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PROCEEDINGS OF THE FORTIETH ANNUAL MEETING, OTTAWA, MARCH 10th and 11th, 1898.



THE fortieth annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association, which was held at Ottawa, on March 10 and 11, was one of the most successful on the records of the Association, and will be marked in history as one in which a signal advance was made. The veterans who have fought the battle of the association for many years, against adverse conditions, were rejoiced to hear that not

only had the association commenced the year 1898 with no outstanding liabilities, but that there was a handsome cash balance on hand; and ere the meeting closed, by unanimous vote, the association decided to admit the Quebec Press Association, as members of the Canadian association, in a body. By this act the association materially strengthens itself numerically, adds greatly to its influence, widens its sphere of usefulness, and takes a long step in the direction of attaining that position as an organization of Dominion extent and importance which its founders intended it should. The gathering was also notable in that the meeting was honored with the presence of His Excellency the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen, both of whom delivered addresses, impromptu, but probably the more appreciated by reason of the spontaneity which characterized them.

The members who attended this meeting of the association will not soon forget the cordiality of their welcome. The hospitality proffered them in such profusion that they were unable (and in this probably lies the only cause of regret associated with the meeting), from lack of time, to accept all invitations they received.

The sessions of the association were held in the railway committee room of the House of Commons, where every convenience was found. When Major John Bayne MacLean, of Montreal, took the chair, at 10.30 o'clock, on Thursday morning, there was a large attendance of members, which was increased by late arrivals. Among those who were present during the meeting were the following:

D. McGillicuddy, Signal, Goderich; A. G. F. Macdonald, News, Alexandria; John A. Cooper, Canadian Magazine, Toronto; A. H. U. Colquhoun, PRINTER AND PUBLISHER, Toronto; Robert Holmes, New Era, Clinton; W. Ireland, North

Star, Parry Sound; J. T. Clark, Saturday Night, Toronto; L. G. Jackson and son, Era, Newmarket; C. W. Rutledge, Standard, Markdale, Ont.; W. E. Smallfield, Mercury, Renfrew; H. P. Moore, Free Press, Acton; W. H. Kerr, Post, Brussels; Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Intelligencer, Belleville; P. D. Ross, Journal, Ottawa; John Cameron, Advertiser, London; W. D. Maclean, Expositor, Seaforth; N. W. Ford, Banner, Chatham; H. J. Pettypiece, M.P.P., Free Press, Forest; George Brigden, Toronto Engraving Co., Toronto; B. McGuire, Banner, Orangeville; George A. Howell, Grip Printing and Publishing Co., Toronto; C. A. Matthews, Globe, Toronto; Wm. Stewart, Courier, Embro; A. S. Forster, Star, Oakville; Fred. B. Elliott, Record, Burlington; L. E. Charbonnel, Chronicle, Cookshire, P.Q.; M. T. Stenson, hon. member E. T. Press Association, Richmond, P.Q.; A. L. Lance, Times, Richmond, P.Q.; S. Fraser, Le Courier, Richmond, P.Q.; A. N. Fullerton, Courier, Digby, N.S.; A. H. O'Brien, Canada Law Journal, Toronto; Arthur Wilgress, Brockville Times; Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P., Sentinel-Review, Woodstock; R. Mathison, hon. member, Belleville; W. F. Maclean, M.P., World, Toronto; S. Russell, M.P., Tribune, Deseronto; John Ross Robertson, M.P., Telegram, Toronto; W. S. Dingman, Herald, Stratford; J. C. Howard, Hastings Star; J. S. Willison, Globe, Toronto; L. J. Tarte, La Patrie, Montreal; James Somerville, M.P., Dundas, ex-president; L. W. Shannon, Kingston, ex-president; Duncan Ross, Boundary Creek, B.C., Times; Hon. W. Templeman, Times, Victoria, B.C.; W. J. Taylor, Tweed News; J. King, Q.C., hon. member, Toronto; Alex. Burnett, adver'g man. E. B. Eddy Co.; J. C. Walsh, Montreal Herald; W. A. Brennan, Journal and P.E.I. Agriculturist, Summerside, P.E.I.; R. L. Richardson, M.P., Tribune, Winnipeg, Man.; W. M. O'Beirne, Stratford Beacon; D. Williams, Collingwood; Frank Carrel, Daily Telegraph, Quebec; J. K. Keefer, Times, Weston; M. J. Taylor, Tweed News; W. K. McNaught, Trader, Toronto; Jas. T. Pattison, Aylmer, Que.; W. Gibbens, Standard, Cornwall; F. James Gibson, New York; Frank Shallow, Moniteur du Commerce, Montreal; Frank A. Munsey, Munsey's Magazine, New York; George Simpson, Globe, Toronto; J. F. MacKay, Herald, Montreal; W. P. McEwan, Gazette, Almonte; J. S. Brierley, Herald, Montreal; A. Miller, Journal, Ottawa; T. C. Irving, Bradstreets, Toronto; J. B. Stephens, Review, Niagara Falls; W. W. Cliff, Central Canadian, Carleton Place; Hon. J. T.