

Astronomical Society of South Africa (Cape Centre)
Twenty-Fifth Session.

Minutes of Eighth Ordinary Meeting held at Yorkshire House, 38 Grand Street, Cape Town on Wednesday the 21st June at 8.15 P.M. Mr. Schonegevel was in the Chair. The attendance was poor.

The Minutes of Ordinary Meeting held on the 17th May 1939, were read and confirmed.

Mr. R. Lacks, of 69 Main Road, Moutray, Mr. Dr. Jackson, rec. Mr. Turner, whose name had been considered and passed by the Committee, was unanimously elected a Member of the Centre.

No further nominations were received.

A card received by the Hon. Secretary notifying the change of address of Mr. H. M. Dawsett, was read to the meeting. The Committee of the Centre had no knowledge of the gentleman mentioned.

The Hon. Secretary informed members that Canon E. B. Ford had written to request the co-operation of ~~any~~ members in the observation of Mars, which was approaching the Earth.

A paper written by Mr. D. G. McIntyre, on "Comets in old Cape Records", was read to the meeting by Mr. Turner and the Hon. Secretary.

At the conclusion of the reading, Dr. Jackson moved that the Hon. Secretary be instructed to convey to Mr. McIntyre the thanks and appreciation of the meeting. The motion was passed with acclamation.

Mr. Schonegevel read a paper written by Mr. H. E. Houghton, M.B.E., on "Who's Who in the Moon". The Secretary was instructed to convey the thanks of members to Mr. Houghton for his interesting paper.

The Chairman announced that Mr. Hirst

read ^{for} ~~at~~ the July meeting.

This concluded the business for the evening.

H. W. Schoneveld

Vice Pres. Chairman

23 Aug 1939.

Committee Meeting.

At a meeting of the Cape Centre Committee held at 38 Strand St., Cape Town at 8 P.M. on the 21st June 1939, the name of Mr. R. Lacks, 69 Main Rd, Moubray, pro. Dr. Jackson, sec. Mr. Turner, was considered and passed for election.

H. W. Schoneveld

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