

BOTANY.

The botanical committee report the discovery of a number of plants not heretofore known to occur in this province; also a more extended range for some plants than yet recorded. The report of this committee will be found attached. The subject of forestry is full of importance to our people, and is well worthy the attention and close study of some of our members.

MUSEUM.

Our custodian has continued his work on the museum during the year. The rooms are open every Tuesday night and every Saturday afternoon, and we invite the members to avail themselves oftener of these opportunities to examine and study the collections.

PUBLICATIONS.

During the year our tenth Bulletin has been issued and is now in the hands of the members. This number completes the second volume of this publication and is furnished with an index. Five hundred copies have been printed of all the Bulletins except No. III, of which only three hundred were printed. This proved, however, to be too few, and for some time it has been impossible to secure copies of this Bulletin. In consequence of this it was considered advisable to reprint part of it in Bulletin No. X.

FIELD MEETING.

On Wednesday, August 10th, the Society held a very successful field meeting at Sand Cove and Manawagonis Beach.

The party proceeded to Sand Cove by the Shore Line R.R., and through the kindness of James Manchester, Esq., were permitted to use his grounds and buildings as headquarters for their excursion.

The geological party visited Sheldon's Point in the forenoon, and made themselves familiar with the trap-ash rocks which there form the point on the West side of Sand Cove.