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On Gryposaurus notabilis, a New Genus and Species of Trachodont Dinosaur from the Belly River Formation of Alberta, with a Description of the Skull of Protorosaurus belli. By L. M. Lambe.

Notes on the Apothecial Stage of Sclerontinia cinerea in Ontario. By J. E. Howitt.

The Protection of Birds In and Around Ottawa. By C. Gordon Hewitt.

THE LIBRARY.

Several new publications have been added to our exchange list during the year, some of which are valuable contributions to current scientific literature. There has been quite a demand for back numbers of THE OTTAWA NATURALIST, and in most cases the requests were for a number of volumes. The most important exchange was a shipment of 10 volumes to the Natural History Museum of Hamburg, Germany, for which we received a number of volumes of their Society Bulletin, which is an excellent one.

The Club Library at present contains a number of extremely valuable books, bulletins and periodicals, which, at present, are little used, owing to the lack of an index. It is hoped, however, that an arrangement will soon be made whereby a suitable cataloguing of the exchanges will be maintained.

EXCURSIONS.

The excursions arranged for by the committee in charge were all well attended, and much interest was taken in local natural history. The work accomplished at the various outings has been reported in THE OTTAWA NATURALIST. The following is the list of excursions held :-

Spring and Summer Series:

May 3 Rockcliffe and McKay's Lake.

- 10 Leamy's Lake
- 17 Britannia.
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June 7 Points along Rideau Canal by motor boats 14 Stittsville.

Fall Series:

Sept. 20 Billings' Bridge.

27 Experimental Farm.

Oct. 14 Beaver Meadow.

LECTURES.

The series of lectures presented during the winter was also very successful. The attendance was good and the subjects discussed of much interest. The following is the programme as carried out :-