

Strong opposition was made to the formation of any independent code for entomologists ; but it was believed that a committee on nomenclature might have legitimate ground for existence in voicing the peculiar needs of entomology in matters of nomenclature and in securing their adequate representation in the International Zoological Congress.

A sub-committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, which should embody the decisions reached by the committee, and to report them at an adjourned meeting.

The committee then discussed membership, dues, officers, elections and other matters. The decisions concerning these were subsequently embodied in the constitution and by-laws. The committee then adjourned until the following day.

At an adjourned meeting, held June 29, 1906, the report of the sub-committee on constitution and by-laws was read and discussed. After the making of some changes, the report was adopted, and the sub-committee was authorized to prepare and have printed a report of the committee, together with the constitution and by-laws, and to send them, with an invitation to be present at the initial meeting of the society, to every entomologist in the country whose address could be learned, and to have them published in the entomological journals. The sub-committee was also authorized to call an initial meeting in New York City in connection with the midwinter meetings of the A. A. A. S., to make arrangements for that meeting, and to transact such other business as may be necessary.

At a second adjourned meeting, held June 30, 1906, it was decided to apply at once for affiliation with the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and such application was subsequently made.

J. CHESTER BRADLEY, Secretary.

## THE ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA.

### CONSTITUTION.

#### ARTICLE I.

##### NAME.

SECTION 1. This organization shall be known as The Entomological Society of America.

#### ARTICLE II.

##### OBJECTS.

SECTION 1. It shall be the purpose of this society to promote the science of entomology in all its branches, to secure co-operation in all