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Provincial Museum, Oct. 8th, 1873.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

J. M. JONES, ESQ., *President, in the Chair.*
Inter Alia.

THE following officers were elected by ballot:

COUNCIL.

President—J. BERNARD GILPIN, Esq., M. D., M. R. C. S.

Vice Presidents—J. M. JONES, Esq., F. L. S., and JAMES R. DEWOLF, Esq., M. D., L. R. C. S. E.

Secretaries—Rev. D. HONEYMAN, D. C. L., F. G. S., &c., and ANGUS ROSS, Esq.

Treasurer—W. C. SILVER, Esq.

Prof. G. LAWSON, Ph. D., L. L. D., Rev. Dr. WARREN, WM. GOSSIP, Esq., Sheriff BELL, R. MORROW, Esq., FRED. ALLISON, Esq., AUGUSTUS ALLISON, Esq.

ORDINARY MEETING, NOVEMBER 9, 1873.

DR. GILPIN, *President in the Chair.*
Inter Alia.

The President read a paper "*On the Orthogoriscus Mola, (Sun-fish) caught in Halifax Harbour.*"

Dr. HONEYMAN read a paper "*On Nova Scotian Geology.*" *Intercolonial Railway.*"

ORDINARY MEETING, DEC. 9, 1873.

DR. GILPIN, *Pres., in the Chair.*
Inter Alia.

The SECRETARY announced that the Rev. A. BROWN and W. HENRY WADDELL, who had been proposed as members at last meeting had been duly elected by the Council.

Mr. A. Ross, the Secretary, read a paper by Mr. Edwin Gilpin, M. E., "On the Carboniferous District of St. George's Bay, Newfoundland."

Dr. A. P. REID read a paper "Agriculture allied to Chemistry."

The PRESIDENT announced that the Council had decided to hold a *Conversazione* sometime during next February.

ORDINARY MEETING, JANUARY 12, 1874.

Dr. GILPIN, *Pres. in the Chair.*

Inter alia.

Dr. LAWSON read a paper "On Canadian Species of Rubi and their Geographical Distribution."

Mr. A. Ross read a paper "On Dr. Girards' views on the Structure of the Fibrune of the Blood."

ORDINARY MEETING, MARCH 9, 1874.

Dr. GILPIN, *Pres., in the Chair.*

Inter Alia.

The SECRETARY intimated that the following gentlemen proposed as members at the last Ordinary Meeting had been elected by the Council, *viz*: Messrs. C. F. FRASER, MAYNARD BOWMAN, G. R. FRITH, SAWERS STIRLING, ROBERT BRUNTON, Rev. J. B. UNIACKE.

Mr. FREDERICK ALLISON read a paper "On Storm Signals."

The PRESIDENT read a paper "On Seals."

ORDINARY MEETING, APRIL 13, 1874.

Dr. GILPIN, *Pres., in the Chair.*

Inter Alia.

The SECRETARY intimated that the following gentlemen proposed as members at the last Ordinary Meeting had been elected by the Council: Messrs. D. H. PITTS, AYLWIN CREIGHTON, HENRY COLFORD, G. P. BLACK, J. W. MARLING, JONSTON HUNT.

Dr. HONEYMAN read a paper "On Nova Scotia Geology." *Cobequid Mountains, &c.*

ORDINARY MEETING, MAY 11, 1874.

Dr. GILPIN, *Pres., in the Chair.*

Inter Alia.

Mr. ANGNS ROSS, read a paper "On Evolution."

Mr. ROBERT MORROW read a paper "Early Notices of the Esquimaux."

D. HONEYMAN.

Secretary.