INSTITUTE NOTES

The Annual General Meeting, which was postponed indefinitely in July, will be held on Tuesday, November 21st, at 4.15 p.m., at 14 Gordon Square, W.C.1. On this occasion it will be a formal meeting only.

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- (5) Encourages research in Philosophy.

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