

# GENEALOGY DATABASE ENTRY

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investigated atomic weights of Sn, V, Tl, B, and Br; studied chemistry of  $^2\text{H}$ , F, Ge, and Re, esp. rhenium halides, oxides, sulfides, and selenides; studied correlation between incidence of silicosis and chemical nature of industrial dusts; investigated chemistry of coke, paints, water supplies, and dairy products; devised highly precise method to measure densities; investigated chemistry of selenophene and discovered carbon sulfide selenide; pioneer in measurement of deuterium and oxygen-18 kinetic isotope effects.

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