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VICE-PRESIDENT TRELEASE's address on 'Some Twentieth Century Problems' was given in the large botanic laboratory in Schermerhorn Hall, on Monday, June 25th, at 3 p. m. (Published in SCIENCE, 12 : 48, 1900.) On the following day and on the 29th, regular sessions were held for the reading of papers after the customary manner, and a list with some abstracts is given below.

The Torrey Botanical Club gave, by invitation, a special memorial program in honor of Dr. John Torrey, in the Museum of the New York Botanical Garden, on Wednesday, June 27th. The principal features of the day were :

'Reminiscences of Dr. Torrey' : DR. T. C. PORTEB.
'Work of Dr. Torrey as a botanist' : DR. N. L. BRITTON.

'Historical sketch of the development of botany in New York City' : DR. T. F. ALLEN.

'Comment on the earlier botanical history of New York' : JUDGE ADDISON BROWN.

'Work of the Torrey Botanical Club' : SECRETARY E. S. BURGESS.

Comments and reminiscences : PROFESSOR PECK, PROFESSOR MACLOSIE, PROFESSOR BEAL and DR. T. F. ALLEN. A communication from JAS. HYATT was also read. These papers will be published in the *Bulletin of the Torrey Botanical Club*.

The sectional committee had concluded arrangements with the Council of the Botanical Society of America by which the pro-