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In Memoriam
Stephen Alfred Forbes
1844-1930

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Services for

Stephen Alfred Forbes, Ph.D., LL.D.

Chief, State Natural History Survey

Professor of Entomology, Emeritus

University of Illinois

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Sunday, March 16, 1930

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Urbana, Illinois

Stephen Alfred Forbes

Chronology

Born at Silver Creek, Stephenson County, Ill., May 29,
1844.

Attended the district school from school age to the age
of 14.

1858-60, studied at home, under brother's instruction.

1860, attended Beloit Academy.

1861-5, soldier, U. S. Army.

1866-7, attended Rush Medical College.

1867, raised strawberries at Carbondale, Ill.

1867-9, studied and practiced medicine under a preceptor
at Makanda, Ill.

1868-70, taught school and studied science at Makanda,
Ill.

1870-1, taught school and studied science at Benton, Ill.

1871, studied at Illinois State Normal University.

1871-2, taught school and studied science at Mount
Vernon, Ill.

1872-7, curator, museum of the Illinois State Natural
History Society, at Normal, Ill.

1875-8, instructor in zoology, Illinois State Normal Uni-
versity.

1877, founded, and to 1917, Director, Illinois State Labo-
ratory of Natural History.

1882-1917, State Entomologist of Illinois.

1884, Ph.D., University of Indiana.

1884-1909, professor of zoology and entomology, Uni-
versity of Illinois.

1886, awarded first-class medal of the Société d'Acclima-
tation de France, for scientific publications.

1888-1905, Dean, College of Science, University of Illinois.

1891-2, biological expeditions, Rocky Mountains, U. S.
Fish Commission.

1893, special agent, U. S. Fish Commission; Director of
the Aquarium, World's Columbian Exposition;

Chairman, International Congress of Zoologists;
President, American Association of Economic Entomologists; also prepared natural history exhibit of Illinois for Columbian Exposition.

1894, established Illinois Biological Station.

1901-7, President, National Society of Horticultural Inspectors.

1905, LL.D., University of Illinois.

1908, President, Illinois Academy of Science; American Association of Economic Entomologists.

1909-21, professor of entomology, University of Illinois.

1912, President, Entomological Society of America.

1917-30, Chief, State Natural History Survey.

1921, President, Ecological Society of America. Honorary member, American Ornithologist's Union; International Congresses of Entomology; corresponding member, Academy of Natural Science of Philadelphia; American Entomological Society; member, National Academy of Sciences, American Philosophical Society, American Society of Naturalists, Société Entomologique de France, Loyal Legion, Sons of the American Revolution.

Died at Urbana, Ill., March 13, 1930.