The following were elected Officers and Council for the year 1917:

President.—J. R. Le B. Tomlin, M.A., F.E.S.

Vice-Presidents.—The Rev. Dr. A. H. Cooke, M.A., F.Z.S., A. S. Kennard, F.G.S., Alexander Reynell, H. O. N. Shaw, B.Sc., F.Z.S.

Treasurer.—Dr. A. E. Boycott, F.R.S.

Secretary.—G. K. Gude, F.Z.S. Editor.—B. B. Woodward, F.L.S.

Other Members of Council.—The Rev. E. W. Bowell, M.A., G. C. Crick, F.G.S., Tom Iredale, R. Bullen Newton, F.G.S., A. E.

Salisbury, E. R. Sykes, B.A., F.L.S.

On the motion of Mr. A. S. Kennard, seconded by Mr. Tom Iredale, a unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the retiring Officers and members of the Council, and to the Auditors and Scrutineers.

#### ORDINARY MEETING.

# FRIDAY, 9TH FEBRUARY, 1917.

J. R. LE B. TOMLIN, M.A., F.E.S., President, in the Chair.

The President delivered his Annual Address entitled "A Reference

List of the Marginellidæ".

Mr. A. S. Kennard proposed, and Mr. Tom Iredale seconded, a vote of thanks to Mr. Tomlin for his address, and requested him to allow the same to be printed *in extenso* in the Society's Proceedings.

# ORDINARY MEETING. Friday, 9th March, 1917.

J. R. LE B. TOMLIN, M.A., F.E.S., President, in the Chair.

Mr. E. Le Cronier Lancaster was elected a member of the Society. The following communications were read:—

- 1. "The Genitalia of Acanthinula aculeata." By Dr. A. E. Boycott, F.R.S.
- 2. "The Radula of the genus Cominella." By the Rev. Dr. A. H. Cooke, M.A., F.Z.S.
- 3. "A colony of Nucella lapillus with operculum malformed or absent." By the Rev. Dr. A. H. Cooke, M.A., F.Z.S.

4. "Note on the adventures of the genus name Lucena." By B. B. Woodward, F.L.S.

5. "Note on the Da Costa plates adapted for Rackett's edition of Pulteney's Catalogues." By B. B. Woodward, F.L.S.

Mr. B. B. Woodward exhibited a specimen of Helicella scitula, probably from Asia Minor, taken from a packet of tobacco. Mr. Tom Iredale exhibited a species of Marginella (sensu lato) procured by Dr. N. Annandale, Director of the Zoological Survey of India, in fresh water in the Tale Sap, Siam, apparently the first record of such an occurrence. The Linnean Society exhibited copies of the two editions of Pulteney's "Catalogues" in connexion with Mr. Woodward's paper.

### ORDINARY MEETING.

# FRIDAY, 13TH APRIL, 1917.

The Rev. Dr. A. H. COOKE, M.A., F.Z.S., Vice-President, in the Chair. The following communications were read:—

1. "The Radula of the genus Euthria." By the Rev. Dr. A. H. Cooke, M.A., F.Z.S.

2. "The generic position of Northia." By the Rev. Dr. A. H. Cooke, M.A., F.Z.S.

3. "Molluscan Notes, III." By H. C. Fulton.

4. "Description of a new species of *Trichodiscina* from Colombia." By H. C. Fulton.

5. "Description of a new species of Vivipara, from Siam." By

H. C. Fulton.

6. "More Molluscan name-changes, generic and specific." By Tom Iredale.

Mr. Alexander Reynell exhibited a plate from the article "Conchology" in Cyclopædia Londinensis, 1802, and "A System of Conchology", by T. Lloyd, from A New Royal Encyclopædia, by W. Henry Hall, the plates of which were dated 1791. There were no plates of Conchology. This is probably the earliest Cyclopædian article on Conchology.



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