

cycle, in which case another large flight of the species might not be due at the locality in Montreal South until 1908. As mentioned in a paper on specimens in the British Museum (CAN. ENT., XXXVII, 31), I found a specimen of *Thule* which had been in that collection since 1844, and which had been taken in the Hudson's Bay territory by George Barnston, proving that the species has a much wider distribution than had formerly been supposed.

Mr. Denny was led to seek the species this year by finding a specimen attracted to light, and there are a number of similar instances. The original type specimen must have been so attracted, as it was found, as mentioned in my former paper, in Phillips Square, the centre of the up-town retail business district, and several miles from its nearest possible breeding locality. The specimen secured by Mr. Bowles had also, evidently, been attracted to light, and Mr. Brainerd obtained one similarly attracted to Sherbrooke Street, in the fashionable residential district, and Mr. Gibson's specimen had also come to light, and I believe that attraction to light is the only thing which will cause them to fly after their usual time. Very few specimens, however, seem to be so attracted, as the above instances are all of which I have learned, and the places to look for the moth are where there is a good growth of willow scrub, and between 8 and 8.30 p.m. during the second and third weeks of July.

ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF ONTARIO.

The forty-fourth annual meeting of the Society was held in the Biological Building of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, on Thursday, October 31st, and Friday, November 1st. The chair was taken by the President, Dr. James Fletcher, Entomologist and Botanist of the Dominion Experimental Farms. Among those present were Rev. Dr. Fyles, Levis, P. Q.; Mr. Henry H. Lyman, Montreal; Mr. Arthur Gibson, Central Experimental Farm, and Mr. C. H. Young, Ottawa; Dr. Brodie, Dr. E. M. Walker, Mr. J. B. Williams and Mr. C. W. Nash, Toronto; Mr. J. F. Calvert, Orangeville; Professors Hutt, McCreedy and Bethune, Messrs. Jarvis, Eastham, Howitt, Zavitz, Crow, Klinck, and a number of students of the Ontario Agricultural College; Mr. Howse, Principal of the Consolidated School, Mr. Graesser and others, Guelph.

The proceedings began on Thursday afternoon with a conference on Fruit-tree Insects. Mr. L. Caesar gave an account of the Bark-beetle (*Scolytus rugulosus*) attacking cherry-trees in the Niagara district; the