The report of this committee is in two parts, dealing with terminology and nomenclature. At the last meeting of the Association in Chicago, November 1927, Dr. R. S. Smith of Illinois raised a question regarding the proper designation of the material beneath the B horizon, and presented evidence showing considerable variation in what has been designated as horizon C. By motion of the Association this problem was made the first order of business of our committee at this meeting. Dr. Smith and his associates have prepared their evidence and will lay it before you. C. F. Shaw has a brief discussion of these papers and suggestions regarding the designation of this horizon.

The second part of the committee report consists of a brief discussion of the soil series names by Chas. F. Shaw, accompanied by a list of 1534 names of soil series already recognized and established in the soil surveys of the world. He is also presenting a resolution requesting the publication of soil series descriptions.

Your committee has been active throughout the year. We trust you approve of our efforts and find the product thereof useful.

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