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COMETS.

Mr JOHN MILNE, schoolmaster, King-Edward, read an interesting and exhaustive paper on Comets and Meteors.

Mr HORNE, in the course of some remarks, showed how, by means of the spectrum analysis, the head of at least one comet had been proved conclusively to consist of gas in an incandescent state, and that the tail of some comets shone by reflected light.

On the motion of Rev. J. W. Geddie, a cordial vote of thanks was awarded to Mr Milne.