

**Second Contribution to the Knowledge of the Zooecidia of Siam.** By W. M. DOCTERS VAN LEEUWEN. *Marcellia, Rivista internazionale di Cecidologia*, v. XXII, 1925.

This is a paper on a small, but interesting, collection of galls from Siam, most of which are figured. The first contribution will be found in the *Journal of the Siam Society*, Vol. XV, pt. 1.

### Proceedings of the Section.

#### 3RD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

This meeting was held in the Siam Society's rooms on Jan. 29th 1926 with Mr. E. J. Godfrey, Leader of the Section, in the chair.

Mr. Godfrey having expressed a wish to resign the leadership, Dr. Hugh M. Smith was elected in his stead.

Mr. P. R. Kemp then resigned from the position of Hon. Secretary in favour of Mr. W. R. S. Ladell.

Mr. S. G. Lambert proposed a vote of thanks to the two retiring officers, which was carried unanimously.

A discussion of the future activities of the section was productive of offers of papers from Dr. Hugh Smith, Dr. Morrison and Major Ladell.

#### 4TH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

This was held in the Society's rooms on Feb. 16th 1926, with Major W. R. S. Ladell in the chair.

Dr. Hugh Smith read a paper on "The So-called Musical Sole of Siam" before a well attended meeting, some 50 members and friends being present.

In course of his paper Dr. Smith referred to the legend of the "Musical Sole" which he proved to be a myth, the noises attributed to the sole being produced by a variety of cat fish.

Dr. Smith showed a number of interesting specimens.

#### 5TH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

This meeting was held in the Society's rooms on Aug. 13th 1926 with Dr. Hugh Smith in the chair.

Owing to the failure of the electric light the meeting had to be held with the aid of candles and a large electric torch.

Dr. Morrison showed a walking perch. Dr. Hugh Smith some paintings of fish executed by an artist in his department and Mr. A. Marcan some specimens of two new plants. Mr. Bourke read an interesting note relative to a female sambur killed by wild dogs. After this Dr. Morrison gave a lecture on "Animal Light and the Synchronous Flashing of Fireflies in Siam." After a lively discussion, the proceedings closed with a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Morrison.