

were secured and two or three species of Pleistocene shells. A smaller number went to the same place the following Saturday, June 8th.

A most gratifying feature of these excursions is the large number of young boys who attend, and who are becoming enthusiastic collectors and close observers.

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