

Our roll shows a membership of 293, comprising 2 life and 291 ordinary members, being an increase on previous year of 119.

From one reason or another, 39 gentlemen left the Club, but their places have been more than filled by 157 new-comers:

A Branch of the Club has been formed in Winnipeg, and bids fair to outstrip the parent organization. Its President is Mr. S. S. CUMMINS, our old 1st Vice, and he has imparted so much of his enthusiasm and fire to its members, that it now numbers 170, and in a letter which I shall read you this evening, Mr. CUMMINS mentions that he expects to run over 200 during present winter.

We have to regret the loss of several of our most active members by death:—poor JIM WALLACE, who was cut away by typhoid a month after winning a prize in our steeplechase; W. W. REDPATH, by whose untimely death Montreal lost one of her best gymnasts; and J. BRADY, an old Committee man, who, while in health, rarely missed a tramp.

Business has also removed from our ranks D. MCINTYRE and HARRY PRINCE; both have left for Winnipeg, where, no doubt, this evening they are sitting in the Council Chamber and expounding words of wisdom to the members of our branch, whose Annual Meeting is at present in progress.

Our finances are in a satisfactory condition, the coifers of the Treasurer running over with wealth, his report showing a balance to our credit of eighty dollars.

The first tramp to Prendergast's took place on November 16th, being earliest date for opening of winter campaign since our formation; 28 members turned out. Midweekly walks were kept up with great spirit until March 8th, upon which date we took the last. 16 runs were taken across the Mountain, being an increase of 2 on previous year, the average muster being 40; largest 60; smallest 10; this does not include the race night, when over 200 assembled at the Club-room.

The first cross-country tramp was taken on Dec. 18, to St. Laurent. Blue Bonnets was visited once; Back River twice and Lachine twice, during the winter, the last named being the

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