The Section met in the Grill-room of the Biltmore Hotel with R. P. Bledsoe, Chairman, R. W. Hamilton, Vice-chairman, and P. H. Kime, Secretary.

The following program was presented:


4. The Concentration of Phosphorus in the Soil Solution and Its Relation to Plant Growth, F. W. Parker, Alabama Experiment Station, Auburn, Ala.

5. Some Factors which will Materially affect the Profitableness of the Production of Cotton in the South in 1927, C. B. Williams, North Carolina Experiment Station, Raleigh, N. C.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on soils and fertilizers did not submit a report.

The report of the crops committee was read by J. F. O'Kelley and adopted by the section.

The following committees were appointed:

Nominating Committee: R. Y. Winters, Chairman, North Carolina; F. W. Parker, Alabama; and J. F. O'Kelley, Mississippi.

A committee was also appointed to meet with a delegation from the Dairy Section to consider holding a joint session of the two groups at the 1928 meeting. This Committee was as follows: M. J. Puches, Alabama, Chairman; C. E. Chambliss, Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture; and Paul Tabor, Georgia.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2:00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Bledsoe and the following program presented:

1. Cotton Research at the Southern Agricultural Experiment Stations, H. M. Steece, Office of Experiment Stations, Washington, D. C.


This subject was also discussed by G. W. Forster, North Carolina State College, and J. R. Pain of the Georgia State College of Agriculture. Mr. Pain's paper was read by Mr. E. C. Westbrook of Georgia.


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