MINUTES FOR THE BUSINESS MEETING OF
THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SOIL SURVEY WORKERS.

Held at the Geology Building,
University of Chicago,
November 20, 1920.

1. Meeting called to order by President A. R. Whitson.
2. Minutes of meeting of February 7, 1920, read and approved.
3. Reports of Secretary—Treasurer read and accepted.

Report of Secretary.

The Association was organized at the meeting in Chicago on February 6 and 7, 1920. On February 23, letters were sent out by the secretary to 24 states cooperating with the Bureau, asking for the names of all those engaged in Soil Survey work. On April 24, 110 letters were sent out to Soil Survey people in various parts of the United States acquainting them with the new organization and inviting membership. On October 12, 154 letters were sent out announcing the present meeting and also soliciting new members. Thirteen of these letters went to Canada.

As a result of the membership campaign which has been carried on to date, we have secured a total of 55 members. These represent fourteen states, the United States Bureau of Soils, Washington, D. C., and Canada.

Report of the Treasurer.

Receipts:
55 members, fees, $3; total, $165. Expenditures, $7.20.
Amount on hand November 18, 1920, $157.80

4. Election of officers. A nominating and steering committee previously appointed, consisted of M. F. Miller, C. F. Marbut and M. M. McCool, and their report was rendered in two parts. Part 1 covered general recommendations regarding the policy of the Association, and Part 2 covered the nomination of officers.