ORDINARY MEETING.

FRIDAY, 9TH MAY, 1913.

The Rev. A. H. COOKE, M.A., F.Z.S., President, in the Chair.

Dr. Augusto Nobre was elected a member of the Society.

The following communications were read:-

1. "Descriptions of three new species of Land Shells from New Zealand." By H. Suter.

2. "On Callista, Amiantis, and Pitaria." By A. J. Jukes-Browne,

F.R.S., F.G.S.

3. "Descriptions of new species of Land Shells from Africa."

By Cæsar R Boettger.

- 4. "On a collection of Land and Freshwater Shells from the Upper Nile Region." By Cæsar R. Boettger and Fritz Haas.
- Mr. B. B. Woodward, F.L.S., exhibited a number of glass tubes which were found after a time to be covered with condensed moisture on the inner surface, although the aperture had not been sealed or closed with cork, but only with cotton wool. He believed this to be due to an inherent defect in the glass itself, but he was taking steps to find out the cause, and promised to communicate the result.

Mr. R. B. Newton exhibited specimens of Ampullaria ovata, with opercula of that species, and Lanistes carinatus from a Miocene deposit near the Victoria Nyanza, both species occurring in that

region in the recent state.

ORDINARY MEETING.

FRIDAY, 13TH JUNE, 1913.

The Rev. A. H. COOKE, M.A., F.Z.S., President, in the Chair.

The following communications were read:-

1. "Note on the genus *Pseudomalaxis*, Fischer, and descriptions of a new species and sub-genus." By the Marquis de Monterosato.

2. "Non-marine Mollusca from the Old Bed of the Thames at Barn Elms with *Margaritana* (*Pseudunio*) auricularius (Speng.)." By A. S. Kennard, F.G.S., and B. B. Woodward, F.L.S.

3. "The Land Mollusca of the Kermadec Islands." By Tom Iredale.

4. "Definitions of further new genera of Zonitidæ." By G. K. Gude, F.Z.S.

Mr. Tom Iredale exhibited a two-mouthed specimen of a Pupa taken by him in Hungary.

Mr. C. N. Bromehead, B.A., exhibited *Unio tumidus* and *Anodonta cygnea*, var., dredged from the River Thames off Battersea.



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