

## The Canadian Philatelic Society.

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### Secretary's Report,

#### APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP.

215. H. F. Leonard, Brantford, Ont., city clerk. Ref., W. K. Hall, C. H. Fowle.

216. Rev. Montague G. Poole, Cobden, Ont., clergyman. Ref., Rev. Canon Mountain, F. W. Warteale.

217. C. P. Sutton, survivor, Box 358 St. John, New Brunswick. Ref., Frank W. Pitt, George E. Waddell.

218. D. Eberts MacIntyre, 131 Stanley St., Montreal, clerk. Ref., Hugh Millar, W. W. Brewis.

The Secy.-Treas. has nothing of particular interest to impart this month. Members are requested to pay up their annual dues which are due now as the year begins July 1st, under the new ruling, and thus save the society the expense of postage on a hundred or more letters asking for annual dues. Having run completely out of membership cards and application blanks the secretary has had to order a new supply and the cash in the treasury is at rather a low water mark.

By the new rules adopted at the late convention as the Sec.-Treas. understands it memberships run out July 1st and not Oct. 1st. This has been done to enable members to obtain complete current volumes of the official organ, which date from July 1st, without extra charge for back numbers. It also lessens the book-keeping work of the secretary-treasurer by abolishing fractions of a year, which were a source of mistakes and misunderstandings.

Although some old members will thereby pay about eight cents twice for the three months between July 1st and Oct. 1st, the welfare of the society as well as the state of the treasury calls for this trifling sacrifice on the part of our loyal members.

Therefore, brother philatelists, the Sec.-Treas. looks to you for an avalanche of quarters very soon. Thanking you in advance for what is coming to the society, he is yours,

C. H. FOWLE,

Secretary-Treasurer.

Medford, Mass., Sept. 1, 1901.

The Secretary would hereby announce that no objections have been received to the new constitution which includes change of name &c., and he has notified President Hall to that effect.

C. H. FOWLE,

Secretary-Treasurer.

Sept. 9th, 1901.

New Carlisle, Aug. 24th, 1901

#### FELLOW MEMBERS I. OF C. P.

This being my first occasion of addressing you, I shall take the opportunity now of thanking you for having elected me to the office of Auction Manager, which office I trust I may fill to your satisfaction.

What I would most earnestly ask of all members is, that they would patronize this department as liberally as possible. I have this month received a few lots which I now put on sale and trust all members will bid liberally.

All stamps sent me for this department should reach me by the 1st of each month, all bids should be in by 5th of following month. Note rules in M. P., Vol. 2, No. 14.

Fraternally yours

G. P. LEGRAND, Auct. Mgr.

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3—10 Canada 5c. Beaver, used.....	
4—5 Canada 59 lc. pink, used.....	
5—100 Canada 98 5c blue numerals.....	
6—5 Canada 98 10c. numerals.....	
7—200 Canada 97 1c. 4 leaves.....	
8—200 Canada 98 5c. numerals.....	
9—1 set unused Jubilee s 1 50c. inc.	1.50
10—300 98 2c. numeral purple.....	
Bid liberally.	

#### SOCIETY HAND-BOOK.

All societies of importance issue a hand-book. It is my intention to get out such a book, containing the new Constitution, the rules of the different departments and the names of the members. If enough advertising can be secured to cover expenses the hand-book will be sent free to all members, but I would request members who would like to have such a book, when remitting their dues to Mr. Fowle this month, to also include 10c. extra as guarantee fund to help pay the cost of issuing this work. For this they will be entitled to at least two copies, but should enough be made from advertising the 10c. will be returned. The book will be sold to non-members at the low rate of 10c. Advertising, 25c. an inch; 1000 or more will be printed.

W. JAMES WURTELE.