

from the desk of...

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DR. FRANCIS P. BUNDY

Dear Tracy:

Thanks for calling back last evening. It was good to get the APS talk question settled, as well as which of us would take the committee job.

Enclosed are a couple of AIRAPT fliers for the 25-29 July 77 Conference at Boulder, Colorado.

I hope some of you fellows at BYU will submit some papers in the areas of synthesis, and perhaps also in calibration.

Best wishes,
Francis

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Dr. W. W. Havens, Jr.
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Dear Dr. Havens:

We have your letters of 9 November, and of 19 November regarding the International Prize for New Materials, and have discussed among ourselves (Hall, Strong, Wentorf and me) the questions to be resolved.

In respect to the presentation to be made at San Diego on 22 March, 1977, the conclusion of the four of us is that we could do the most effective job by each of us giving a 12-minute talk in a smoothly coordinated sequential manner, with one quickly introducing the next. The topic titles would be:

- (i) Thermodynamics and Phase Reactions of Elemental Carbon - F.P. Bundy (12 minutes)
- (ii) Very-High-Pressure, High-Temperature Apparatus for Synthesis of Diamond - H.T. Hall (12 minutes)
- (iii) The Growth and Properties of Different Types of Diamond - H.M. Strong (12 minutes)
- (iv) The Uses of Synthetic Diamond and Cubic Boron Nitride in Industry and Technology - R.H. Wentorf, Jr. (12 minutes)

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We hope this will be OK with APS. We will do our part to make it interesting and informative,

and to keep to the time schedule.

In regard to one of us for the committee for the 1978 award, the fellows would like for me to take that responsibility, and I will accept and do it to the best of my ability.

Sincerely yours,
Francis P. Bundy

CC: H.T. Hall
H.M. Strong
R.H. Wentorf, Jr.