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PREFACE.

The seventh annual volume of this Society—"Proceedings and Collections for 1921"—is here presented to the members.

The valuable geological paper on "Kansas Glaciation and its Effects on the River System of Northern Pennsylvania," by Prof. Edward H. Williams, Jr., F. G. S. A., will, we are sure, attract attention and repay a careful study. To the generosity of the author we are indebted for the admirable illustrations of the article.

The Publishing Committee has, in this volume, realized a long cherished purpose in the publication of several original manuscripts from the mass of such data in the possession of the Society. Among these the "Orderly Book of Colonel Zebulon Butler, August-December, 1778," and his "Correspondence," covering the same eventful period, now made public for the first time, will prove of great value to the historian. The future annual volumes of the Society will contain other unpublished manuscript records of a local character.

The vital statistics will be examined with pleasure by the genealogist.

It is intended to keep up these three features, the Geological, Historical and the Statistical, in subsequent volumes.

The editor assumes responsibility for all errors.

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PROCEEDINGS.

Monthly Meeting, April 19, 1901,

HELD IN MEMORY OF MR. RALPH DUPUY LACOE, DECEASED.

Hon. Stanley Woodward, President, in the chair.

The following members were unanimously elected:

Resident, Messrs. Eli T. Connor, George W. Leach, Jr., Benjamin Harold Carpenter.

Honorary, Mr. David White, Paleontologist of the Smithsonian Institute.

Corresponding, Thomas Willing Balch, Esq., and Edwin Swift Balch, Esq., Philadelphia.

The Committee appointed at the annual meeting to prepare resolutions expressive of our appreciation of the life and character and work of Mr. Ralph D. Lacoe, of Pittston, Pa., recently deceased, who has been intimately and efficiently associated with this Society in every department of its work, beg leave to report as follows:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, who doeth all things well, to remove from among us by death our friend and associate, RALPH D. LACOE, therefore

Resolved, That while we recognize the hand of God in this providence, we bow submissively to His will, and we desire to put on record our appreciation of Mr. Lacoe as one who, by his strictly upright life and by his work in the interest of science, has made for himself an honored name among the distinguished men of his generation, and at the same time honored his native valley.

Resolved, That while we sympathize with his bereaved family and his fellow townsmen in Pittston, in their affliction, we rejoice with them in what Mr. Lacoe has been able to do in his quiet and unostentatious way, in the line of