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| <i>Official Organ</i>                                   | CANADIAN PHILATELIST.                              |

## EX. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

*Fellow-Members P. S. of C. :*

I have to report considerable enquiry regarding my department, and also that I am ready for work. I was delayed first by finding the sheets I had ordered would not suit, and consequently I had to get others ruled and printed. An election (in which I took a considerable part, but in which, unfortunately, my party did not succeed) then took up considerable time; and then the addition of a new department caused me to alter many of my plans; but "I am now settled and ready for visitors."

There will be two circuits—a guaranteed one and an unguaranteed one. Owners of stamps must choose which they want their sheets circulated in. If in the former, they must remember that as it is a new idea in Philatelic societies, it may be longer before I can arrange good circuits. In reference to this, I refer you to a letter in another part of this number from Mr. Carter. Other advanced Philatelists no doubt think as he does, and in time this will be the best exchange department on the continent. In reference to the other branch, owners must remember it is easier to sell than collect, and if delays occur, the department should not be blamed. All members who take unguaranteed sheets must sign the same agreement as the others without a guarantee attached. One good solvent member will be acceptable for another, so I would advise ALL to go into the guaranteed branch if they want the better class of stamps, and feel sure owners will not want, after the past experience of exchange departments in other societies, to put their good stamps in an unguaranteed exchange. I have made circuits only six members, so that I can debit and credit quickly. This just costs me three times as much postage as an 18-member circuit. I will have to make this up in fines for not forwarding in three days, so members must not keep over the time. If I can keep short-time circuits, I am perfectly willing to pay the additional postage. I trust all members will at once send in for sheets and agreements, and be prompt in forwarding and remitting both cash and the particulars of their takings, and so keep the official collector with time instead of work on his hands.

Yours, etc.,

J. S. ROBERTSON, *Ex. Supt.*

## SECRETARY-TREASURERS REPORT.

No objection having been received, the following are elected and entitled to the full benefits of membership.

### NEW MEMBERS.

- No.  
 238 H. E. Deats, Flemington, N.J.  
 239 A. Corbman, Midland, Ont.  
 240 G. G. Ford, 50 W. St. Paul-St., Rochester, N.Y.  
 241 S. H. Saunders, Hanover, Ont.  
 242 Guy Watson, Hamilton, Ont.  
 243 G. H. Lowe, Spadina Avenue, Toronto, Ont.  
 244 F. H. Pinkham, Newmarket, N.H.  
 245 C. P. Newcomer, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.  
 247 S. C. Everett, 87 Broad-St., St. John, N.B.  
 248 G. S. McCord, Sackville, N.S.  
 249 F. L. George, Portsmouth, N.H.  
 250 E. H. Remington, Brockton, Mass.  
 251 F. Honore, Ottawa, Ont.  
 252 J. A. Craig, Chemist, Yarmouth, N.S.  
 253 Geo. Uack, Chelsea Road, Hull, Quebec.  
 254 L. L. Brophy, Geological Survey, Ottawa, Ont.  
 255 H. P. Brummel, Geological Survey, Ottawa, Ont.  
 256 H. Valin, 205 Wilrod-St., Ottawa, Ont.  
 257 Eugene Lebeuf, care of Panama Railroad Co., Colon, U.S. of Columbia.

### APPLICATIONS.

- DUNCAN S. WYLIE, 60 Broadway, New York.  
*References*—J. R. Hooper and W. J. Beatty.  
 ALBERT R. ROGERS, 75 Maiden Lane, N.Y.  
*References*—J. R. Hooper and W. J. Beatty.  
 JOHN THOMPSON, care of Y.M.C.A., Quebec, Que.  
*References*—J. R. Hooper and G. Hooper.  
 H. W. LIDDCOATT, St. James' St., London.  
*References*—L. M. Stäbler and G. Bailey.  
 G. E. DAVENPORT, South London, Ont.  
*References*—L. M. Stäbler and W. McMahon.  
 W. J. McDONALD, 249 E. Tremont St., Fostoria, O.  
*References*—L. M. Stäbler and R. M. Miller.  
 GEO. L. GRAY, Ithaca, New York.  
*References*—F. C. Anderson and W. J. Beatty.  
 Dues received since the last report: Nos. 155, 225, 3, 14, 257, 238, 244, 247, 248, 249, 250. The dues