

In common with all the sorrowing subjects of  
**HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY KING EDWARD VII.**

the members of

**THE OTTAWA FIELD-NATURALISTS' CLUB**

desire to express their deep sense of sorrow and loss at the demise of their beloved Sovereign Lady, **QUEEN VICTORIA**, during whose glorious reign of sixty-four years, scientific work and research, such as our Club aims to accomplish, have received unprecedented impetus.