

to await this before putting on record a list of geographic names with their preferred spellings.

The Committee has been enlarged by addition of Messrs. Aubrey White and J. C. Bailey, Toronto, and Mr. A. F. Hunter, M.A., Barrie, who have consented to act.

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All of which is respectfully submitted.

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### WORDLIST IN "A."

The following words, all spelled in at least two ways, have these forms preferred:—

abatis, \*abetter, abietin, abnormal, abridgment, absinth, absinthin, absinthol, accacin, \*accessary (sb.), accessory (adj.), acclimatize, account, accountant, accouter, acetanilid, \*acetometer, acetyl, ache, Achean, acherium, achilbein, acknowledgment, acmite, aconitin, acrolein, \*addable, addorsed, adessin, adipocere, adjudgment, adjutage, admittable, adopter (chem.), adscititious, adulteress, adulterin, advertize, advowson, adz, affecter, affeer, affiliate, afraid, \*agast, aggrandize, agister, aglet, agrarianize, aid-de-camp, aigret, aisle, alanin, alantin, \*albumen, albumenous, \*albumin, albuminous, alcaid, alchemist, alchemy, alcoholometer, Alcoran, alexipharmic, Algonkin, aline, \*alinement, alizarin, alkahest, alkali, alkalize, allege, alley (a passage), ally (a marble, alliance), allyl, almacantar, almanac, almonry, alnager, aloin, altho, alum, alumine, \*aluminium, \*amarant(h), amarant(h)in, amassment, \*ambergris, ambace, \*Ameer, amercement, \*amability (objective), \*amiability (subjective), \*amiantus, amice, amide (sb.), amidin, amine, amortize, amperometer, amphitheater, \*amygdalin, amyl, amylen, amylin, anurin, anabaptize, anacoluthon, anadem, analyze, anamirtin, ananas, anapest, anathematize, anatomize, anbury, ancestral, anchoret, anchusin, ancient, andiron, android, anemia, anemone, anemonin, anent, anesthetic, anethol, \*angiography, angiology, angiotomy, angusturin, anhydrid, anil, anile, anilid, anilin, animalize, ankle, annat,