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TO THE NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY OF NEW
BRUNSWICK:

In presenting their Seventh Annual Report, the Council, although conscious of some short-comings of the Society, and of defects, not so much perhaps in its organization, as in that vital energy and individual interest, which alone can secure success for any human undertaking, congratulate the Society upon its success during the past year.

Since the last annual meeting, one very important change has been made, which they cannot deem otherwise than beneficial; they refer to the removal of the Library, Museum and property of the Society, from the rooms so long occupied by them in the Mechanics' Institute to the St. John Grammar School building. This step they believe to have been advisedly taken, and while duly grateful to the Board of Directors of the Institute for the uniform kindness and consideration received at their hands, they are happy that the Society has secured, what the Institute could not offer, an apartment, which although not entirely meeting the requirements of the Society, is better fitted to contain their collection of books and natural curiosities, and in which the regular meetings can take place.