

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIFTY-FIFTH MEETING.

HELD in the Tempest Anderson Hall of the Yorkshire Philosophical Society, York, on Wednesday, October 18th, 1922, at 3.0 p.m., the President, Prof. W. E. S. TURNER, D.Sc., in the Chair.

The PRESIDENT reported that Mr. Harry J. Powell was prevented by illness from being present and giving his paper entitled "Modern Developments in the Making of Stained and Painted Glass." In spite of his illness, Mr. Powell sent his paper to the Dean of York so as to be available at the meeting, and an abstract of it was read by Mr. F. E. Lamplough, M.A.

The SECRETARY was instructed to send Mr. Powell a message of sympathy from the Society, and its best wishes for his speedy recovery.

The death of Mr. ALFRED WILSON, of Doxey, near Stafford, was recorded with regret.

A vote of thanks was accorded to the Very Reverend WILLIAM FOXLEY NORRIS, D.D., Dean of York, for the courtesy he had extended to the members of the Society who inspected the windows of the Minster under his guidance during the forenoon.

A vote of thanks was also accorded to the Yorkshire Philosophical Society for providing accommodation for the Society's meetings, and to Dr. W. E. COLLINGE, Keeper of the Yorkshire Museum, for his courtesy during the forenoon in showing members the Roman remains, Roman glass, and other objects of interest under his charge.

The PRESIDENT directed the attention of members to the "Roll of Members" and to the "Suggestion Book." Both books were passed round during the meeting.

A paper, illustrated by specimens and lantern slides, was read by Mr. JOHN A. KNOWLES, entitled "Processes and Methods of the Mediæval Glass Painters."

A discussion followed to which there contributed the President, Messrs. F. W. Branson, Donald Robertson, T. Robertson, and F. E. Lamplough. Mr. Knowles replied.

Votes of thanks were accorded to the authors of the papers presented to the meeting.

The following were elected members :—

(a) Collective Member.

Messrs. Kavalier Glassworks, Sazava, Czechoslovakia.

(b) Ordinary Members.

1. Rama Charan, B.Sc. Student, Department of Glass Technology, the University, Sheffield.
2. Walter Cox. *President*, Messrs. Pennsylvania Wire Glass Co., 914, Pennsylvania Building, Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.A.
3. Kurd Endell, Dr.Phil. *Professor of Ceramic Engineering*, Technische Hochschule, Charlottenburg, Berlin.
4. Harold Victor Ernest Melville Renn. *Superintendent of Graduating and Testing Departments*, Messrs. Duroglass, Ltd., Walthamstow, London, E. 17.
5. Georges Roque. *Engineer*, c/o Messrs. Verreries Souchon, Neuvesel, Givors, Rhône, France.
6. Victor Sauvageon. c/o Messrs. Société du Verre Electrique, 7, Rue de Péetrograd, Paris.