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On page 32 appears a resolution on the death of Arthur J. Weed. Copies of this resolution were sent to Mr. Weed's family and to the President of the University of Virginia.

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The paper describes the various phenomena of plastic flow under shearing stress at confining pressures up to 50,000 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>.

- Brown, G. A., Hazen, H. L., and Jaeger, J. J., "An Automatic Curve Follower." See No. 3301 of this list.
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  - (3) INOUYE, Win, "Simple Instruments Indicating Seismic Intensity," Vol. 5, 750-759, 1933. (39, 189).
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The reports are entirely in Japanese except for a series of English titles as follows:—

- "Seismometrical Report on the Formosa Earthquake of April 21, 1935, Observed at Hongo, Tokyo."
- (2) "Field Investigations."
- (3) "Statistics of Damages."
- (4) "Results of the Re-triangulation and Re-levelling in the Region Affected by the Earthquake."
- (5) "The After-shocks of August 17, 1935."
- (6) "Maps and Photographs."

The maps and photographs are exceptionally well reproduced. There are 21 maps in addition to an index map, and 242 photographs. The titles descriptive of the photographs are in English as well as in Japanese.

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The article describes the methods used by the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey to measure depth. The source of sound used is an explosion. Recording is done on receivers placed sometimes as much as 45 miles distant from the blast.

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  - (1) "Cisterns Store Water for Fires Where Earthquakes Menace Mains," No. 7, 223-224, Aug. 13.

San Francisco has built a system of underground storages distributed throughout the city. Cisterns are located at street intersections. They have a capacity of 75,000 gal. and cost \$6,000. Pipe connections are omitted for safety.

(2) "Unsafe Dam Design," No. 19, p. 656, Nov. 5.

See also the article in the same issue, pp. 644-647, by Fred D. Pyle, entitled, "Hodges Dam Strengthened." The editorial and the article refer briefly to the need for special precautions in the design of dams in seismic regions.

(3) "Earthquakes," No. 13, 452-453, Sept. 24.

A review of two publications by N. H. Heck listed in this issue of the Bibliography as Nos. 3302 (2) and 3303.

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Refers to the need for simple and effective design procedure to ensure safe construction in earthquake regions.

- Ewing, Maurice, Crary, A. P., and Rutherford, H. M., "Geophysical Investigations in the Emerged and Submerged Atlantic Coastal Plain: Part I—Methods and Results" (abstract). See No. 3289 of this list. Part II of this paper is listed under Miller.
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- --- Field, R. M., "Role of Geophysics in Submarine Geology" (abstract). See No. 3289 of this list.
- Gebhardt, R. E., "Improvements in Strong-motion Seismographic Equipment." See pp. 84-85 (3 fig.) of the Trans. A.G.U., reported as No. 3269 of this list.
- 3289. Geological Society of America, "Proceedings of the Geological Society of America for 1935," 483 pp., New York, 1936.

The first 136 pages are devoted to a report on the New York meeting of Dec. 26-28, 1935. Abstracts of papers of interest to seismologists are noted in the present issue of the *Bibliography* under the names of authors as follows: Bain, Daly, Ewing (Crary and Rutherford), Field, Goldthwait, Griggs, Leith and Sharpe, Miller, Shepard, Stetson, Willis.

Pages 323-354 present the *Proceedings of the Stanford Meeting of the Cordilleran Section*, Apr. 12-13, 1935. Abstracts of papers of interest to seismologists are noted in this list under the authors' names as follows: Gutenberg and Buwalda, Jenkins, Willis.

The Proceedings of a Joint Session of Section E of the A.A.A.S. and the Geological Society of America at Saint Louis, Dec. 30-31, 1935, are reported on pages 433-442. Papers of interest to seismologists, represented in the report by abstracts, are indicated in this list by the names of authors as follows: Heck and McComb, Hodgson.

On pages 48-53 appears on account of the presentation of the Penrose Medal to R. A. Daly. The presentation address was made by Nervin M. Fenneman. The address and the reply of Prof. Daly are reported in full.

An unusually large number of obituaries appear in the section devoted to them (pp. 157-322). One of these is the memorial to Bundjiro Koto (pp. 263-272), by T. A. Jaggar.

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- —— Goldthwait, James Walter, "Stability of Land and Sea at Salem, Massachusetts" (abstract). See No. 3289 of this list.
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It would be difficult to find a more suitable place to publish this book. E.A.H.

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- 3294. Griggs, David T., "Deformation of Rocks under High Confining Pressures," Jour. Geol., Vol. 44, No. 5, 541-577, 14 fig., bib., Chicago, July-Aug., 1936.

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- 3298. Hagiwara, Takahiro, "Report on the Work of the Earthquake Research Institute, Tokyo Imperial University, During the Years 1933-1934," Ger. Bei., Bd. 48, Heft 1, 94-108, 9 fig., bib., Leipzig, 1936.

The above is the seventh report of the series, the other six having been listed under the name of C. Tsuboi.

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The data given by the International Seismological Summary serve many highlyuseful purposes but, in the opinion of the undersigned, they do not lend themselves to analyses such as the one made by Jeffreys.

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 "Microseisms and Meteorology," Geog. Rev., Vol. 26, No. 3, p. 508, New York, July, 1936.

A brief discussion of a paper by Donald C. Bradford, published in the Bul. S.S.A. and reported in these lists as No. 3052 (2).

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This book, by the Chief of the Division of Terrestrial Magnetism and Seismology, of the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, is written for the benefit of the lay reader. The author is particularly well fitted to write the book, bringing to it not only his wide experience in the operation of his own organization in the United States and its dependencies, but also the knowledge he has gained through his international activities. The book is absolutely free from padding—every sentence conveys its part of the information.

In addition to much general descriptive material about earthquakes in general, there are detailed accounts of many particular cases. These illustrate the general theory of the nature and cause of earthquakes which the author gives.

It is but natural, as is stated in the preface, that the illustrations and descriptions should show evidences of the author's viewpoint—the United States.

The book was chosen as the Scientific Book of the Month. A careful perusal of its pages will afford an excellent general idea of the scope and nature of the study of earthquakes.

E.A.H.

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Chap. 3. NEUMANN, F., "The Analysis of Records."

Chap. 4. Byerly, P., and Dyk, H., "The Questionnaire Program for Collecting Earthquake Data."

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Chap. 7. Blume, J. A., and Jacobsen, L. S., "The Building and Ground Vibrator."

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 "Geophysical Mapping from the Air: "Its Possibilities and Advantages," Eng. Min. Jour., Vol. 136, No. 12, 609-610, New York, Dec., 1935.

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- 3305. Heiskanen, W., "The Present State of Isostasy," Travaux de l'Association de Géodésie, L'Union Géodésique et Géophysique Internationale, Tome 12, Rapports Généraux, Lisbonne, 14-25, septembre 1933, 50 pp. Paris, 1935.
- 3306. Hodgson, Ernest A., "Methods of Locating Epicentres of Earthquakes" (summary),

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- Honma, Syosaku, and Kawasumi, Hirosi, "On a Problem Concerning the Internal Structure of the Earth as Discussed from the Time-Distance Curve of the Formosa Earthquake of April 20, 1935." See No. 3316 of this list.

3307. INNES, John R., "Flash Spotters and Sound Rangers: How They Lived, Worked, and Fought in the Great War," George Allen and Unwin, Ltd., 308 pp. Price \$2.50. London, 1936.

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