

D. (a) Would you recommend the appointment of a strong and active committee to collect data of interest to members; such data to be distributed from time to time during recess between conventions? (b) What data should be collected?

E. Should this Association be mainly an electric light association with company membership as the N.E.L. Association?

F. Is there too much time spent at conventions, in attending excursions and entertainments, and should more time be devoted to business?

G. What would you suggest as the best means of bringing into our Association the many operating companies not now represented?

H. Can you suggest any improvement in the manner of conducting meetings, discussions, etc.?

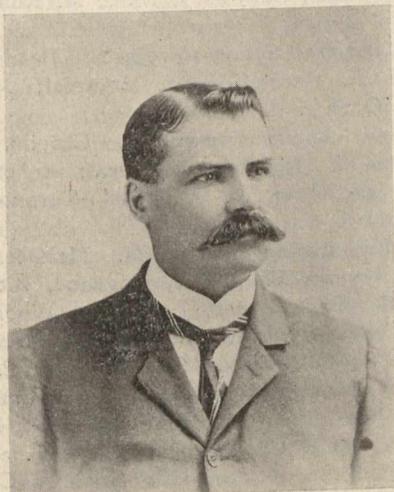
I. Have you any other suggestions to offer?

So far, 76 questions have been submitted for answer at the forthcoming convention.



L'ASSOCIATION PROVINCIALE DES INGENIEURS-MECANICIENS.

The annual meeting of the L'Association Provinciale des Ingénieurs-Mécaniciens (Provincial Association of Stationary Engineers), Court Cartier, was held last month in Montreal, when the following officers were elected: Richard Marchand,



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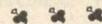
president; Ephrem Brisebois, 1st vice-president; Alcibial Leprohon, 2nd vice-president; Etienne Leroyer, treasurer; Alexandre Bélair, recording secretary; Johnny Joly, financial secretary; Téléphore Leclaire, introducer; Omer Fontaine,



Ephrem F. Valiquet.

door-keeper, Rosario Drouin, Alphonse Collin and Charles Coulombe, auditors; Louis Thibault, caretaker; Richard Marchand, Rosario Drouin and Ephrem F. Valiquet, delegates to executive council; Ephrem F. Valiquet, instructor.

This Association exists for the education and mutual improvement of its members, and is not a trades union. The new president is Inspector of Boilers for the City of Montreal, and is widely and favorably known in that capacity. Mr. Valiquet, who ably fills the post of instructor, now has charge of the machinery in the new grain elevator of the Harbor Commission.



CANADIAN ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Canadian Electrical Association, held on the 21st April, it was decided to hold the next annual convention in Hamilton on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 15th, 16th, and 17th. Committees were appointed to make the necessary arrangements, and interesting papers will be read.

The Committee on Papers, of which R. G. Black is chairman, have succeeded in securing a very valuable and instructive series of papers by well known authors.

Much interest is being taken by the members in the Question Box, which, under the able direction of A. A. Dion, of Ottawa, promises to become a source of much valuable information to the members.

There is much of interest to electrical men to be seen in and about Hamilton. Many changes and improvements have been made to the Hamilton Electric Light and Cataract Power Company's system since the Association last met there. There is also the new works of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. Probably a day will be spent in visiting the great power development works in process of construction at Niagara Falls.



CANADIAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS.

At the meeting of the above society, on the 14th ult., a ballot for new members and transfers of members from one class to another was opened with the following result:

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS.

Charles Burnby Bell, of Montreal; Thomas Edward Lamb, of Montreal; Miles Penner Cotton, of Winnipeg; Lauritz Nicolai Jenssen, of Quebec; John Bell McRae, of Ottawa; Joseph Ovila Montreuil, of Quebec; Edward Godfrey Poole, of Halifax, N.S.; Hendry James Durie Ross, of Ottawa; Karl Weatherbe, of Windsor, N.S.

TRANSFERRED FROM THE CLASS OF ASSOCIATE MEMBER TO THE CLASS OF MEMBER.

John George Gale Kerry, of Montreal.

TRANSFERRED FROM THE CLASS OF STUDENT TO THE CLASS OF ASSOCIATE MEMBER.

Raoul de B. Corriveau, of Ottawa; Casimer Stanislaus Gzowski, Jr., of Toronto; Frederick T. Kaelin, of Montreal; John Herbert Larmonth, of Peterboro, Ont.; Julian C. Smith, of Montreal; John Abbet Walls, of Montreal.

ASSOCIATES.

Noulan J. E. Cauchon, of Montreal; Robert Edmund Pringle, of Montreal; Harry Wilson, of Montreal.

STUDENTS.

Edmund Joseph Bolger, of Kingston; Edgar Thomas J. Brandon, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; John A. Brundige, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; James Henry Burd, of Smith's Falls, Ont.; Frederick Fieldhouse Clarke, of Smith's Falls, Ont.; Henry J. Crudge, of Montreal; Camille Arnauld D'Abbadie, of Winnipeg, Man.; Victor A. G. Dey, of Montreal; Arthur Stewart Eve, of Montreal; Gordon B. Glassco, of Montreal; Lionel Edward Howard Grant, of Toronto; John Buicke Harvey, of Lyndhurst, Ont.; Thomas H. Hogg, of Chippewa, Ont.; William Dawson Lawrence, of Maitland, N.S.; Jason F. Mack, of Moncton, N.B.; Alister Maclean, of Montreal; Allan Getchell McAvity, of Toronto; Fred. Gordon McPherson, of Halifax, N.S.; Michael J. Murphy, of Halifax, N.S.;