

OBITUARIES

JAMES STEWART HINE.*

Professor James Stewart Hine, Curator of the Division of Natural History of the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Museum, and a recent President of this Academy, died December 22, 1930. His death was due to an acute heart attack and occurred in his home while he, his children and the neighbor children were making preparations for Christmas. Professor Hine had always enjoyed robust health. His taking away was without warning.

Professor Hine was born at Wauseon, Ohio, June 13, 1866, was raised on a farm and worked his way through Ohio State University, where he received the B. S. degree in 1893. From this time to his death his activities were centered on the University Campus, first on the faculty of Ohio State University, and in his later years at the Archaeological Museum. He was Assistant in Horticulture, 1894, and from 1895 to 1899 he was Assistant in Entomology, from 1899 to 1902, Assistant Professor of Zoology and Entomology, and from 1902 to 1925, Associate Professor of Entomology. In 1925 the Ohio State Archaeological Museum decided to develop a Division of Ohio Natural History which could co-operate with the state high schools and Professor Hine, because of his wide knowledge of the state fauna, was asked to organize the division. During 1925-1927 he devoted half his time to teaching and half to the organization of the Division of Natural History. From 1927 till his death, 1930, he devoted full time to the latter position.

Professor Hine was essentially a field and museum man. He was familiar with every region of Ohio and had made many trips farther afield, to the Gulf Coast, 1903; Central America, 1905; California, Arizona and Mexico, 1907; two trips to Alaska, 1917 and 1919, and to Florida and Cuba, 1923. He spent the year 1922-23 studying in the Zoological Museum of the University of Michigan and August of 1925 in the British

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Museum, besides other shorter trips at times to various American collections.

Besides his interest in insects, Professor Hine was a charter member of the O. S. U. Biological Club, he organized the first Wheaton Club and was President of the second Wheaton Club. He had been President of the Ohio Beekeepers Association and recently (1929) President of the Ohio Academy of Science. In the following articles will be found further details of his scientific work:

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