

recently appointed Minister of Education with a view to making some improvements in the administration of the collection.

**An Initiative Project** of an important nature involving much work is yet in hand. The investigations we have been making during the past two years with a view to promote the founding of an Art Museum in Toronto have been completed and are now published in pamphlet form. A meeting of citizens interested, and societies and bodies affected, has been called to be held in our Gallery on the 15th of March, when the subject will be discussed. It is intended that the Society's particular part in the matter will cease at this meeting, where it is hoped an Art Museum Association will be formed to continue the work we have begun.

**An Exhibition** of Applied Art has been undertaken, and the work in connection with it has gone on concurrently with the preparations for the present Annual Exhibition, and the Art Museum Meeting; this Exhibition will open as soon as possible after the closing of the Annual Exhibition. It is important that our members should all interest themselves in this work, as its purpose is partly to show that we are interested in the movement to strengthen the union of all the plastic arts.

**The Leagues of School Art** to which we have lent our aid, and the organization of which was recorded in the report of last year, has met with a very welcome reception by the people throughout the city. Twenty branches have been established in the different school sections, and a central body is now organized to carry out a uniform plan. The work done in this connection by Mr. Hughes, the Inspector, is worthy of our mention. The Advisory Board of School Art Leagues, appointed jointly by our Society, the Guild of Civic Art and the Woman's Art Association, have been called upon to advise on various matters, and a committee of the Board have completed the renovation of the Kindergarten room of the Rosedale School with marked success. The Board have also compiled a pamphlet treating of the subject of School Art, which has been published by the Education