

to discuss in one night and be let drop, and I think Mr. Hacket would be interested in assisting that committee.

Chairman,—

It has been submitted by Mr. McRae that a committee be selected at the next meeting to look into this matter, and I would suggest it being left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

Mr. McRae,—

I take great pleasure in seconding the vote of thanks to Mr. Hacket.

Chairman,—

It has been regularly moved and seconded that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. Hacket for his very able paper which he has given us to-night. What is your pleasure. Carried unanimously.

Mr. Hacket,—

It has given me very great pleasure to meet you all here to-night, and I trust the paper has been of some small interest. If at any time it is decided to go further into this matter, and if I can be of any assistance I shall be glad to do anything that I can. I hope I shall meet you all again, and I have enjoyed it very much to-night.

Chairman,—

I have to apologize to the members for the absence of our President and Secretary. I understand that the President is on his vacation, and as he made up his mind to go shooting I suppose our Secretary thought he ought to go to take care of him. I spoke to Mr. Worth and he told me that his object in going was because he thought he was a better shot than the President, and that I was to promise on his behalf to every member at the next meeting a pair of prairie chickens or a brace of partridge.

I would like to remind the Executive, Reception, and the Amusement Committees that there will be a meeting after this one to make final arrangements for a Social Evening.

With further reference to the number of new members we have enrolled to-night, I would like to draw the members' attention to the fact that we have not got any too many members and we have lots of blanks here, and those who have not got any should come to the table and take what they want. Several times during the last month I have had members come over to my office, and ask me if I had any blanks.