

The meetings are held monthly, except during June, July and August. As soon as the membership warrants, however, it is the intention to hold a General Annual Meeting in one of the large cities, when essays on Astro-Meteorology and Planetary Influence will be the leading features. During the first year no less than twenty-nine papers have been read, and published in the organ of the Association. The subjects and authors being as follows:—Walter H. Smith (eleven papers), "The connection of Sun spots with terrestrial phenomena;" "The Earth in Meteoric Shadow;" "Weather at past Conjunctions of Venus and the Sun;" "The Recent Lunar Eclipse;" "Ruddy Sunsets;" "The Motion of Storms;" "Theories of Solar Light and Heat;" "Dead Worlds in Space;" "The Year without a Summer (1816);" and "The New Star in Andromeda."

L. J. Heatwole (four papers), "Astro-Meteorology;" "Storms" (two papers); and "The Red Sunsets."

C. H. Brunk (three papers), "The Moon and her Influence on Vegetation" (two papers), and "The Formation of the Earth."

J. Ross Brown, (two papers), "The Dark Moon Theory" and "The Sun's Light and Heat."

One paper each was read by the following:—Maria T. Cole, on "The Sun;" B. F. Kirkpatrick, "Clouds and Vapors;" L. H. Sonedecker, "The Planets;" W. J. Leslie, "Saturn and his System;" W. Fanning, "Dew;" Dugald McDonald, "The Laws of Motion and Composition of Space;" Daniel Logan, "Meteorology of Honolulu;" John Bryant, "A Nebraska Storm;" and W. J. Webster, "Heavy Hail in Natal." Several of the above are of great interest, and should be re-published.

To facilitate observational work at Montreal, it has been decided to commence a fund for the purchase of suitable instruments, and it is hoped that these will be forthcoming ere long.

Part of the special work of the Association is the conducting of experiments concerning Lunar Influence on Vegetation; these have been very successful. Some reports on this subject will be found on a previous page.

Prospectuses and by-laws of the Association, together with instructions to those desirous of forming Branches, will be furnished free on application to the President or Vice-Presidents.

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