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A JUBILEE MEDLEY.

[IN A JUBILEE POET]

On a jubilee stile sat a jucobee youth
With a jubilee pipe in his jubilee mouth
On his jul itse back was a jub los cost
And a jubilee collar round his jubilee throat
Both bought at Walker's Weekly Payment Store,
Where Moreland has Jubilee goods galore.

Let Canada's sons and daughters pray
That long may our Queen her sceptre sway
Then let us quickly while we can,
With Walker's new instalment plan,
Provide each comfort while we may—
All bills we'll find not hard to pay

Men and women, young and old!
Oh you've heard of Pension's gold—
Regarding this a new song we'll sing,
Ere evening dawns a pleasant bring
Leave your orders soft serpents and all
At Walker's Weekly Payment Store call
Now Clothing he has, also Curtains in lace
Dry Goods of all kinds for every face

Notions, the pride of the sea,
A world offers homage to thee,
Thy mandates make heroes assemble,
Thy banners make tyranny tremble,
No terror's words can wan Canada's love,
Strengthened and assisted from above
Walker offers to all this Jubilee year
Bargains you will be surprised to hear
Now let the patriots round be seen
Laughing about 'God save the Queen.'

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and the public in general that he is
always prepared to make exchanges
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Canadian Philatelic Association.

The formation of an association of
active philatelists in Canada has for
years been the main desire of many
ardent collectors With this object
in view an organizing committee
has been formed, who are preparing
a draft of a constitution and by
cordially invite all Canadian phila-
telists to join with them and assist
in making the new Association a
grand success as won as sufficient
names have been secured an election
of officers will be held which will be
similar to the A P A with the ex
ception that it is proposed to have
a Vice President in each province
Collectors will have the benefit of a
good exchange bureau, purchasing
department, counterfeit detector,
etc The following are the views of
a few of our principal philatelists
received by the Secretary protem,
Mr Jno H Hooper, of this city

"I am glad that the formation of
a Canadian society has been under
taken It is a move in the right
direction, and it has often been a
matter of surprise and regret to me
that we did not have such an organ
ization in the Dominion Long live
the C P A"—F J Granny Brant
ford, Ont

"I am in hearty sympathy with
such a scheme Think we should
have an exchange bureau and per
chasing dept Will do all I can to
assist'—J A LEIGHTON, Orange-
ville, Ont

"I will be able to secure several
members for the C P A Have
written to several collectors on the
subject Would suggest a Vice
President for each province, with a
See Treas at Ottawa, the latter
place to be headquarters, also that
foreign collectors and dealers be
admitted as honorary members on
payment of small fee."—H F KARTU-
SON, Belleville, Can

"I wish the C P A success, as it
is much needed here in Canada
Collectors seem to be somewhat
scattered, and this will help to draw
them closer together."—R F McC
RAE, Montreal, Que.

"I shall do all in my power to
push the scheme along Will en-
deavor to get all I can to join."—
J C NISSEN, Toronto.

"I desire to join the C P A."—
N E CARTER, Delevan, Wis.

"I do not suppose the C P A is
intended for Canadian philatelists
only I would be pleased to join."—
KARL C MISER, Hoosick Falls, N Y.

"I believe that a Canadian phila-
telic society if properly organized
and centrally located with branches
would be a useful institution Such
a society ought to do good in the
matter of postal reform beside facili-
tating exchanges"—HENRY HECK
LER, Halifax, N S.

"I shall be most happy to become
a member of the C P A, and to
render you all assistance in my
power to further the work of organ
izing, and wish it every success."—
HENRY S. HARTZ, Petitcodiac, N B.

"Would like to become a member
of the C P A."—GEO. H HARRISON,
London, Ont.

"I heartily approve the end you
have in view and hope it will meet
with every success. I will do all I
can to forward the organization, as
we Canadian collectors have long
needed an exchange bureau"—J H.
TODD, Brandon, Man

The organizing committee have
placed the initiatory dues at 25 cts.
which will entitle to vote and full
membership in the C P A to Jan
1, 1888. Foreign and U S phila
telists pay a fee of 50 cts, and par-
ticipate in all privileges of honorary
members, except in voting This
small fee will be amply to pay all
current expenses and cost of election
The members will decide by vote
what fee and dues will be charged
from Jan. 1 next. The officers will
be elected to act until Dec. 31, 1888.

Reports are expected from the
Maritime provinces shortly, and it
is confidently hoped that our friends
down by the sea will heartily co
operate as they have a large num
ber of five philatelists in that sec-
tion. Halifax, has two or three
philatelic journals, either one of
which would be creditable as the
official organ of the C P A We
hope all who take an interest in
philately or any of its branches will
send in their names to the secretary,
Mr Jno. R Hooper, Ottawa, Ont.
who will gladly answer all questions
concerning the proposed Ass'n.

Society, etc

Speaker Ouimet leaves for Eng
land shortly

Sir David and Lady Macpherson
are at Hamburg

Hon G A Kirkpatrick goes to
Wimbledon, Eng

Judge and Mrs. Ardagh have been
visiting friends in the city.

Rev J A. Lobb, of Acadia
Mines, N S, gave us a friendly call

The Queen, London Truth says,
will make a big total of Jubilee
Peers.

Mr W Edgar Buck is spending
his holidays at his old home in Long
gland

The Ottawa school children are
getting three thousand Jubilee medals
from Toronto.

Rev. W T Herridge and Mrs.
Herridge will view the classic beau-
ty of Scotland

Mr J W Kidd, a graduate of
Queen's, has commenced the study
of law in the Capital.

Mrs Chisholm attended the con-
vention of the W. C. T. U at
Farmersville on the 13th.

Lady Macdonald has done the hon
ors of entertaining our legislators
well during the past session.

The Prince of Wales is called
"The Great Chief without a scalp"
by the Wild West Show Indians.

Dr. H. G. Grant, of this city, has
been appointed a surgeon on one of
the British India Co's steamers

Hon Mr. Kirkpatrick and Del
ton McCarthy, M P, are spoken
of as possible Cabinet Ministers.

Mr H. G Hopkins, lately pri-
vate secretary to P A Alexander
Campbell, is now an inspector at
Stratford

The Queen has approved of the
appointment of Mr. Nhol. Kingsmill
as consul for the Argentine Repub-
lic in Canada.

Sir Adolphe and Lady Caron gave
a complimentary dinner to several
Ministers of the Govt Senators
and M P s, to this week

Sir Wm Anson and Lady Vertakin
ment in honor of the Colonial con-
ference delegates, and Mr,

Lord and Lady Lansdowne have
given as many dinners at Govern-
ment House during the session as
at previous sessions of greater length

Mrs. Tilton has been elected Pre-
sident of the Ladies' Missionary So
ciety, Mrs. Grant Porell, 1st Vice
President, and Miss Yelding, secre
tary

Mrs. and Miss Hall, of Sherbroke,
Que, (wife and daughter of Mr
Hall, M P) were invited to the
State ball recently held in London,
Eng

Mr. E Miles has very kindly
presented a view of the Lansdowne
country seat in Wild "Bowood,"
to the society which bears that
name.

Major Boulton, who commanded
Boulton's Scouts during the
North West rebellion is paying a
visit to his father, Col Boulton, Co-
bourg.

The Earl of Aberdeen, lord lieu
tenant of Ireland under Gladstone,
was given a cordial reception by the
citizens of San Francisco. He will
visit Ottawa

Princess Louise founded at the
principal stall at the annual sale at
the Royal School of Art Needle-
work Princesses Christian and Vic
toria also assisted

Sir John A Macdonald will likely
leave for England soon on a trip for
the benefit of his health The ar-
duous work of the late campaign
and session he has borne well.

Mr A G Lesroys has been ap-
pointed as a probationer to the Me-
thodist Church at Billings bridge.
His father, Rev D Learoyd, is
president of the Bay of Quinte Me
thodist conference.

Col. Henry Smith, be very popu
lar sergt-at-arms of the Commons,
commands the gallant 14th Princess
of Wales Own Rifles, Kingston. We
would like to have seen his regi-
ment b are on the 1st July.

Lord Dufferin's eldest daughter
is now in England She is a fine,
handsome young woman and would
be scarcely recognizable by those
who saw her a child in the Capital
The young Earl Dufferin is in India
with a cavalry regiment.

Her Majesty's drawing room, held
by the Princess of Wales at Buck-
ingham Palace, was attended by the
following Canadian ladies, —Mrs
Jas. Fellowes, Miss Anna Fellowes,
Mrs. Cattanack (Toronto), Mrs.

Gough Arbuthnot, Prosecutions
to Her Royal Highness at this Court
were, by the Queen's pleasure, con-
sidered as equivalent to presenta-
tions to Her Majesty.

Rev W Scott is now celebrating
the Jubilee year of his ministry.
The venerable gentleman is highly
esteemed by all who know him and
we wish him many long years of
happiness. He is engaged on a new
work on "St Paul"

Her Majesty will be presented by
the loyal bootmakers of Stafford
with a Jubilee outfit of boots, one
boot per annum for every year of
her reign Twenty five pairs—of
course she will choose Balmorals
In accepting the proffered donation
the Queen has given directions that
one of her boots shall be forwarded
as a pattern

Numismatic Notes.

Chinese "cash' were first coined
about 1120 B C

Gold was first coined into money
by the Florentines in 1252

First American copper cent was
coined at New Haven in 1667

The first milled coins were minted
in 1558, in the tower of London

A new coin o be called a "Double
Florin" is to be issued from the
Royal mint, London, England, to
represent four shillings, or one fifth
of a pound, the obverse and reverse
to be the same as the florin

Queen Victoria Jubilee medals
are for sale by the Novelty Book
Co., Box 424, Ottawa, at $1 and $1.50
each, Maltese cross, 30c, Star of
India decoration and crown (fine)
only $1

Two very fine Jubilee medals
have recently been issued by the
firm of Ellis & Co, Toronto. They
are very fairly executed, and the
design good. The white medal
issues are the only mate 'al we have
seen so far.

Messrs. Mason & Co., Ingersoll,
Ont., have issued a jubilee modal,
the observe being the smaller, Ellis
& Co. issue, and the reverse "Com-
pliments of Mason & Co., Watch-
makers & Jewelers, Ingersoll.

Mr. L. J. Cassault, Library of Par-
liament, Ottawa, is an enthusiastic
numismatist and has a very large
collection of rare old medals and
coins He is constantly exchanging
and buying to enlarge his rich col
lection

Eight different copper coins for
25c, 15 varieties 50c, 22 varieties
75c, 28 varieties $1, 40 varieties
$2, 55 varieties $3, 65 for $4, 75
different dates (copper) $5 Novel-
ty Book Co, Box 424, Ottawa, Ont.

Robert McLachlan, Esq, Montreal,
is busy on the manuscript of his
supplement to his work on "Cana
dian Numismatics," it will embrace
some 500 new and old features. The
two works together will or all
the known varieties of the coins,
medals, and tokens of the land of
our adoption

A very fine side view "Id. Bank
of Montreal 1839," (two finely drilled
holes on outer edge) was recently
knocked down to a bid from Jos.
Hooper, Port Hope, at $15. This
we consider a bargain for such an
extreme rarity, as a similar speci
men was sold a short time ago to a
U. S Numismatist for $75

The Capital issued the first Jubilee
medal, on the obverse it bears the
bust of the Queen crowned with the
inscription, "Jubilee, Ottawa, 1887 '
The reverse is inscribed, " Minister
ing Children League." It is about
the size of a 25 cent piece, and worn
by about 500 children at a commo-
morative gathering held in the
capital of the Dominion.

Another event to be commemo-
rated this year, not by a jubilee but
by a quarter-centennial celebration,
is that of the Montreal Numismatic
and Antiquarian society The
members propose striking a medal
which will bear the bust of the
president on one side, and the seal
of the society on the other. It is to
be expected that this will be made
an artistic specimen of metallurgy.

We notice the sale of coins in
New York, June 27th, portion of
which were the property of the late
eminent Canadian, John T Raymond
(Col. Sellers), embracing an import-
ant collection of English coins
catalogued by Low This collection
embraces some rich and rare pieces,
a "Brasher Doubloon," also a "Ken-
tucky token," in silver. This piece
is claimed as Canadian, See "Loroux
$4 & $5."