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ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE
ROYAL SOCIETY

By Sir WILLIAM BRAGG
DIRECTOR OF THE ROYAL INSTITUTION

According to our honored custom I preface this
annual address by references to those of our fellows
whom death has taken from us during the past year.
The past year has included many events which might
well be mentioned in this annual address. One of them
has, however, elbowed out most of the rest. The two
numbers of Notes and Records which have begun a new
enterprise contain interesting and informative accounts
of our doings since last November. I believe that
fellows have appreciated this social and intimate addi-
tion to the publications of the society, and that they
will join with me in an expression of our gratitude to
the officers who have produced it, and especially to the
one who has on this, as on so many occasions, taken
the lion’s share of the work. The doings of the society

1 Given at the anniversary meeting on November 30,
1938. The address also contained obituary appreciations
of the fellows who died during the year.