Art Association of Montreal.

ANNUAL REPORT, 1900.

INTRODUCTION.

In presenting the report for the year ending May 31st, 1900, the Council has to congratulate the members on the satisfactory position of the Association, both with regard to the membership and the finances.

The revenue derived from the higher annual subscriptions has enabled the Finance Committee to meet the following increased expenses:—

In accordance with recent amendments to the City Charter the exemption hitherto enjoyed by the Association as an Educational Institution has been withdrawn and a taxation of \$437.50 exacted.

The building has been put in thorough repair and the Galleries have been renovated and re-decorated.

A satisfactory cash balance has nevertheless been carried forward, as shown in the Treasurer's accounts which may be found on pages 11-15.

EXHIBITIONS.

CHRISTMAS EXHIBITION.

A small exhibition of the works of local Artist was held from 16th December to January 2nd, closing with an afternoon reception. The Galleries were open free to the public. The attendance was, members 939, free visitors 405. A few sales were made.