Hopkins, B Smith 1873 - 1952

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studied the chemistry of the lanthanides and other rare elements (including beryllium, selenium, and tellurium), esp. their separations and atomic weights; discovered and named the element "illinium" in 1926 - it is now known as promethium.

4. Records of the Senate and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences of the University of Illinois, December 1952.