

On motion of Mr. Mann it was resolved that a committee of three be appointed to consider the recommendations of the address, and report as early as convenient.

Messrs. Mann, Fletcher and Smith were appointed as such committee by the President.

The President suggested a committee on Programme, and on motion of Mr. Mann, amended by Mr. Fletcher, that the Secretary be one of the members, it was so resolved.

Messrs. Webster and Kellicott were appointed the additional members of the committee.

On motion, Mr. Smith was elected acting Secretary for the present meeting.

Mr. Webster moved that one meeting of the Club be set aside for short notes and random observations, and Dr. Kellicott amended by suggesting that the next meeting be so set aside. Both motion and amendment carried.

On motion of Mr. Mann, after some general discussion as to hours of meeting, the Club adjourned to 1 p. m.

#### AFTERNOON MEETING.

The Club met pursuant to adjournment at 1 p.m., President Osborn in the chair, twenty-one members present.

The President stated that under the resolution adopted, short notes were in order, and he called on the members for such.

Mr. Kellicott mentioned a Tortricid feeding on *Silphium perfoliatum*, whose habits he studied last year, but of which he got only a single imago in bad condition and not yet named. The eggs are laid in the flower buds, and the larvæ eat into and destroy them. At this time the larvæ are livid in colour, and there become about half an inch in length; then they either crawl down outside, or bore through the stem to the root in which they feed until winter. They make a silken tube in which they hibernate and sometimes also pupate; usually in spring they crawl out into the loose soil and there pupate.

Mr. Webster spoke of a Cecidomyid larva preying on the cherry aphid, and exhibited specimens. The imago which was bred seems a *Diplosis*. *Hyperchiria io* he has usually found rather rarely; but this year he has received it from corn, where it was feeding in considerable numbers.