THE PHILADELPHIA MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY

THE WAGNER FREE INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, OCTOBER 12, 1916

A STATED meeting of the Philadelphia Mineralogical Society was held on the above date with President Trudell in the chair. Those present were Allen, Benge, Egee, Flack, Geist, Gordon, Hagey, Knabe, Leffmann, Lyman, Rothermel, Trudell, Vanartsdalen and Warford.

The following officers were elected for 1916-1917: President, Mr. Harry W. Trudell; Vice-president, Mr. E. A. Groth; Secretary, Mr. Samuel G. Gordon; Treasurer, Mr. Oscar Streland. Mr. Gordon suggested that all committees be merged into a single executive committee; a motion was made and seconded that due notice of an amendment to the By-laws to this effect be made in the minutes.

Mr. Hagey reported a trip to Ward's and Leiper's quarries, with Messrs. Trudell, Knabe, Gordon and Jones. Dr. Leffmann spoke on meteorites in general, and on the Holbrook fall, exhibiting a specimen of the latter. An exhibition of zeolites constituted the program of the evening, many fine specimens from Paterson, Moore, and the vicinity of Philadelphia being shown. Mr. Vanartsdalen described a specimen of stilbite from Moore, N. J., measuring eight inches in length, studded with small, but brilliant pyrite crystals. Mr. Geist told of recent collecting experiences in the street cuts of northern New York City.

SAMUEL G. GORDON, Secretary.

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