

## REPORT OF THE PHOTOGRAPHIC SECTION.

*Read at the Annual Meeting, May 9th, 1895.*

Your Photographic Section beg leave to present the following Report for the year ending 9th May, 1895.

During the summer months not much was done in the way of business, although the Section still held their meetings—one per month.

A number of outings were held by the Section. A joint outing of the Toronto Camera Club and our own Section was held on the 24th May to Fisher's Glen and Webster's Falls. The day was pleasantly spent, some good views were obtained, and all went home tired but delighted with the scenery.

On Tuesday, June 26th, Mr. Lake, Secretary of the Toronto Camera Club, was present and addressed the Section. He spoke especially of the kindly feeling that the Toronto Club held towards the Photographic Section of the Hamilton Association.

A discussion took place on the advisability of joining the Lantern Slide Exchange (International). After some discussion it was decided to leave the matter in abeyance, and form a Canadian Slide Exchange, the result of which you have had the pleasure of seeing during the last month or two.

At the last annual meeting of the Section, Mr. B. E. Charlton donated a gold medal for the best panoramic view of the city from the mountain top. He also added a silver medal at a later meeting. The first prize was won by Mr. A. H. Baker, and the second by J. R. Moodie. A great deal of interest was taken in the contest. Mr. Hugh C. Baker and A. M. Cunningham acted as judges. The medals were presented by Mr. Charlton at the opening meeting of the Association, when the Section made a large display of work and also exhibited the contesting pictures.

In January the collection of prints and slides of the Canadian Photographic Journal were on view and created a favorable