## NOTES AND NEWS

## FELLOWSHIPS AVAILABLE IN MINERALOGY AND STRUCTURAL CRYSTALLOGRAPHY

Two fellowships are available in the Department of Geology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in the fields of Mineralogy and Structural Crystallography. One of these, a teaching fellowship, carries a stipend of \$500 per academic year plus free tuition. Up to eighteen hours per week may be required of the holder of this fellowship. The duties consist of teaching and other assistance in connection with laboratory instruction in mineralogy and possibly optical crystallography. Preference will be given to a student specializing in mineralogy or crystallography.

Another fellowship, concerned chiefly with carrying out investigations in structural crystallography and allied fields, requires an investigator with a fairly good background in crystallography and preferably having had some experience in the x-ray study of crystal structures. This fellowship, which is of a more permanent nature, requires the full time of the incumbent and carries a stipend of about 2000.

Anyone interested in either of these fellowships should communicate with Professor M. J. Buerger, Department of Geology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts, giving full details regarding their qualifications.

## NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS OF THE MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA FOR 1943

The Council has nominated the following for officers of the Mineralogical Society of America for the year 1943:

PRESIDENT: J. Frank Schairer, Geophysical Laboratory, Washington, D. C.

VICE-PRESIDENT: John W. Gruner, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota. SECRETARY: Paul F. Kerr, Columbia University, New York, N. Y.

TREASURER: Earl Ingerson, Geophysical Laboratory, Washington, D. C.

EDITOR: Walter F. Hunt, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

COUNCILOR (1943-1946): C. S. Hurlbut, Jr., Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusets.

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANNUAL MEETING

The twenty-third annual meeting of the society will be held in Ottawa, Canada, December 29–31, 1942, in connection with the 54th meeting of the Geological Society of America.

Members of the society who are planning to present papers at the scientific sessions of the annual meeting should notify the secretary as soon as possible in order to receive the proper blanks for their abstracts. All abstracts should be in the secretary's office by *November 1.* 

Advance announcement of the annual meeting will be distributed to members of the society, along with the ballot for officers, the middle of October. The final program of the meeting, including the schedule of papers, abstracts, and other information will be sent to each member in December. Further specific information regarding the annual meeting may be obtained from the secretary's office.

PAUL F. KERR, Secretary