

Death has been busy amongst us during the past year, and several old and valuable members have been removed. In July Mr. Richard Moorsom Harrison, a life member since 1845, and also an original member of the Society. At Montreal, in August, Mr. Benjamin Cole, an ordinary and also an original member, and one who during a long residence in this city took a very active and lively interest in the Society's affairs, having been President from 1857 to 1858; he had attained the good old age of 93 years and 10 months at the date of his death. Also in August, Mr. Samuel Dallimore, an ordinary member as well as one of our original members. In September Mr. William Miller, a life member since 1863, and also one who took a great interest in the affairs of the Society: in his position as Deputy-Shipping Master he frequently aided us by finding opportunities of working their passages to England for those desiring to do so. In November, Mr. Thomas Andrews, a life member since 1861, and also for a long period an active and prominent member.

Your Committee feel it incumbent upon them to bring under the notice of their successors the necessity of striking from the list of ordinary members the names of several who refuse to pay their subscriptions, provided they do not pay the amounts due upon being served with the notice provided by our by-laws.

The whole respectfully submitted.

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