REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-TREASURER.

JULY SESSION, 1883.

The Secretary-Treasurer to the Board of Management, at the close of the fiscal year, 1882-3, has the honor to report.

The moneys received have been deposited in the Caisse d'Economie, and payments have been made by cheques on the Bank, as recommended by the Board.

The Syndic has been supplied with a list of all the surveyors who have paid the annual contribution up to date, so as to enable him to call on those who have not yet paid, to pay without delay, and save the expense of legal process. It must be borne in mind that the first years' expenses of the Board will certainly be greater than in the following years, from the unavoidable outlay attendant on its inauguration and establishment. And further, if all the surveyors contribute the amount payable by each will be less than when, as now, the expenses are borne by only a part.

Your Secretary has to report that Mr. Gerald George Dunlevie, availing himself of the provisions of the Act. 46, Vic. c. xxxv., has signified by letter his withdrawal from the profession of land surveying in this province.

Your Secretary begs also to report that he has applied to the Secretary of the Province for a set of the Quebec Statutes, and for the regular reception of the Official Gazette, and to the Board of Works for a double door; and that these requests have been granted. He is also in hopes of obtaining from the Geological Survey office their reports of exploration.

The cash-book shows a balance on hand of \$105.83.

Respectfully submitted.

E. T. FLETCHER, Secretary-Treasurer.

QUEBEC, 2nd July, 1883.

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