

APPENDIX.

THE REPORT OF THE COUNCIL.

The Council beg to submit the following account of the condition of the society and the work done during the past year.

The membership has been increased by the addition of several ordinary, corresponding and associate members. Dr. Bailey, of Fredericton, has been made an honorary member, and Messrs. Chamberlain and Hay added to the life members.

The Sixth Annual Bulletin was published during the summer, and copies distributed to members, etc.

Meetings.—During the year eight regular meetings were held, at which papers were read as follows:

1887.

FEB. 1. Algæ of New Brunswick, by G. U. Hay, M. A.

MAR. 1. Florida and the Bahamas, by D. R. Jack.

APR. 5. A Business Meeting.

MAY 3. Notes on Ornithology, by Messrs. Chamberlain, Cox and Morrissey.

Nov. 1. A Basal Series of Cambrian Rocks in Acadia, by G. F. Matthew. (Published in Canadian Record of Science).

DEC. 6. Origin of the Southern Fauna in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, by W. F. Ganong, B. A.

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JAN. 3. On the Arctic Character of the Surface Fauna of the Bay of Fundy, by Prof. J. Walter Fewrkes.

Library.—A large number of books and pamphlets have been added to the Library, many in exchange for the Bulletin. Of these the more important are the Monographs and Bulletins of the United States Geological Survey.