

mum spacing. Measured gravity on crystals  $4.05 \pm 0.02$ . Calculated gravity 4.004.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW AWARD OF THE  
MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA

At the Council meeting of the Mineralogical Society of America held on November 10, 1949 it was voted to establish a new award to be given under the following conditions:

1. The name of the award shall be the Mineralogical Society of America Award.\*
2. The award shall be life membership in the *Mineralogical Society of America*. A certificate as evidence of the award, signed by the President and Secretary of the Society, shall be presented to the recipient at the annual meeting.
3. The award shall be given to an individual for an outstanding contribution within the fields of interest of the Society. The contribution must be the published results of original research made during the three years prior to selection by the Council.
4. The work for which the award is given must have been accomplished at an age of thirty-five years or less.
5. The award shall be made without regard to nationality. Membership in the Mineralogical Society of America is not a necessary prerequisite.
6. The President shall appoint a committee to nominate a recipient. The selection, however, shall be subject to the approval of the Council.
7. The award shall be given annually only if a suitable candidate can be selected by the Council.

The committee appointed by President Tunell to select a recipient for this new award is:

N. L. Bowen, Chairman  
J. E. Hawley  
M. N. Short

The committee will welcome suggestions from Fellows of suitable candidates for the award.

C. S. HURLBUT, JR., *Secretary*

\* This name is to be used temporarily until a more suitable name is found.