

for the care of the Library and collections and the performance of the official work of the Society.... The Council desire to place on record their feelings of deep regret at the removal of Mr. Reed from this Province and the loss which the Society thereby sustains. Mr. Reed is one of the original members of the Society, and for more than a quarter of a century has been one of the most active and zealous of its officials, filling at different times the positions of Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer, Librarian, Curator, and Auditor. To him it is especially due that the Library has grown to its present dimensions and value and that so much progress has been made by the Society in many directions. The Council beg to thank Mr. Reed for his services in the past, and wish him all possible success and prosperity in his new and important sphere of labour."

Mr. Reed was a constant contributor to the pages of the CANADIAN ENTOMOLOGIST from the very first volume, in which appeared five articles from his pen. His papers, largely collecting notes, records of rare captures, etc., were always interesting and valuable; he also furnished descriptive articles on larvæ, an Accentuated List of Canadian Lepidoptera, a report to the Ontario Department of Agriculture (jointly with Dr. Saunders) on the Colorado Potato-Beetle, which had then invaded Western Ontario from the neighbouring State of Michigan, and popular papers on common insects.

In the preparation of the early Annual Reports of the Society he took a large share, and contributed elaborate and valuable papers, as follows: Insects affecting the Plum, Report i. (1870), pages 53-63, and Report ii. (1871), pp. 22-26; Insects injurious to the Potato, *ibid*, pp. 65-81; Insects attacking the Cucumber, Melon, Pumpkin and Squash, *ibid*, pp. 89-92; Insects affecting the Maple Trees, Report iii. (1872), pp. 35-43; Insects affecting the Peach, *ibid*, pp. 44-47; Insects affecting the Potato, *ibid*, pp. 48-50; Some common Insects which affect the Horse, Ox and Sheep, Report iv. (1873), pp. 34-41; Entomological Contributions, Report v. (1874), pp. 11-16; Sphingidæ—Hawk-Moths, Report xii. (1881), pp. 48-70; Diptera—Two-winged Flies, Report xiii. (1882), pp. 45-53, and short articles in several of the volumes. From the above list it will be seen that Mr. Reed gave much attention to Economic Entomology, and did some very excellent work in that department. It was quite fitting, therefore, that he should have been one of the company who, in August, 1889, formed the Association of Economic Entomologists, and signed its original Constitution.