

PREFACE.

In presenting to the Society and Business people of Toronto our Elite Directory for 1894-95 a few words in reference to its various features and uses are in order.

The Directory contains the addresses of Toronto's leading people and most prominent citizens, arranged in two complete lists: the one in numerical order by streets, so that one can ascertain by a glance the name and number of the occupants of any particular residence; and the second, in alphabetical order, serving the purpose of the ordinary city directory, only in a more compact and satisfactory shape. It also contains the complete membership roll and list of officers of all the clubs of prominence in the city. This is an entirely original feature and of great interest to society people.

These addresses having been carefully selected and verified, are as free from errors as is possible in a city the size of Toronto.

The book also contains a large amount of valuable information, including *saalable* *uniquette*, the At-Home days of our leading hostesses, with their telephone numbers; the addresses of leading physicians, dentists, artists, and other professional people of the city, as well as the cards of many of our *favoured* *members*.

It has been our aim to make the Elite Directory and Club Lists invaluable to those in whose hands it is published, excluding from its contents everything tending to increase its bulk, without enhancing its value, and our thanks are due, and are herewith tendered, to the many friends who have kindly aided us in procuring information otherwise unobtainable.

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