	33,936
Barnett)		
National Bureau of Standards	1965	28, 333
NASA	1965	2,000
Army Research Office (Durham) with Dr. J.	1966	33, 250
Dean Barnett)		
National Science Foundation	1966	25,400
National Science Foundation (with Dr. Myron	1966	27,000
Best)		
National Bureau of Standards	1967	38, 165
National Science Foundation (Chemistry	1967	31,000
Department for NMR)		
Army Research Office (Durham) with Dr. J.	1967	7,634
Dean Barnett		
Army Research Office (Durham)	1967	65,095
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1967	\$	27,072
1967		48,900
1967		20,000
1968		4,400
1968		30,000
1969		53, 588
1969		31,800
1969		24,000
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1972		30,600
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1974		31,100
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# LEADERSHIP POSITIONS IN THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

- 1983- Activities Committee, Ward Choir, Sunday School Teacher.

  1981-1983 Misionary together with my wife, Ida-Rose Langford Hall, in the Countries of Zimbabwe (formerly Rhodesia) and South Africa.
- 1976-1981 Bishop, Pleasant View 1st Ward, Sharon East Stake Young Adult Sunday School Teacher Pleasant View 1st Wd. 1975-1976 Priest/Explorer Adviser, Pleasant View 1st Ward, Provo 1973-1975 Stake Clerk, BYU 10th Stake, Provo, Utah 1972-1973 1969-1972 High Councilor; Stake Auditor BYU 10th Stake 1967-1969 Explorer Advisor, Pleasant View 1st Ward, Provo, Ut. 1962-1967 2nd Councilor Bishopric, Pleasant View Ward, Provo, Utah 1961-1962 Councilor, Elder's Quorum Presidency, Pleasant View Wd. Councilor MIA presidency, Pleasant View Ward, Provo, Utah 1959-1961 1956-1960 M-Men advisor, MIA Pleasant View Ward, Provo, Utah Sunday School Stake Board, Orem Utah Stake 1955-1956 District Councilor, Albany-Hudson District New York 1050-1955 Eastern States Mission: also, District Sunday School Superintendent 1948-1950 Sunday School Superintendent, Schenectady, New York Branch, Albany - Hudson District, Eastern St. Mission 1946-1948 In college, active but no leadership positions 1944-1946 In U.S. Navy, active but no church callings 1940-1944 In college, active but no church callings except one year as MIA organist.
- 1939-1940 Sunday School teacher Ogden 18th Wd, Mt Ogden Stake
- 1938-1939 Councilor, Elder's Quorum Presidency Ogden 18th Ward
- 1936-1938 Priesthood Organist, Ogden 18th Ward
- 1932-1936 Various callings in the Aaronic Priesthood Quorum Presidencies in the Ogden Utah 18th and the Marriott Utah Wards

H. TRACY HALL, resume, continued.

HOBBIES AND OTHER PROFICIENCIES

"Old Time" piano player, leader of the "High Hatter's Dance Band" in Ogden, Utah 1937-1939

Machinist and mechanic

Electrician

Welder

Maintains a personal machine shop in Provo, Utah where these and related skills are practiced and maintained in constructing prototypes of inventions

Typist

Bookkeeper

Draftsman

Photographer