## EDITORIAL REMARKS.

The first annual convention of the Canadian Philatelic Association will be held in Toronto Sopt. 19th aud 20th. Our ticket for the coming election is as follows, and we ask the support of all our readers who have a vote:

President,- Henry Hechler, Halifax,

Vice-Pres., Nova Scotia,- A. J. Caig, Pictou.

" New Bruns., -- Henry S. Harte, Salisbury

" Ontario, - Geo. Wa'ker, Peterboro,

" Quebec,-R. A. Baldwin-Hart, Montreal

" P. E. Island, -- W. Brown, Charlottetown

" B. Columbia, - J. H. Todd, Banf.

Secretary,- Geo. A. Lowe, Toronto.

Treasurer,- H. L. Hart, Halifax.

Exchange Supt ., - F. J. Grenny, Brantford.

Librarian,-J. A. Leighton, Orangeville.

Counterfeit-Detector,-H. M rrell, To.onio.

Purchasing-Agent,-H. F. Ketcheson, Belleville.

Official Editor,-Theo. Larsen, Halifax.

Convention, 1889,-Halifax, N. S.

\*Official Organ,— Halifax Philatelist, @ \$24. \$1 year.

Executive Committee,—J. C. Niesser, Toronto; C.

C. Morrency, Quebec; F. C. Kaye, Halifax.

BE SURE YOU VOTE THE PULL TICKET !

\*At the request of many members, the Halifax Philatelist has decided to act, if paid at least two dollars per month.

THE 1888 edition of the American Philotelic Press Directory has been received, and shows a marked improvement over the issue of last year. Besides giving lists of all the papers now published in America, with subscription and advertising rates, and other information of interest; it also presents lists of the leading foreign, and of all the "dead" papers. Price, 25 cents. Geo. H. Richmond, Publisher, 5 Beekman St., New York. Or, this office.

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Mr. W. C. Stone, Springfield, Mass., is hard at work preparing a history of the philatelic societies of America, and would be glad to receive any information that , will assist him in his difficult task.

AT THE convention of the the American Philatelic Association, the following officers were elected:

President, J. K. Tiffany; Vice-President, W. C. Vanderlip; Secretary, S. B. Bradford; Treasurer, H. B. Seagreave; International Secretary, Joseph Rechert. A very suitable selection.

SAL VADOR speaks to the point in his article in the International Collector, for July. We have not a complete list of stamps, among the many that are published. He suggests that a committee of reliable dealers be chosen to prepare such a list as will be complete in every respect; to include adhesives, postals, envelopes, newshands,—in fact everything used for postal or fiscal purposes. He further suggests that such committee be members of the dealers association, and that collectors help them by every means in their power to make the work perfect. It is the only plan for a complete work, and we hope to soon see it put into practice.

Many publishers seem to think it advisable to make a change in the size of their paper every few months. They do not consider how difficult it will be for subscribers to bind the volume when completed, nor how a unsy anappearance it will present. Should a change be thought necessary, it were surely better to wait until the commencement of a new volume, before effecting it. The best plan, however, is to settle on some handy size of page, and continue to use it until the "grand finale."



This afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the Taber-nacle, Harrison L. Hart, boot and shoe dealer, Gottingen St., was married to Miss Edith Graham, daughter of the late James Graham. A large number of the friends of the happy couplewere

present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev Mr. Miller. \* \* \* [Recorder, Aug. 28th.

The gentleman referred to above is the popular treasurer of the C. P. A., and N. S. P. A., and we wish both himself and lady unbounded happiness for the future.