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We have much pleasure in presenting to our readers, at the beginning of a new volume of the Canadian Entomologist, an excellent portrait of Mr. Henry Herbert Lyman, of Montreal, who has recently retired from the Presidency of the Entomological Society of Ontario. He was born at Montreal, on the 21st of December, 1854, and received his early education at the West End Acadamy and the High School, winning at the latter the Davidson medal. At McGill University, to which he proceeded, he took the degree of B. A. (Logan medalist in Geology and Natural Sciences) in 1876, and M. A. in 1880.

In 1877 he entered the firm of Lymans, Clare & Co., wholesale druggists, in Montreal, which two years later assumed the present name of Lyman, Sons & Co. He is now senior partner and also president of the Lyman Bros. & Co. (Limited), Toronto. These business houses are widely known throughout the Dominion, and have always been distinguished for their upright dealing, energy and enterprise.

Mr. Lyman has also been an active member of the volunteer force; he joined the 5th Battalion, now the Royal Scots of Canada, in 1877, as an Ensign, and rose to be Major in 1885, with which rank he retired in 1891. He has further manifested his loyalty by becoming a Fellow of the Royal Colonial Institute, and a member of the Council of the British Empire League.

When less than eight years old he began to take an interest in insects, and to observe their ways, and when only twelve he started to form