PROCEEDINGS OF THE TWENTY-THIRD MEETING.

Held in the Physics Lecture Theatre, The University, Western Bank, Sheffield, at 3.0 p.m. on Wednesday, February 19th, Mr. J. Connolly occupying the Chair in the absence of the President.

The following papers were communicated, the first and third being read by Dr. Turner, the second being taken as read:—

- "The Properties of the Lime-Soda Glasses. II. The Resistance to Water and other Reagents," by J. D. Cauwood, M.Sc., Constance M. Muirhead, B.Sc., and W. E. S. Turner, D.Sc.
- "Note on a German Fireclay Tank Block," by W. E. S. Turner, D.Sc.
- "The Properties of the Lime-Soda Glasses. III. The Thermal Expansions," by S. English, M.Sc., and W. E. S. Turner, D.Sc.

Prof. P. G. H. Boswell gave an account of his visit of inspection of the sand, clay, and glass industries of the United States at the end of 1918.

During the morning a visit was paid, at the kind invitation of the Directors, to the works of Messrs. Beatson Clark and Co., Ltd., Rotherham. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the firm for the privilege extended.

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