

ANNUAL MEETING: OTTAWA LITERARY AND
SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting was held in the Library of the above Society on Friday evening, April 30th. The reports of the Secretary, Treasurer, Librarian, and President were presented and adopted. The finances of the Society were shown to be in a good condition, and the membership somewhat increased, now numbering about 350.

The Library and Reading Room have been more extensively used than for many years previously.

The need is felt of securing a permanent location and one convenient to the patrons of the Society—a building which might be used by other societies would be preferred. There was a general expression of opinion at this meeting that the Society should secure a suitable building, and if possible, induce kindred societies to join them in such an enterprise.

The officers elected were :—

President—Otto J. Klotz.

First Vice-President—Rev. Dr. Saunders.

Second Vice-President—W. D. LeSueur.

Secretary—O. J. Jolliffe.

Treasurer—W. J. Barrett.

Curator—J. H. Brønskill.

Members of the Council :—

M. J. Gorman.

Lt.-Col. J. Pennington MacPherson.

J. Ballantyne.

O. J. JOLIFFE,

Secretary.

Ottawa, May 25th, 1897.

Correction.—“*The Lyrical Poetry of the Elizabethans*,” was the exact title of Mr. Duncan C. Scott's paper presented on Feb. 4th, 1897, at the course of lectures given under the auspices of the Ottawa Literary and Scientific Society. In the March issue of the OTTAWA NATURALIST (p. 226) another title was given.