## THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY.

XX.-PROCEEDINGS.

Regular Meeting held May 6th, 1880.

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 P.M. Dr. A. R. LEEDS in the chair.

In the absence of a quorum the regular business of the Society was deferred.

The Recording Secretary read a paper by Mr. LUCIUS PITKIN:

1. On "Some New Chlorobromoplatinates of Potassium."

In discussing Mr. PITKIN'S paper, Dr. H. ENDEMANN suggested that the compounds described were probably not chemical individuals, but mixtures of isomorphous salts.

The following papers were then read by their authors:

2. "On the Substituted Tolyl Compounds," by JAS. H. STEB-BINS, Jr., S.B.

3. "On a New Sulpho Acid of Phenanthrene," by Dr. HENRY MORTON and WILLIAM E. GEYER.

4. "On the Action of Water and Argentic Hydrate on Benzine Hexachloride, and Naphthalene Tetrachloride," by Drs. LEEDS and EVERHART.

5. "Notice of the Discovery of Norwegium in American Lead," by Dr. PROCHAZKA.

Fourteen members only being present, no regular business was transacted, and the meeting adjourned.

ARTHUR H. ELLIOTT,

Recording Secretary.