NOTICES

New Journals Begin Publication

Indian Journal of Earth Sciences

A new bi-annual research journal has been brought out by the Indian Society of Earth Sciences, Department of Geology, Presidency College, Calcutta-700012, India. The Indian Journal of Earth Sciences has been inaugurated to answer the need of Indian earth scientists for a quick and efficient media for publication, but articles from all over the world, written in English, will be welcome. A. K. Saha is Editor; Associate Editors are A. B. Biswas and D. Hukhopadhyay; the Editorial Advisory Board consists of S. K. Agrawal, D. R. Dasgupta, S. K. Ghosh, L. N. Kailasam, S. Narayanaswami, B. K. Sahu, V. V. Sastry, S. K. Sen, S. Sengupta, R. N. Sukheswala, S. Ray, and M. S. Viswanathaiah, Subscriptions are Rs. 40.00 (India), \$10.00 (U.S.A.), £4.00 (U.K.), all inclusive of postage.

Fundamentals of Cosmic Physics

Gordon and Breach, Science Publishers, Inc., have announced the publication of Volume 1, Numbers 1/2, 1974, of Fundamentals of Cosmic Physics, edited by A. G. W. Cameron, Harvard College Observatory, Cambridge, Massachusetts. The journal will publish review articles which, it is hoped, will provide a selective guide to the current literature in the field and yet remain self-contained. General relativity, astronomy and astrophysics, space and planetary

physics, and geophysics are the major areas to be covered. Subscriptions are £5.50 for individuals, 19.00 for libraries (Great Britain); \$17.50/£7.75 individuals, \$49.50/£21.50 libraries, institutions, etc (U.S.A./elsewhere).

Geoscience Canada

The Geological Association of Canada announces the beginning of quarterly publication of a new magazine, Geoscience Canada, which will incorporate and replace the Proceedings. Editor is G. V. Middleton, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario. Editorial policy of the new journal is to publish general-interest articles about the earth sciences in Canada or about developments in the earth sciences outside Canada that are likely to be of interest to Canadians—specifically, articles that (1) summarize and comment on recent progress in some earth-science field; (2) discuss the interaction of earth sciences and Canadian society, geological education, history of Canadian geology, etc; (3) present the results of recent and unpublished research; (4) provide book reviews or conference reports; and (5) comment on or correct errors of fact in published articles (e.g., letters to the editor).

Non-members of the Geological Association of Canada may subscribe by writing to G.A.C. Publications, Business and Economic Service Limited, 111 Peter Street, Toronto 1, Ontario; cost is \$10.00 per year or \$3.00 per copy.

Meetings

November 1974

3-12, Eighth World Mining Congress and Tecnomin 74, First World Mining Fair, Lima, Peru (Am. Mineral. 59, 219).

6-8, Pittsburgh Diffraction Conference, Mellon Institute.

7. Mineralogical Society, London.

8, Clay Minerals Group, Mineralogical Society, London. 15-17, Short Course on Sulfide Mineralogy, Mineralogical Society of America, Miami.

18-20, Geological Society of America, Mineralogical Society of America, Miami.

Contributions to Canadian Mineralogy

The Walker Mineralogical Club announces the availability of microfilm copies of *Contributions to Canadian Mineralogy*. A 16mm roll, which covers all papers from Volumes 1 through 4, may be obtained for \$15.00 plus mailing charges

from the Walker Mineralogical Club, c/o Royal Ontario Museum, Department of Mineralogy, 100 Queen's Park, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5S 2C6.

List of Officers and Committees

Mineralogical Society of America

Sixth Floor, 1707 L St. N. W., Washington, D. C. 20036, U. S. A.

Membership in the Mineralogical Society of America is open to persons interested in the fields of mineralogy, petrology, crystallography, and allied sciences. Membership application forms may be obtained from the Washington office.

Annual dues are \$20.00 (\$6.00 for students) including subscription to *The American Mineralogist*. Members may subscribe to *Mineralogical Abstracts* at the reduced rate of \$10.00.

Officers

President* S. W. Bailey, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin

Past President J. V. Smith, University of Chicago, Illinois

Vice-President* Arnulf Muan, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

Secretary* Joan R. Clark, U. S. Geological Survey, Reston, Virginia

Treasurer Philip M. Bethke, U. S. Geological Survey, Reston, Virginia

Councillors

(1972-1974) George W. Brindley, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

(1972-1974) Edwin Roedder, U. S. Geological Survey, Reston, Virginia

(1973-1975) Daniel E. Appleman, U. S. National Museum, Washington, D. C.

(1973-1975) David B. Stewart, U. S. Geological Survey, Reston, Virginia

*(1974-1976) Arthur L. Boettcher, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

*(1974-1976) Philip M. Orville, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut

Committees

Archivist

*George T. Faust

Committee on Committees

*Arnulf Muan, Chairman (1974)

*E-an Zen (1974-1975)

*Joan R. Clark (1974-1975)

Arden L. Albee (1972-1974)

Gary M. Boone (1973-1975)

Committee on External Medals and Awards

Charles A. Salotti, Chairman

James L. Munoz

Douglas Rumble III

Richard A. Yund

*M. Charles Gilbert

Financial Advisory Committee

H. S. Yoder, Jr., Chairman

*Elburt F. Osborn

Priestley Toulmin III

*Daniel E. Appleman

*George W. Fisher

Philip M. Bethke

MSA Delegates to the Joint Technical Program Committee of the Geological Society of America

Deane K. Smith, Jr. (Representative, 1974)

Daniel S. Barker (Conferee, 1974)

*Subrata Ghose (1974-1976)

*Joan R. Clark (1974-1975)

Committee on Management

Daniel E. Appleman, Chairman

Larry W. Finger

*Joan R. Clark

*Philip M. Bethke

*Douglas Rumble III

MSA Award Committee

*Philip M. Orville, Chairman

*George Brown

*G. V. Gibbs

*Paul H. Reitan

*Werner F. Schreyer

*Allan C. Turnock

Nominating Committee for Fellows

Robert E. Newnham, Chairman (1973-1975)

E. C. T. Chao (1972-1974)

John S. White, Jr. (1972-1974)

Bruce Nelson (1973-1975)

*Peter R. Buseck (1974-1976)

Nominating Committee for Officers

Iris Y. Borg, Chairman

*Gordon E. Brown, Jr.

*Ian S. E. Carmichael

*Jen Ho Fang

*David A. Hewitt

*Neal Yedlin

^{*} Newly elected or appointed, 1974.

*Committee on Public Education and Information

*Joel E. Arem, Chairman (1974-1976)

*Klaus Keil (1974-1976)

*Philip E. Rosenberg (1974-1976)

Publications Committee

George W. Fisher, Chairman (1972-1974)

* William C. Kelly (1974-1975)

*B. A. Morgan (1974-1976)

*Committee on Short Courses

*Paul H. Ribbe, Chairman

*James F. Hays (1974-1975)

*Derrill M. Kerrick (1974-1976)

Roebling Medal Committee

*Arthur L. Boettcher, Chairman

*L. J. Cabri

*Ian D. MacGregor

*Douglas Coombs

*Elburt F. Osborn

*E-an Zen

Editors

Editor

F. Donald Bloss

Managing Editor
Mary Holliman

Board of Associate Editors

J. Jeffrey Fawcett (1972-1974)

Arden L. Albee (1972-1975)

William B. White (1972-1975)

*Jen Ho Fang (1974-1975)

Arthur L. Boettcher (1972-1976)

*Priestley Toulmin III (1974-1976)

*Charles W. Burnham (1974–1976) Wayne Dollase (1973–1977)

Charles T. Prewitt (1973-1977)

*William D. Johns (1974–1977) *James R. Craig (1974–1978)

*Joseph J. Finney (1974–1978)

Representatives to Other Organizations

American Crystallographic Association

Werner H. Baur

American Geological Institute

David B. Stewart

Circum-Pacific Energy and Mineral Resources Conference

*George E. Ericksen

Friends of Mineralogy

Paul B. Moore

Joint Committee on Powder Diffraction Standards

John Hower

International Mineralogical Association

*George Switzer

MSA Representatives on IMA Commissions

Abstracts-Marjorie Hooker (1973-1975)

Cosmic Mineralogy—*Robert T. Dodd (1974-1976)

Data-*Charles Milton (1974-1976)

Museums—*Paul E. Desautels (1974-1976)

New Minerals and New Mineral Names-

*Mary E. Mrose (1974-1976)

Ore Microscopy-*George A. Desborough (1974-1976)

Teaching-*Cecil J. Schneer (1974-1976)

Mineral Museums Advisory Council

D. V. Manson