

## First Ordinary General Meeting

The First Ordinary General Meeting of the National Institute of Sciences of India was held in the rooms of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, 1, Park Street, Calcutta, at 11 A.M. on the 8th January, 1935. The following 37 Fellows were present and signed the Obligation Form :—

Prof. S. P. Agharkar  
Prof. P. R. Awati  
Prof. A. C. Banerji  
Mr. T. P. Bhaskar Shastri  
Prof. D. M. Bose  
Sir U. N. Brahmachari  
Mr. B. C. Burt  
Mr. C. C. Calder  
Dr. H. Chaudhuri  
Brigadier H. J. Couchman  
Mr. P. Evans  
Dr. L. L. Fermor  
Dr. C. S. Fox  
Prof. J. C. Ghosh  
Dr. S. L. Hora  
Dr. J. H. Hutton  
Rao Bahadur L. K. A. Iyer  
Dr. K. S. Krishnan

Prof. S. K. Mitra  
Prof. P. C. Mitter  
Prof. J. N. Mukherjee  
Col. A. Olver  
Prof. Ganesh Prasad  
Dr. Bains Prashad  
Dr. H. S. Pruthi  
Prof. M. Qureshi  
Rai Bahadur S. C. Roy  
Prof. M. N. Saha  
Prof. B. Sahni  
Principal B. M. Sen  
Prof. H. K. Sen  
Prof. N. R. Sen  
Dr. F. J. F. Shaw  
Prof. B. K. Singh  
Mr. D. N. Wadia  
Mr. F. Ware

Mr. W. D. West.

The result of the ballot for the election of the Council of the National Institute was announced. Prof. B. Sahni was elected Vice-President in the vacancy caused by the death of Prof. S. R. Kashyap.

The names of the representatives of the co-operating academies and of the Indian Science Congress Association on the Council were announced.

A full list of the Council is given on pp. 27-29.

Presents to the Institute were announced.

The following papers were read :—

(i) 'Synopsis of the Pre-Vindhyan Geology of Rajputana' by Dr. A. M. Heron, D.Sc., F.R.S.E.

(ii) 'Physiology, Bionomics, and Evolution of the air-breathing fishes of India' by Dr. S. L. Hora, D.Sc., F.R.S.E., F.A.S.B.

(iii) 'Problems of the Solar Corona' by Prof. M. N. Saha, D.Sc., F.R.S., F.A.S.B.

(iv) 'Ionospheric Height measurements at Allahabad' by Mr. G. R. Toshniwal (communicated by Prof. M. N. Saha).

(v) 'On the Electron Theory of Metals' by Dr. R. C. Majumdar, Ph.D., University of Lahore (communicated by Prof. M. N. Saha).

(vi) 'On Symmetrical Space with minimum rate of expansion' by Prof. N. R. Sen.

(vii) 'New facts regarding infection of Citrus Colletotrichum gleosporoides' by Dr. H. Chaudhuri, Lahore.

(viii) 'Synthetic Enzyme' by Prof. H. K. Sen and Mr. Sobhanlal Banerji.

(ix) 'On the question of the Expansibility of Zero in series of Legendre functions having non-integral parameters' by Prof. Ganesh Prasad.

(x) 'On the Cataphoretic speed and Inorganic Colloids' by Prof. J. N. Mukherjee, Mr. S. G. Chaudhuri, and Mr. B. N. Ghosh.

(xi) 'Mon and Munda in India and beyond' by Dr. J. H. Hutton, C.I.E., D.Sc., I.C.S.

With a vote of thanks to the chair the meeting terminated.