

REPORT OF COUNCIL.

ANNUAL MEETING, JANUARY 14TH, 1896.

The Council begs to present the following report on the work of the Society during the past year.

ROLL OF THE SOCIETY.

The elections comprised *one* honorary member, *three* members, *six* associate members, *two* associates and *fifteen* students. *Five* associate members have been transferred to the class of members, and *ten* students to the class of associate members. *One* associate member has been replaced on the roll on application.

Resignations have been received from *three* members, *one* associate member, *one* associate, and *six* students, while *eighteen* members, *twelve* associate members, *seven* associates and *eighteen* students have been removed from the roll for non-payment of dues.

The deaths have been :—

Members:—Charles Sproatt, Patrick Kennedy Hyndman, John Fraser Torrance and Arthur M. Wellington.

At the present date the membership stands as follows :—

	Non Res.	Res.	Total
Honorary Members.....	6	2	8
Members.....	217	52	269
Associate Members.....	111	29	140
Associates.....	26	18	44
Students	90	55	145
			606

At the same date last year the membership was as follows :—

	Non Res.	Res.	Total
Honorary Members	6	1	7
Members	233	53	286
Associate Members	111	30	141
Associates.....	30	19	50
Students.....	101	63	164
			648