

ART ASSOCIATION

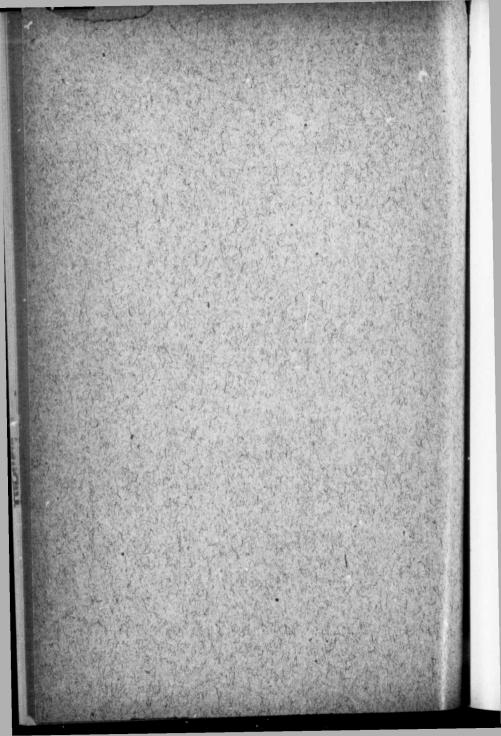
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THE REPORT

FOR

1895.



Art Association of Montreal.

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL

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THE ASSOCIATION,

For the Year ending December, 1895.

Montreal:

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Art Association of Montreal.

COUNCIL FOR THE YEAR 1896.

COUNCILLORS.

For One Year.

MR. R. B. ANGUS.

" E. S. CLOUSTON.

DR. WM. GARDNER.

" F. J. SHEPHERD.

MR. A. T. TAYLOR.

" D. A. WATT.

For Two Years.

REV. J. EDGAR HILL.

MR. C. J. FLEET.

" E. B. GREENSHIELDS.

WILLIAM MCLENNAN.

" DAVID MORRICE;

" JAMES Ross.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ART GALLERY.

Messrs. R. B. Angus, (Chairman), Sir Wm. C. Van Horne, Hon. G. A. Drummond, Dr. William Gardner, E. B. Greenshields, James Ross, Dr. F. J. Shepherd, A. T. Taylor, D. A. Watt (Councillors); Dr. Adami, Messrs. J. B. Abbott, E. Lafleur, W. J. Learmont and S. P. Stearns.

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Messrs. W. G. Murray, (Chairman), Sir Wm. C. Van Horne, R. B. Angus, E. S. Clouston, Dr. Wm. Gardner, C. J. Fleet, Wm. McLennan, David Morrice and James Ross.

EDUCATION AND LIBRARY.

Hon. G. A. Drummond, (Chairman), Messrs. Wm. McLennan, David Morrice, W. G. Murray, A. T. Taylor (Councillors); Walter Drake, Robert Harris, F. S. Lyman, A. F. Riddell, James Torrance and Judge Wurtele.

LECTURES AND ENTERTAINMENTS.

Rev. J. Edgar Hill, (Chairman), Messrs. C J. Fleet, W. G. Murray (Councillors); Professors H. T. Bovey, John Cox, D. P. Penhollow, Messrs. Joseph Gould, Rouer Roy and W. F. Torrance.

INDUSTRIAL AND DECORATIVE.

Mr. D. A. Watt (Chairman), Mrs. M. E. David, Mrs. G. A. Drummond, Mr. W. R. Miller, Mrs. J. H. R. Molson, Mrs. G. W. Stephens, Mrs. Wheeler, Messrs. W. Brymner, Walter Drake and A. T. Taylor.

ROBERT LINDSAY, Secretary.

MISS PANGMAN, Asst. Secretary.

Art Association of Montreal.

ANNUAL REPORT, 1895.

The Council have once more the pleasure of submitting to the members of the Association their Report for the past year and the Treasurer's Financial Statement. They are very glad to be able to say that the Association has largely increased in its membership and they are much pleased to see this evidence of its steady growth in the public favor, and of the appreciation shown of its work in the cause of Art. As the many advantages it offers—among which are the well furnished and cozy Reading Room where many of the art periodicals of the day can be seen and enjoyed at leisure and free entrance for its members to all private views and exhibitions held during the year—become better known, the membership must continue to increase. To promote and hasten so desirable an object, the Council would this year ask as many members as possible to use their best efforts to secure even one new subscriber each. A great many new members could be got in this way. In 1891 the Annual Members were 400; in 1895 they were 527. This is a very gratifying increase and it is hoped that next year it will be still greater. The "private view" evenings this year were even more largely attended than in the past, and were evidently much appreciated by the numbers who thronged the galleries. A new departure was made in having an afternoon tea during the Loan Exhibition, and this friendly gathering proved very successful. It is the desire of the Council to do all in their power to attract the members, to make the rooms a pleasant place of resort and to cause the Association to occupy a prominent place in public favour, for they feel certain when attention is once drawn to paintings or art matters, wherever there be any latent taste, it will surely be developed and the cause of art benefitted by the addition of new votaries at its shrine.

The change of the date of holding the Spring Exhibition, alluded to in last year's report, has been a decided improvement. Better results were realized at this Exhibition than hitherto, and the Council are glad to be able to report that, taking the Spring and the Loan Exhibitions together, there was a small surplus of revenue this year in place of the usual deficit. Owing to the liberality of certain friends of the Association, and to the large and important additions they had made in the last two years to their galleries, the Council were enabled to hold a Loan Exhibition in November and December. The pictures were of a very high class and were very much admired, and the exhibition was one of the most successful ever held here.

Special attention is drawn this year to the donations to the Gallery of a very fine example of the great American landscape painter, George Inness, by Mr. James Ross; and of a large and characteristic painting by the German master, Prof. H. Zügel, by Mrs. W. R. Elmenhorst. The Association also received presentation of a marble bust of Mendelssohn from the Mendelssohn Choir, as a memento of the Choir and of the labor of love of its leader, Mr. Joseph Gould, who has done so much for this Association and for the cause of music Mr. Gould is an honored member of the in Montreal. Association, and its members are very much indebted to him for the many interesting and beautiful lectures he has given in the past, which have always been a valued feature in the Winter course, and for the trouble he has taken in arranging for singers to illustrate his lectures. The bust of Mendelssohn was executed by Mr. Robert Reid, for many years a member of the Association. A fine photograph of Rembrandt's painting "The Syndics" was presented by Mr. George Hague and it is hung in the Library, where it is seen to much advantage. The hearty thanks of the Association are due to the Donors for these valuable gifts.

The Council regret that for a portion of the year two shops have been vacant. One of these however has just been rented to a good tenant. Notwithstanding these vacancies the financial results are fairly satisfactory, and the deficit this year in the maintenance account is only \$335.09. The Council wish to draw the attention of the members to the debt on the building and would be very glad to receive any subscriptions on this account that the members wish to give. When the new building was erected there was no general canvass of the members made for subscriptions and it is hoped they will now consider the matter carefully and send contributions for this object.

The Association has sustained a great loss this year in the death of one of its Governors, Mr. R. W. Shepherd, who had been a member of the Association since 1866, and for many years an active member of the Council. He filled the office of Treasurer for 17 years, from 1871 to 1887, and was Vice-President from 1888 to 1890. His valuable services were always at the disposal of the Council and he spared neither time nor trouble in promoting the interest of the Association.

ART CLASSES.

The fifteenth session of the advanced Art Classes commenced on October 16th, in charge of Mr. WILLIAM BRYMNER, R.C.A., who reports as follows:—

"The usual annual competition for scholarships took place during the months of April and May. The results were creditable, as was shown by the work exhibited in the class rooms at the end of the session. "The sketch class on Wednesday afternoons at two o'clock has been kept up continuously and is always well attended. Students take turns in posing for it, and quick sketches are made which is found to be a very profitable exercise. A course of lessons in Perspective has been begun this winter and is held immediately after the sketch class on Wednesdays.

"After the holidays an exhibition took place of studies made out doors during the summer. The work was better than that shown at the end of the previous October, both in quality and quantity. It is intended to exhibit sketches of this kind at the opening of every session, and it is hoped that each year may mark a progress.

"The large, new, well-lighted class-rooms are found to be in every way suitable quarters, the work being done is thorough, and altogether the school is in better condition that it has ever been before. It is to be regretted, however, that the number of pupils attending does not increase, and that the classes do not quite pay expenses. several reasons for this. The most important is that there are so few who wish really to begin at the beginning and go through the drudgery of learning to draw. Many who make enquiries decide not to come when they find that they will not be allowed to begin where they like and paint copies of pictures or flowers, or do something else of an equally unprofitable kind for beginners. It has always been the aim of the Association to give such a training in the classes established by it, as will fit pupils, should they so decide, to become professional artists. And even if a training is desired only as part of a general education, and not with a view to its special application to a professional career, no other kind of teaching is worthy of consideration. smattering of drawing and a little copying of paintings, with an idea that art is being studied, is of very little use; for such

so-called study only leads to a misconception of what real work is, and a contempt for the master-pieces of art which are not understood. Whereas, a beginning, made in a proper way, promotes an appreciation of all that is good in art and helps to give interest to works which would, in all likelihood, otherwise remain a sealed book. That pupils leaving this school and entering foreign academies have taken good places at once, shows that the training they have received here has been sound."

The number of pupils who attended during the session 1894-95, was 28, and up to the present date this session 26.

There were fifteen competitors for the Association Scholarships at the annual competition, the successful ones being:—

In the 1st Section, Lilian Cameron.

In the 2nd Section, Ethelwyn Hammond.

The work of Ada Kelly received honourable mention.

WATER COLOUR CLASS.

The seventh session of the classes in Water Colour Drawing commenced on the 14th September and closed on the 30th October, under the direction of Mr. Charles E. Moss. The attendance was not so good as last year, probably owing to the weather being less favorable for out-door work, which is generally preferred. Some very creditable sketches were made.

Exhibitions.

ANNUAL SPRING EXHIBITION.

The sixteenth annual exhibition of Canadian art opened with a private view for members and exhibitors on Wednesday, March 6th, and closed on Saturday, March 30th. There were exhibited 142 Oils, 69 Water Colours and four Pastels; also some Architectural Drawings and Statuary and a quantity of Decorated China. The attendance was good and a number of sales were effected.

LOAN EXHIBITION.

The Eighteenth Loan Exhibition opened on Monday, November 18th, with a Conversazione and private view for members. Eighty-three paintings were exhibited, including fine examples of the old Dutch Masters, Cuyp, Van Goyen, Franz Hals, Pieter de Hooch, Nicholas Maas, and Van de Velde; and of the modern Dutch, Bosboom, Maris, Mauve, Neuhuys and Tholen. The early English school was represented by works of Constable, Crome, Gainsborough, Reynolds, Romney and Shayer and the French artists by paintings by Corot, Troyon, Daubigny, Decamps, Dupré, Daumier, Ribot, In this exhibition there was also Monticelli and Roybet. shown a small but interesting collection of pictures by the modern French impressionists, Monet, Pissarro, Renoir and Miss Cassatt. The Galleries were crowded at the private view and a great deal of interest was taken in the exhibition which was a very successful one. It closed on Saturday, December 7th.

PRESENTATIONS.

The following donations have been received during the past year:—

From Mrs. W. R. Elmenhorst:

Oil Painting—"Sheep returning from Pasture." By H. Zügel, 1889, 45½ x 71.

From James Ross, Esq.

Oil Painting—"Early Moonrise, Florida."
By George Inness, N.A., 42½ x 33½.

From the Mendelssohn Choir:

Marble Bust of Mendelssohn, with Pedestal. By Robert Reid, 1895.

From George Hague, Esq.

Photograph of Rembrandt's Painting "The Syndics."

LIBRARY.

The Reading Room for the use of members has been open daily during the year, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and has become very popular, as evinced by the large number of persons availing themselves of its advantages.

The following gifts have been received during the year:—

From W. H. Thompson, Esq.

Illustrated Catalogue of the Leicester Gallery. By John Young, London, 1825, 1 Vol.

From the Author:

Puvis de Chavannes, a Sketch by Lily Lewis Rood, Boston, 1895, (a pamphlet).

The following periodicals are to be found on the tables those marked with an asterisk being disposed of, the others are bound and added to the Library.

London-

*The Academy.

*The Architect

The Art Journal.

The Artist.

*The Athenaum.

*Black and White.

*The Graphic.

*The Illustrated London News

The Magazine of Art.

*The Pall Mall Magazine.

The Portfolio.

*Punch.

*The Sketch. The Studio.

Berlin-

Zeitschrift für Bildende Kunst.

Gazette des Beaux Arts.

New York-

*The American Architect.

*The Art Amateur.

*The Art Interchange

*The Century.

*The Chap Book.

The Collector.

*The Decorator and Furnisher

*The English Illustrated Magazine.

*Harper's Monthly Magazine

*Harper's Weekly.

*Munsey's Magazine.

*New York Life.

Toronto-

*The Canadian Magazine.

*The Week.

Pictures of 1895.

CATALOGUES BOUGHT.

Illustré du Salon. Société d'Aquarrellistes Français Société National des Beaux Arts Figaro Salon. L'Illustration, Salon. Blackburn's Academy Notes

and New Gallery Sketches. Royal Institute of Painters in

Water Colors.

Royal Society of Painters in Water Colors. Royal Academy of Arts. American Water Colour Society Royal Academy Pictures. European Pictures of the Year.

REPORTS AND CATALOGUES RECEIVED.

Cincinnati Museum Association. Boston Museum of Fine Arts. Boston Art Club. Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. Royal Canadian Academy.

National Academy of Design, New York. Detroit Museum of Art. Society of American Artists, New York.

LECTURES.

Four interesting and instructive lectures were given during the year.

On "Mendelssohn" by Mr. Joseph Gould, February 15th, with vocal and instrumental examples.

On "The Great Venetians" by Prof. John C. Van Dyke, of New Brunswick, N.J., March 16th, with numerous lantern views.

On "Impressionism" by Monsieur J. A. Raffaelli, of Paris, France, May 2nd.

On "Sappho" by Mr. Thomas Davidson, of New York, December 4th.

An interesting presentation took place at the close of Mr. Gould's lecture, an account of which is given from a morning paper:—

Mr. Gould then said that a few weeks before the dissolution of the Mendelsohn Choir in April last, Mr. Robert Reid. who for many years had been a member, asked to be permitted to fashion with his own hands a bust of the composer as a tribute to the Society. He hoped to complete this work in December last, but owing to unforseen circumstances it had only just been completed. The bust had been handed over to the Choir by the Sculptor with the following letter:-"To Joseph Gould, Esq., organizer and conductor of the Mendelssohn Choir. Dear Mr. Gould,—Giving material shape to the desire expressed by you some time ago to preserve a memorial of our dear old Mendelssohn Choir in a more substantial form than simply that of fond recollections, I now have the pleasure of asking you to accept for yourself and the Choir this marble bust of the inspired composer. Perhaps it will not lessen the interest which you may attach to the gift to recognize in it the work of one of the earliest members of the choir. You will please dispose of it in whatever way according to your judgment will most satisfactorily accomplish the idea in view. With pleasant memories of the instructive evenings spent under your musical direction and guidance, I remain, yours faithfully, R. Reid."

Continuing, Mr. Gould said that the Choir had deemed it most appropriate to hand it over to the Art Association, to be placed in the Gallery as a lasting momento of the Mendelssohn Choir, and he now had pleasure in presenting it on his own and the Choir's behalf to Mr. Hill for the object named.

The bust, which is a beautiful specimen of the sculptor's work, and which occupied a prominent place on a pedestal on the platform, was then formally handed over.

The Rev. Mr. Hill accepted the gift on behalf of the Art Association. He said that the Association had always recognized and appreciated the importance of music as one of the fine arts, and the founder of the Association had been as passionately fond of music as he was devoted to pictures. It was fitting, therefore, that the Mendelssohn Choir, which had recently disbanded after thirty years of marked success, should find a home for the bust in their gallery, where they aimed at encouraging music as a fine art among the citizens of Montreal. The city was under a great debt of gratitude to Mr. Gould for his musical work during many years, and the Association was also under a debt of gratitude to him and to all the ladies and gentlemen who had always so readily assisted in contributing many delightful evenings to its members. gratefully accepted the gift on behalf of the Association; it was a beautiful bust, and had been fashioned by one who was both a sculptor and a musician. It would be treasured by the Association as the worthy memorial of a great musician and of his enthusiastic disciple.

Much applause followed, and a hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Gould for his address, and to the performers, and the proceedings then terminated.

GENERAL.

The thanks of the Association are due to the proprietors of the Gazette and Herald newspapers for free copies throughout the year to the Library and Reading Room.

The Membership during the past four years has been as follows:—

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	1892	1893	1884	1895
Governors	25	23	20	19
Life Members	70	70	69	68
Annual Members	408	459	475	527

In 1895:—Family tickets, 404; Single tickets, 100; Associate tickets, 23.

The number of visits to the Gallery during the last four years have been:—

1892	1893	1894	1895
By Members	13,294	14,210	17,212
Free visitors 1,532	1,242	2,306	1,154
Paying visitors 4,358	3,561	3,251	4,624

The Galleries were open during the week of the Provincial Exhibition, in September, at an entrance fee of ten cents; there were 280 Visitors.

OBITUARY.

The Council have to regret the removal by death during the year of Mr. R. W. Shepherd, a Governor and Councillor; Mr. Justice Cross, Hon. Edward Murphy, Life Members; and of Mr. E. F. Ames, Mr. S. Davis, Mr. R. L. Gault, Mr. E. M. Gibb, Mr. Warden King, Mr. James Maclean, Mr. W. H. Meredith, the Rev. W. A. Mervyn, Mr. F. H. Reynolds, Mrs. Ritchie and Mr. G. R. Robertson, Annual Members.

On behalf of the Council,

E. B. GREENSHIELDS,

President.

ROBERT LINDSAY,

Secretary.

Subscriptions to the First Building Fund,

UP TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1886.

Mr. Benaiah Gibb, as well as	1 Mr	James Burnett \$	100
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	000	Gilbert Scott	100
	500 "	J. A. Pillow	100
	500 "	Randolph Hersey	100
	500 "	James Hutton	100
	350 "	Andrew Robertson	100
" Charles Gibb	300 "	Edward Murphy	100
" J. T. Molson	250 "	Geo. Sumner	100
Mrs. Ferguson	200 "	James Johnston	100
Mr. J. W. Hopkins	200 "	David Law	100
	110 "	Hugh Mackay	100
	110 "	H. E. Murray	100
	110 "	John Rankin	100
The Right Honorable the Earl		Chas. Cassils	100
	100 "	William Angus	100
	100 "	Henry Bulmer	100
	100 "	Gilman Cheney	100
	100 "	S. H. Ewing	100
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	100 "	Robert Lindsay	100
Mr. C. F. Smithers	100 Hon	. Mr. Justice Cross	50

Mr. Robert Reford	8 50	Mr. Robert Linton \$ 10
Rev. Dr. Cordner	50	" G. W. Moss 10
Mr. Robert Wood	50	" Alexander Ewan 10
" J. M. Douglas	50	
" A. T. Paterson	50	James A. Cantlie 10
Dr. G. W. Campbell	50	" James Benning 10
Mr. H. Archibald	50	E. S. Clouston 10
" Joseph Hickson	50	n. C. Jamieson 10
" James Worthington		John Lewis 10
" P P Crindler	40	G. F. C. Smith 10
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John D. Murphy	25	" R. Wolff 10
James Court	25	" T. J. Potter 10
A. A. Drown	25	" T. R. Marshall 10
' Henry Hogan	25	" H. Shorey 10
Hon. J. R. Thibaudeau	25	" S. Waddell 10
Mr. James A. Grahame	20	" K. Campbell 10
" L. J. Sargeant	20	" Hugh Paton 10
" A. E. Gault	20	" R. A. Ramsay 10
" Joseph Tiffin, sen	20	
" J. T. Dawes	20	Charles Stimson 10
" Charles Osborne	10	John Kerry 5
		" W. Wainwright 5
James Hunter	10	The state of the s
" Alex. Macpherson	10	\$25,125

Subscriptions to the Endowment Fund.

Sir Donald A. Smith, K.C.M.G	\$6,000	00
Mr. R. B. Angus		00
Miss Orkney		00
Proceeds of the Art Fair, 1887	2,949	93
Miss Dow	2,000	00
Mr. John MacGillycuddy	1,500	00
" Hector McKenzie	1,000	00
" W. G. Murray		00
" J. W. Tempest	1,000	00
" W. R. Elmenhorst	1,000	00
The Robert Wood Studentship, per Mr. W. Drake	1,000	00
Mrs. Dow	1,000	00
Mr. James Ross		00
" E. B. Greenshields	1,000	00
" J. H. R. Molson	500	00
" F. Wolferstan Thomas	. 500	00
Miss Jessie Dow	500	00
Mr. James Burnett	500	00
Hon. G. A. Drummond	500	00
Mr. A. T. Taylor	275	00
" John Harris	. 100	00
" James Moore	100	00
" S. Carsley	100	00
" A. F. Riddell	100	00
" W. R. Miller	100	00
Miss Ethel Frothingham	100	00
Mrs. W. R. Miller	. 100	0.0
Mrs. John McDougall	100	00
Mr. Donald F. Angus	100	00
" F. L. Wanklyn	100	00
" Edgar Mill McDougall	. 100	00
" Hugh Paton	. 100	00
" W. L. Maltby	. 100	00
Very Rev. Dean Norman	25	00
Mrs. Gault	. 5	00
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THE ART ASSOCIATION OF MONTREAL,

IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TEMPEST ESTATE.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

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To	Balance from 1894	\$	342	39		
"	Dividends, Bank of Tor	onto	1,000	00		
"		k	125	00		
66		Bank	600	00		
66	Interest on Mortgages a	nd Loans	831	32		
					\$2,898	71
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		Cr.				
Ву	Paid on account "Piete	er de Hooch"\$	1,000	00		
66	" Mrs. Bolster, annu	aity	1,000	00		

Balance in Bank 873 71

\$2,898 71

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

100 S	hares	Bank of Toronto(240)	\$24,000	00		
75	"	Merchants Bank (165)	12,375	00		
25	"	Quebec Bank (120)	3,000	00		
Mortg	gages,	\$5,000., \$8,000., \$7,000	20,000	00		
Loan	to Ai	t Association	7,500	00		
On de	eposit	in Molsons Bank	589	45		
				_	\$67,464	4

Audited and verified,

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P. S. Ross & Sons,

Chartered Accountants.

Montreal, 3rd February, 1896.

Dr. W. G. MURRAY, Esq., HONORARY TREASURER,

				\$15,215	93
		4,640	66		
	Less cash on hand 75 45				
	ment fund	1,000	00		
	Withdrawn from Molsons Bank, endow-				
	Interest from endowment fund	9	59		
	Water colour class fees	118			
	Entrance fees		50		
	Annual subscriptions	3,484			
	Rents	2,683			
	Sales account	54	27		
	Spring exhibition, "	1,697	35		
	Loan exhibition, receipts	393	10		
	" 1895-96	390	00		
	Art Classes, 1894-95	280			
To	Reading Room, Periodicals sold	\$ 58	25		

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MONTREAL, 3rd February, 1896.

By Balance from last year	8 3 946	45
Fuel	410	
Reading room	107	
Lectures	169	
Repairs	282	
Art Classes, 1894-95	812	
" 1895-96	250	
Electric light	224	
Loan exhibition disbursements	570	
Spring exhibition "	1,353	
Sales account	,	99
Postage		25
Advertising	164	
Printing and stationery	225	0.0
Library	-	20
Insurance	326	
Interest	1,814	
Salaries and wages	2,590	
General charges,	257	
James Barnsley,	115	-
Gas	17	
Assessments,.	255	
Water colour class, Instructor	126	
Petty accounts		30
Tempest Estate, on account loan	1,000	
		\$15,215 93

Assets and Ciabilities, 1895.

REAL ESTATE:			
Site of Gallery \$ 9,600	00		
Building	00		
Site of New Building 20,102			
New Building Complete 44,691			
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Works of Art:-		400,001	•
Gibb Bequest 28,685	5 00		
Subsequent Donations 28,175			
Tempest Bequest 19,495	5 00		
" Purchases 6,000			
		82,355	50
Tempest Purchasing Fund		68,000	00
Library, per Inventory.,	7 72		
Furniture	81		
Insurance, paid in advance 450	00		
		3,564	53
Cash in Molsons Bank (Endowment Fund)		239	
		253,553	94
LIABILITIES.		200,000	0.1
Mortgage on New Building 25,000	00		
Loan from Tempest Estate 7,500			
	30		
Open accounts	5 73		
Balance due Molsons Bank\$4,716 11			
Less cash on hand 75 45			
4,640	66		
		37,285	69
Excess of Assets		216.268	25
Consisting of		,_00	
Gibb Bequest 46,285	5 00		
Tempest Bequest 93,495			
Endowment Fund			
Capital Account 43,433			
		\$216,268	25
Audited and verified,			_

P. S. Ross & Sons,

Chartered Accountants.

Montreal, 3rd February, 1896.

Maintenance, 1895.

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Spring exhibition\$	384	05		
Rents	2,683	31		
Annual subscriptions	3,484	50		
Entrance fees	367	90		
Catalogues	38	50		
-		_	6,958	26
Dr.				
Fuel	410	92		
Reading room	49	25		
Lectures	169	75		
Repairs and improvements	282	41		
Art Classes, 1894—1895	252	79		
Electric light	224	22		
Loan exhibition	177	83		
Postage	84	25		
Advertising	164	50		
Printing and stationery	225	64		
Insurance	326	38		
Interest	1,804	52		
Salaries and wages	2,590	00		
General charges	257	25		
Gas	17	84		
Assessments	255	80		
		_	\$7,293	35
Profit and Loss. Dr			335	09

Audited and verified.

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MONTREAL, 3rd February, 1896.

ART ASSOCIATION OF MONTREAL.

Proceedings of Annual Meeting.

The Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Association, duly summoned, was held in the large Gallery, on Friday, February 21st, at 4.30 P.M.

Present.—Mr. E. B. Greenshields, President, in the chair; Messrs. R. B. Angus, W. G. Murray, James Ross, D. A. Watt, Governors; Rev. J. Edgar Hill, Dr. F. J. Shepherd, Messrs. C. J. Fleet, A. T. Taylor, Councillors; Messrs. Gilman Cheney, Robert Harris, P.R.C.A., W. L. Maltby, Life Members; Col. Elliott, Prof. J. Scrimger, Messrs. R. Stanley Bagg, Andrew Baile, T. B. Brown, A. C. Clark, J. Try-Davies, G. C. Dunlop, O. M. Gould, Edward Holton, G. M. Kinghorn, W. R. Millar, W. S. Morrow, M.D., H. C. Nelson, S. P. Stearns, W. J. Turpin, and others.

It was agreed that the minutes of the Annual General Meeting, held on Friday, February 22nd, 1895, be taken as read.

The report of the year 1895 having been read by the Secretary, the President said,—

The past year of the Art Association has been an interesting one in many ways. No burning questions have arisen requiring discussion at special meetings, but quiet and steady progress has been made. One of the pleasant and encouraging features in the report, is the increase in the membership, from 400 in 1891 to 527 in 1895. Although this number is still very small for a city the size of Montreal, it is gratifying to see that more persons every year are appreciating the advantages offered by the Association. If we all follow the suggestion of the Council in the report, and

secure one new member each, it will mean a very large addition for this year. The number of visits of members to the Gallery in 1895, was 17,212, and paying visitors 4,624, against 14,210 and 3,251 in 1894, showing a decided increase in both cases over last year.

The Council were very much pleased to be able to make arrangements for the Loan Exhibition that was held last Fall. It was a very successful one, and the paintings exhibited were of a very high class, and elicited a great deal of interest and admiration. The thanks of the Association are cordially given to the gentlemen who so kindly lent these valuable paintings. The Social gatherings at this exhibition were a marked feature, and the Council is glad to see that the Private View evenings are so thoroughly appreciated.

There were four interesting lectures given last year, by Mr. Gould, Mr. Rafaelli, Mr. Van Dyke and Mr. Davidson.

During the course of Mr. Gould's lecture, a bust of Mendelssohn was presented to the Art Association as a memento of the Mendelssohn Choir. I was in England when this interesting ceremony took place, but I would like now to express my feeling of pleasure, both as President of this Association and individually, that we should have in our Gallery a Statue that will recall to our minds the valuable work of the Mendelssohn Choir, and the labor of love of its organizer and leader—I may say, its very soul—Mr. Joseph Gould, who will always be admired and respected by his fellow citizens, for himself, as well as for his musical gifts and artistic temperament. We have been very much indebted to him for the delightful musical evenings he has given in this Gallery, and we hope to have many more in the future, on the well known principle that the reward of doing one good deed, is being given the capacity and desire to do more good deeds!

Regarding the finances, we are as you know, in debt, but it does not follow because we are in debt, that we are not making progress. I read recently in a work on the Universities in the United States, where they have such princely endowments and yet not equal to their needs, a remark that no University could be doing thoroughly good work, unless it was on the verge of bank ruptcy! And there is a truth in this startling paradox, because if

any institution is living, it must be growing and stretching out in all directions, and needing all, and more than all the assistance it can get. We might compare it to a growing tree, spreading its branches on every side, its leaves catching the sun and air, that it may breath and live, and fulfill its purpose in the universal plan.

Our Association if it is to live, needs sun and air too, but these are represented chiefly by the gifts of its friends, and when they are not sufficient for its needs, it must borrow from the future, not of course for ordinary expenses, but for permanent and necessary improvements. When it commenced to grow, and put up the first building, it went into debt to do so, and when that debt was paid, it put up the second building and again incurred a debt, and in both cases, I think everyone will agree, that it was engaged in the very best work it could be doing, and that it was promoting the knowledge of Art and interesting many people in it.

But it follows of course, that the debt must be paid, before the usefulness of the Association can again be increased, and we are now at one of those periods when we must pay off the debt we have incurred. The Council wish to remind the members that when the new building was put up, no general canvas was made, and only about twelve people subscribed to the fund. They hope this matter will be carefully considered this year, and that this appeal will be liberally responded to. If the debt were paid off, a sum of \$1800 annually would be released, which could be used to advantage in many ways.

The Council record in this year's report, with very great regret, the death of Mr. R. W. Shepherd, one of the Governors. He was for a long time an active member of Council, a warm friend of the Association, and a willing worker for its success, and we all feel deeply the loss we have sustained.

Looking back over the history of the Association, we are impressed with the fact, that the Council has always kept a high aim in view and desired to make it a society well equipped to promote the cause of Art, and worthy of the chief city of our country. This was clearly the idea its first benefactor, Mr. Benaiah Gibb, had in view, when he gave the liberal bequests that are associated with his name, and it animated one of our recent Presidents, when

he presented the handsome donation of valuable paintings, and Mr. Tempest when he left his splendid legacy, and the generous friends who subscribed to build the two Galleries. And the result is we stand to-day, well able for further progress, with fine buildings and galleries, and pictures, the best modern studios for the Art Classes, and a bright and attractive Reading Room. But we must not imagine that we are to stand still. I think the time has now come when we should look forward to securing some representative works of the great masters, to hang in the new Gallery. It is true we may not dare to hope to have works by the great Italians, illustrating the art of figure painting, from the days when the early Florentines re-discovered the art of painting,—those great men whose wronged spirits to day walk the streets of Florence, according to Browning, sadly watching the almost ruin that has overtaken their works through the ignorance of the men he satirizes as those of the "little wit"-to the time when Italian Art culminated in Raphael and Titian. But I think we might reasonably hope to have in the course of years a representative collection of the works of the great landscape painters since the genius of Claude burst on the world. The works of Claude, Hobbema, Ruysdael, Constable, Turner, Corot, &c., can still occasionally be bought, and with the interest from the Tempest bequest, and the surplus we would have if the debt on the building were paid, we would soon be able to make a beginning towards such a collection. No doubt also, the Association would be assisted in its efforts by gifts from its friends. It is difficult to realize what an advantage such a collection would be to the student of Art, or what pleasure it would give, or the number of visitors it would attract to our city. I like to think of our new Gallery being filled with such works. It may be a dream, but one that I hope will some day come true. In any case we must continue, as in the past, to keep a high aim before us. We must not be satisfied to remain where we are; that is comparatively easy to do. We must have a lofty ideal and strive for it, even if we never attain to it.

The President then moved the adoption of the report.

Mr. D. A. Watt seconded the motion, and said he was sure if the public thought over the matter, they would see how much was given by the Association in return for the small sum charged for the annual ticket, and how valuable the privileges were.

The four lectures given last year would alone represent the cost of membership, there were the private views at the exhibitions, the use of the reading room with its periodicals and papers, and free entrance to the Galleries. He hoped the number of members would be much larger next year.

Mr. R. B. Angus congratulated the members on the progress made by the Association and on the satisfactory report presented to the meeting for the past year.

The report was adopted.

Mr. W. R. Millar and Mr. G. C. Dunlop having been appointed Scrutineers, the following gentlemen were declared elected to the positions named:—

President-Hon, G. A. Drummond.

Vice-President-Sir Wm. C. Van Horne.

Treasurer-Mr. W. J. Murray.

Councillors for Two Years—Rev. J. Edgar Hill, Messrs. C. J. Fleet, E. B. Greenshields, William McLennan, David Morrice and James Ross.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Roll of Members for the Year 1895.

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DECEASED.

Baker, John C	1882
Buntin, Alexander	1893
Burnett, James	1894
Dow, Mrs. Andrew	1892
Elmenhorst, W. R	
Gault, M. H	1887
Greenshields, D. J	1882
Harris, John	

 Kay, W. Fred
 1893

 Mackay, Edward
 1893

 Mackay, Hon. Robert
 1888

 Moat, Mrs. Robert
 1883

 Popham, John
 1895

 Redpath, Peter
 1894

 Shepherd, R. W
 1895

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1869 to 1870	Peter Redpath	Dr. T. Sterry Hunt	** **
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EXTRACTS FROM THE BY-LAWS.

BENEFACTORS.

3. Donors of money or property to the value of \$5000 and upwards, shall be enrolled as Benefactors, and shall have their names inscribed on the walls of the Art Gallery and printed in every annual report.

GOVERNORS.

4. A donation of \$500 in money, or of property to the value (in the opinion of the Council) of \$1000, shall be a qualification for nomination to the office of Governor.

LIFE MEMBERS.

 A donation of \$100 in money, or of property to the value (in the opinion of the Council) of \$400, shall be a qualification for nomination to the office of Life-Member.

ANNUAL MEMBERS.

The subscription for a family membership, entitling the holder, the ladies of the family, and all sons under twenty, resident under the holder's roof, to free admission to the Reading Room, Galleries, etc., and on all ordinary occasions to Exhibitions, is seven dollars and a half.

The subscription for individual membership is five dollars.

The Association year begins on January 1st, and all subscriptions are payable at the commencement of the year.

Art Association of Montreal

PHILLIPS SQUARE.

FIFTEENTH YEAR OF THE ADVANCED ART CLASSES.

The Session for 1895-'96 commenced on Wednesday, October 16th, and will close on Friday, May 15th, under the direction of Mr. William Brymner, R. C. A. The Studios are open for work every week-day; and the regular instruction is given from 9.30 to 12.30 on the mornings of Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

The Course is, as far as possible that adopted in the French Studios, which assumes the fact until one step is well taken, it is useless to proceed to the next. A thorough study of form being of first importance, the Student will draw from the cast in light and shade, proceeding from simple objects, parts of the figure, etc., to the entire figure from the antique.

On the days when instruction is given, those Students who will be benefitted by doing so, will paint from the cast or from still-life, and those sufficiently advanced will also work from the living model.

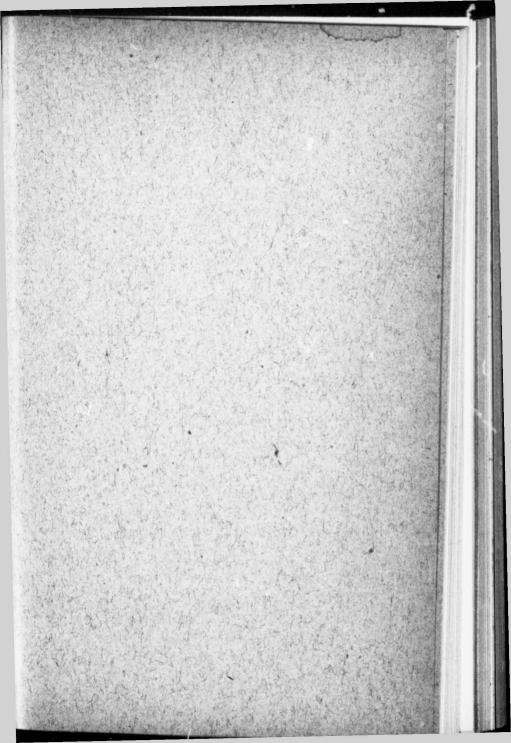
Subjects for composition will be given out occasionally during the Session.

The Session for 1895-'96 will extend over two terms, the first term being from the 16th of October to the 3rd of February, and the second term from the 5th of February to the 15th of May. It will be optional to Students to attend by the Session, term or month.

Fees, in all cases payable in advance, have been fixed for the full session at \$40; for the term at \$25; and for the month at \$10.

The Classes are held in the Association's Studios, Phillip's Square, and the Students are granted during the continuance of their study all the privileges of a membership, with the exception of the right to vote or to introduce friends.

Two Association Scholarships will be offered for competition at the end of the Session, each entitling the winner to two years free tuition.



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