

NOTICES

WALKER MINERALOGICAL CLUB
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PEACOCK MEMORIAL PRIZE

The Walker Mineralogical Club announces that it has awarded its Peacock Memorial Prize (1961) of two hundred dollars, "for the best scientific paper on pure or applied mineralogy, including crystallography, mineralogy, petrology, ore genesis, and geochemistry, submitted by a graduate student," to Dr. S. A. Morse.

Dr. Morse's paper was entitled, "Geology of the Kiglapait Layered Intrusion, Coast of Labrador, Canada." He did his work under Professor E. H. Krank, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada. Dr. Morse, a native of Hanover, New Hampshire, U.S.A., received his A.B. degree from Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, in 1952. He received his M.Sc. degree in 1958 from McGill University, and his Ph.D. degree from the same Institute in 1962. Dr. Morse has been employed by the Quebec Department of Mines; Dartmouth College; British Newfoundland Explorations Limited, and is presently employed as a crystallographer at the U. S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory in Hanover, New Hampshire.

The Walker Mineralogical Club announces also at this time that it is offering the Peacock, Memorial Prize again in 1962.

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TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS—\$200.00

For the best scientific paper on pure or applied mineralogy, including crystallography, mineralogy, petrology, ore genesis and geochemistry.

Conditions

1. The author of the paper shall be any graduate student enrolled in a Canadian university, a Canadian graduate student enrolled in any university, or any graduate student on a Canadian subject.
2. The paper, written in French or English, will be accepted for competition up to two years after completion of the work, even though the author may be no longer enrolled as a graduate student.
3. The paper may be in the form of: (a) a thesis,
(b) a paper ready for publication,
(c) a printed publication.
4. The paper may offer new or refined observations; or a significant synthesis and interpretation of existing data; or some new or improved application of mineralogy to useful ends; or the results of other work of sufficient interest and value.
5. Each paper must be accompanied by a letter from the candidate's supervisor stating the nature and extent of the assistance he may have given to the work submitted.
6. The paper is to be addressed to—Peacock Prize Committee, Walker Mineralogical Club, 100 Queen's Park, Toronto 5, Ontario.
7. CLOSING DATE OF THIS COMPETITION—December 31, 1962.

If no paper of sufficient merit is received, the prize will not be given. All papers submitted will be returned to their authors as soon as the judging is completed. Announcement of the award will be made in the appropriate publications.

INTERNATIONAL MINERALOGICAL ASSOCIATION

The Fourth General Meeting of the I.M.A. will be held in Madras, India, in early December 1964, prior to the International Geological Congress in New Delhi. Professor P. R. J. Naidu, of Madras has planned a five-day excursion in the charnockite region of southern India, and this will be followed by three or four days of meeting in Madras. The program of the meeting is under the direction of Professor C. E. Tilley, who will welcome suggestions.

At the Sixth Congress of the International Union of Crystallography to be held in Rome September 9-14, 1963, Topic 17(2): "Crystal Morphology in its Relation to Crystal Structure," will be sponsored jointly by the I.U.C. and the I.M.A. Professor J. D. H. Donnay will act as Convenor for this special session; those interested in participating or with constructive suggestions are urged to get in touch with him. Topic 17(1): "Crystal Growth, Morphology, Twinning," will also be of interest to many mineralogists,

SOCIETY FOR APPLIED SPECTROSCOPY

The 14th Annual Mid-America Spectroscopy Symposium, sponsored by the Chicago Section of the Society for Applied Spectroscopy in cooperation with six other Mid-America Sections, is to be held at the Sheraton-Chicago Hotel in Chicago, May 20 to 23, 1963.

Original papers are invited from the fields of mass, emission, x-ray, general absorption, infrared, MMR, EPR, Raman and flame spectroscopy, as well as gas chromatography. Absolute deadline for receipt of title and abstracts is January 15, 1963.

As in the past, the meeting will feature seminars, problem clinics and an instrument exhibit by leading manufacturers in the fields of spectroscopy and gas chromatography.

Further information can be obtained from:

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