

though, as he has not visited Toronto for many years, he was personally known to but few of us.

Mr. Reford was a warm friend of the society, and very enthusiastic. He was our only life member, and we all deeply deplore the sudden cutting off of his brief enjoyment of his privileges.

New Members.

Owing to the new regulation which restricts election of new members to the annual meeting, we have none to record at the time of writing, but the names of several candidates are before us and will be voted upon this evening.

Thanks to the Honorary President.

Our warmest acknowledgement is due to our Honorary President, the Honourable G. W. Allan, for his kindly attendance and substantial assistance to the Art School, also to Mr. R. Y. Ellis, the Vice-President of the Board, as well as those other gentlemen who have served on the Board during the year.

Our thanks are also due to those members of the city press who have taken such friendly interest in our work and assisted us in gaining the public attention.

The accounts for the year will be laid before you.

(Signed),

M. MATTHEWS,

President.