

the preliminary arrangements a committee was appointed, consisting of Mr. Schwarz as Chairman, and including also Messrs. Fletcher, Herbert Osborn, Kellogg and Hopkins. This committee held a meeting at the Cosmos Club on the afternoon of December 28th, and arranged for a revival of the old Entomological Club of the American Association, and fixed the first meeting for Tuesday evening, Dec. 30th, at 7.30, in a room provided in the Columbian Law School.

This meeting of the Club was called to order at the hour named by Mr. Schwarz, as Chairman of the Provisional Committee. The following persons were present :

Henry A. Ballou, Amherst, Mass.; J. Chester Bradley, 2221 Spring Garden St., Philadelphia, Pa.; H. E. Burke and A. N. Caudell, Washington, D. C.; E. P. Felt, Albany, N. Y.; F. W. Foxworthy, Ithaca, N. Y.; Otto Heidemann and W. E. Hinds, Washington, D. C.; Jas. S. Hine, Columbus, Ohio; A. D. Hopkins, Washington, D. C.; Chas. W. Johnson, Philadelphia, Pa.; W. G. Johnson, New York; Vernon L. Kellogg, Stanford University, Cal.; B. Pickman Mann and C. L. Marlatt, Washington, D. C.; Geo. W. Martin, Nashville, Tenn.; Herbert Osborn, Columbus, Ohio; Raymond C. Osburn, New York; A. L. Quaintance, College Park, Md.; Wm. D. Richardson, Fredericksburg, Va.; E. A. Schwarz and C. B. Simpson, Washington, D. C.; Otto H. Swezey, Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. Schwarz called attention to the fact that the old Entomological Club was still in existence, and all that was necessary to put it in operation was to proceed to the election of three officers: President, Vice-President, and Secretary. On motion of Mr. Ashmead, Mr. Schwarz, one of the oldest members of the Club and the one most familiar with the organization, was nominated, and duly elected President of the Club for the ensuing year. On motion of Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Ashmead was duly elected to the office of Vice-President. On motion of Mr. Felt, Mr. Marlatt was elected Secretary of the Club.

Following the election of officers, a historical review of the Entomological Club of the A. A. S. was read by Mr. Schwarz, the different meetings of the Club being dwelt upon and described individually. It is deemed advisable to include this paper entire, as portion of the minutes of this meeting.

A SKETCH OF THE HISTORY OF THE ENTOMOLOGICAL CLUB OF
THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

BY E. A. SCHWARZ.

Since the majority of the Entomologists present at this meeting belong to a younger generation, who have never attended any of the meet-