

Forrest Fogg was a fortunate man. From childhood he loved the outdoors, and he found ways to indulge that passion in his career, in his avocations, and even in his marriage to his wife Vera, who shared his interests.



Photo by Marcelle H. Weber, at Micromounters of New England Mineral Symposium, May 11, 1991

For more than 30 years Forrest was a respected game biologist for the NH

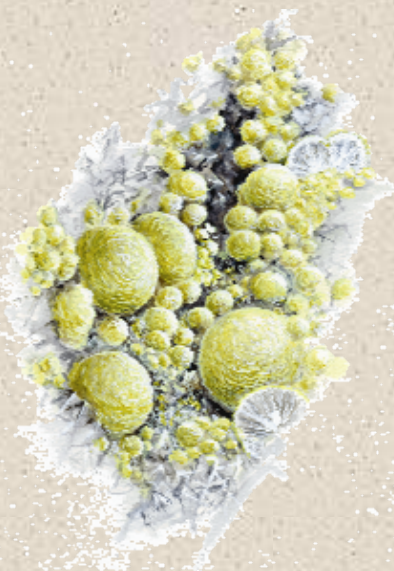
Fish and Game Department and for almost as long, he was active as a mineralogist. Forrest and Bob Whitmore purchased the Palermo No. 1 mine and were instrumental both in preserving it for scientific study and in collecting and identifying rare phosphates. Recognizing that some of his collected specimens were unusual, Forrest contacted Dr.

Paul Moore at the University of Chicago's Dept. of Geophysical Sciences for help in identification. The result was the identification of a new mineral, described in the *American Mineralogist* in 1975. It was named foggite (shown at right), and Forrest became one of a very few collectors who have minerals named for them. Specimens that he collected can be found in university and private collections around the world.

Forrest and Vera were both active in the Capital Mineral Club as officers and on committees, and Forrest was an early member of the League of NH

Craftsmen and the Jeweler's Guild. In addition to his skill in collecting, identifying and mounting mineral specimens, Forrest developed a talent for working with gem materials to make lovely creative jewelry that Vera wore proudly.

Forrest and Vera left a legacy that includes significant contributions to mineralogy, the donation of a large tract of land for conservation – and a host of good memories that linger with the many friends they made along the way.



Spheres of cream-colored foggite crystals on an augelite matrix, Palermo No. 1 mine
Watercolor by Fredrick C. Wilda

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Gem, Mineral & Jewelry Festival

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Minerals - Crystals
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Gem Carving

Club Member Mineral and Gem Displays

Hydroxyl-herderite crystals
on albite (var. cleavelandite)
Palermo #1 mine



Donald A. Dallaire collection
Watercolor by Fredrick C. Wilda

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If you are interested in becoming a member of the Capital Mineral Club, visit the clubs website: www.capitalmineralclub.org and click the "Membership Application Form" link, or come by the Capital Mineral Club Table to fill one out.

Make sure you sign up for the Door Prizes
At the Capital Mineral Club Show Table

What not to miss at the festival.



Stuart & Linda Fenton, Green Mountain Minerals

After graduating from the University of Connecticut with a degree in agricultural sciences, Stu Fenton went into the automotive business. When a friend took him field collecting for minerals, and then introduced him to the gem and jewelry side of mineral collecting and the Tucson show, Stu was hooked. He had found his second career.

Stu and his wife Linda (a semi-retired RN) have been in the business now for 25 years – collecting and purchasing specimens, and selling at their store and at club shows. Stu tries to buy items for resale that he can later sell at a price that reflects their value – so that buyers get a specimen that is well worth the price they pay for it.

Working for ten years at the Wise Mine with his arm up to the shoulder in cold mud feeling for crystal or scratching for agates in the desert of New Mexico is Stu's idea of heaven. A field trip that ends with nothing in the take-home bag is never considered a loss. The search and the experience outdoors make it all worthwhile. The real profit in minerals comes from being at a show, or out collecting with all the new friends you've gained in the hobby.

The Annual Gem, Mineral & Jewelry Festival is presented by the Capital Mineral Club, Concord, NH.

The Club was formed on January 14, 1961, as a NH non-profit educational corporation and has had monthly meetings ever since. Our Club is dedicated to education in the earth sciences with special emphasis on preservation of minerals and mining. We annually support scholarships at local colleges and seek other opportunities to help the local schools. Club members are invited each summer on mineral collecting trips to local and distant mines. Visit our web site for meeting dates and a membership form.

"Help us support education and science"

Retail Dealers

Crystal Cache Minerals Swanzy, NH	Ed & Joan's Dartmouth, MA	Stones By Vera Sudbury, MA
Ewing's Lapidary Nashua, NH	The Collectors Francestown, NH	Ruggles Mine Grafton, NH
Green Mountain Minerals Middlesex, VT	Toveco Speciman Mining Francestown, NH	Ledge Art Studio Rumney, NH
Multi-Faceted Minerals Wolfeboro, NH	Gold -N-Gems Merrimack, NH	Lithographie, LLC East Hampton, CT
Yankee Mineral & Gem Co. East Hampton, CT	Santerre's Stones & Stuff Fremont, NH	T.P. Minerals Milford, CT
Trafford - Flynn Minerals Tryon, NC	Earth Echoes Crystals Canterbury, NH	Russell Geologies Barre, MA
Sierra Madre Mining Co. Gloucester, MA	Fantasy in Gemstones Penacook, NH	Cardinal Minerals Shelton, CT
Alrob Minerals Canterbury, NH	The Museum Piece East East Boston, MA	Farallon Gems Goshen, NH
Well Arranged Molecules Florence, MA	Natures Finest Creations Hadley, MA	Precision Gem Cutting Raymond, NH
Malachite & Gems of Africa Rochester, NY	Rocko Minerals & Jewelry Margaretville, NY	Rock & Crystal Emporium Florida, MA

Wholesale Dealers

Located at the East End of the Everett Arena
Proof of retail business required for entry to wholesale section.

Kenneth Huang - New York, NY

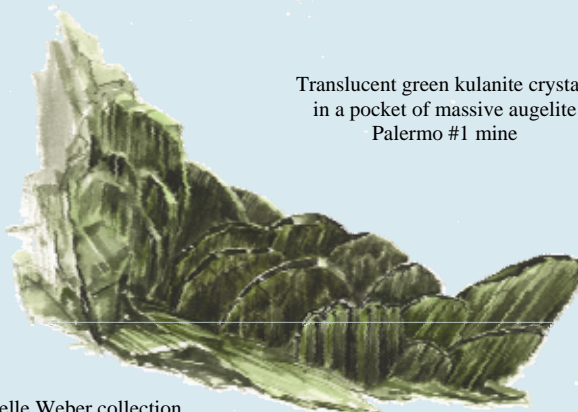
John Corbin & Sons - Salem, MA

Howard I. Schlansker - Marshfield, MA

Dealer Contact: Gordon Jackson Email: Gsj8544@aol.com
Phone: 603-783-4493

There will be Gem faceting and carving demonstrations held both Saturday and Sunday throughout the day.

Please make sure to stop by the Capital Mineral Club Show Table located near the main entrance of the show.



Translucent green kulanite crystals
in a pocket of massive augelite
Palermo #1 mine

Marcelle Weber collection
Watercolor by Fredrick C. Wilda

Howard Ewing Lapidary



Howard first developed an interest in geology while growing up in Pennsylvania. He collected fossils in the Pennsylvanian sandstone and shale. His interest grew when he took Physical Geology class in college. Following college he enlisted in the Army. While stationed at Ft. Devens, MA he read the book Gemstones of North America and visited some New England sites mentioned in the book. Later while stationed in Germany he visited the silver mining district in the Hartz Mountains in Germany. After release from the military he decided that mineral collecting would be a good hobby to enjoy. Initially, Howard actively collected all of his specimens from well known sites on New England and eastern Canadian provinces.

While collecting specimens he noticed that some material, although poor specimens, had potential in producing good gems. In 1973 he purchased his cabochon making equipment and in 1974 expanded his interest and began to learn how to facet gemstones. Within a few years people were asking him to cut stones for them and were receiving offers to buy some of his stones. In 1990 an opportunity opened for Howard to do gem cutting and to become a dealer in several New England Gem and Mineral shows. For the past 18 years he has continued mineral collecting, gem cutting and has been an active dealer in the Capital Mineral Club's shows.

SHOW INFORMATION

September 27 & 28, 2008

Saturday 9am - 5pm & Sunday 10am - 4pm

Admission \$4.00

Children 12 and under FREE with paying adult.

For more information and a listing of events visit:

www.capitalmineralclub.org/clubshow

Or contact the show chairman Gordon Jackson
Phone: 603-783-4493 Email: Gsj8544@aol.com

For more information about The Everett Arena visit:

www.onconcord.com/GSADMIN/concordv2.asp?siteindx=L0i,04