The irregular shape of the tergum, exceptionally convex, occludent and concave, carinal margin, and unusual angulation of the scutal margin are sufficiently unusual features to insure recognition of the species, although the tergum is generally one of the less satisfactory plates for description. The discovery of the carina will be looked for with interest, as the position of the species in the genus cannot be predicated without a knowledge of that valve.

The species is respectfully dedicated to the Rev. Leander Trowbridge Chamberlain, D. D., whose liberal and enlightened interest in the "Lea Collection of Eocene Mollusca" must be regarded as one of the important factors in the present revival of the study of American tertiary paleontology.

A single scutum of *Balanus* was collected by Mr. Johnson from the Eocene of Black Shoals, Brazos River, Texas. It is somewhat worn, and the species remains doubtful until further remains come to light.

SEPTEMBER 21.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M. D., in the Chair.

Twenty-seven persons present.

SEPTEMBER 28.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M. D., in the Chair.

Twenty persons present.

The death of Johannes Japetus Smith Steenstrup, a Correspondent, June 20, 1897, was announced.

The following were elected members:—

Thomas H. Conarroe, M. D., G. A. Mueller and Mrs. Catherine Mueller.

The following was ordered to be printed:—

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