

Ninth Ordinary General Meeting.

The Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of the National Institute of Sciences of India was held from 11 A.M. to 12 NOON on Saturday, the 20th August, 1938, in the rooms of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal.

The following Fellows were present:—

Prof. M. N. Saha, *President*, in the chair.
Prof. S. R. Bose.
Dr. B. N. Chopra.
Dr. Gilbert J. Fowler.
Prof. J. Ghosh.
Prof. P. N. Ghosh.
Dr. B. S. Guha.
Dr. S. L. Hora.
Dr. P. Maheswari.
Prof. S. K. Mitra.
Dr. B. Prashad.
Dr. H. Srinivasa Rao.
Dr. A. C. Ukil.
Dr. A. M. Heron
Prof. S. P. Agharkar } *Honorary Secretaries.*

The Minutes of the Eighth Ordinary General Meeting were read and confirmed.

The following papers were read and discussed:—

- (1) Notes on Vredenburgite (with Devadite) and on Sitaparite. By Sir Lewis Fermor.
- (2) The Rôle of Nitrogen Compounds in the Fermentation of Fruit Juices. By Mr. N. N. Chopra.
- (3) A Biochemical Investigation of the tuberculation of water pipes. By Mr. S. C. Pillai.
- (4) On the Ionization of the Upper Atmosphere. By Prof. M. N. Saha and Mr. R. N. Rai.
- (5) Levi-Civita's Formulæ for two bodies. By Sir S. M. Sulaiman.

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