The annual catalogue of the books purchased during the year will be begun at the usual time and presented during the session.

The list of donations is appended as usual. All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. D. DECELLES, G.L., MARTIN J. GRIFFIN, P.L.

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT,

OTTAWA, 22nd November, 1906.

STATEMENT, Classified by Subjects, of the Expenditure on Books and Binding.

Subjects.		From May 1, 1905, to April 30, 1906.		Totals.
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ ets.
Religion, Philosophy and Education History and Biography Geography and Travels Sciences. Useful Arts. Fine Arts. Sports and Games Philology, Literary History, Bibliography, &c. Belles Letters. Encyclopædias, Magazines, &c. Law, Constitutional History, Parliamentary Papers, &c. Political Economy, Social Science, Commerce and Statistics Directories Binding Insurance, Commission, Postage, &c.	1,184 20 2,564 65	606 27 2,035 41 554 05 558 78 329 94 90 83 24 67 320 49 897 37 1,082 40 2,472 69 986 14 128 26 1,852 12 401 56	274 15 1,353 46 378 14 264 49 148 69 52 54 9 38 98 48 750 41 226 99 908 35 429 64 74 61 1,715 52 241 69	1,351 57 5,871 06 1,456 22 1,401 37 885 38 485 90 64 03 742 79 3,084 05 2,493 59 5,945 69 2,467 85 340 99 5,093 93 1,088 91

(For list of donations to the Library of Parliament, 1906, Vide Sessional Papers No. .)

The Honourable Mr. Watson, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, and it is as follows:-

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8.

Wednesday, 5th December, 1906.

The Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, beg leave to make their First Report, as follows:—

1. Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9) members.

2. Your Committee recommend that George Russell be appointed a page to fill a vacancy at present existing.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. WATSON.

Chairman.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Watson, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Young, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.