## ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF ONTARIO

The ninth annual meeting of the Entomological Society of Ontario was held in Ottawa, in the Museum of the Ottawa Literary and Scientific Society, on Thursday, the 25th of September, at 4.30 p.m. In addition to the members of the Society, there were present on invitation about twenty members of the Ottawa Field Naturalists' Club.

In the absence of the Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Jas. Fletcher was appointed Secretary pro. tem.

The President read a telegram which he had received from the Vice-President, regretting that important engagements prevented him from being present.

The annual statement of the Secretary-Treasurer was read and adopted. The report of the Council was read and adopted.

Mr. Couper then read the report of the Montreal Branch, indicating very satisfactory progress; this was referred for publication.

The annual address of the President was next in order, after the reading of which a vote of thanks was tendered to him both in the name of the Society and also in that of the Ottawa Field Naturalists' Club for his exceedingly interesting and instructive address, and a copy was requested for publication in the Annual Report.

The election of officers then took place, resulting in the appointment of the following gentlemen:

President, W. Saunders, London; Vice-President, Jas. Fletcher, Ottawa; Secretary-Treasurer, Jas. H. Bowman, London; Council—Rev. C. J. S. Bethune, M. A., Port Hope; Wm. Couper, Montreal; J. M. Denton and E. B. Reed, London; R. V. Rogers, Kingston; G. J. Bowles, Montreal, and W. Harrington, Ottawa. Editor of Entomologist, W. Saunders, London. Editing Committee—Jas. Fletcher, G. J. Bowles and E. B. Reed, Librarian, W. E. Saunders. Library Committee—E. B. Reed, J. M. Denton, H. B. Bock, with the President, Librarian and Secretary. Auditors—Chas. Chapman and A. Puddicombe, London.

A short time was agreeably spent in asking and replying to queries in reference to insects and their habits, and in examining the collections of insects in the Museum, after which the meeting adjourned.

JAS. FLETCHER, Secretary pro. tem.