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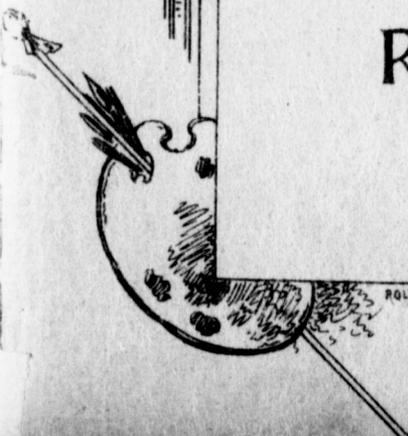
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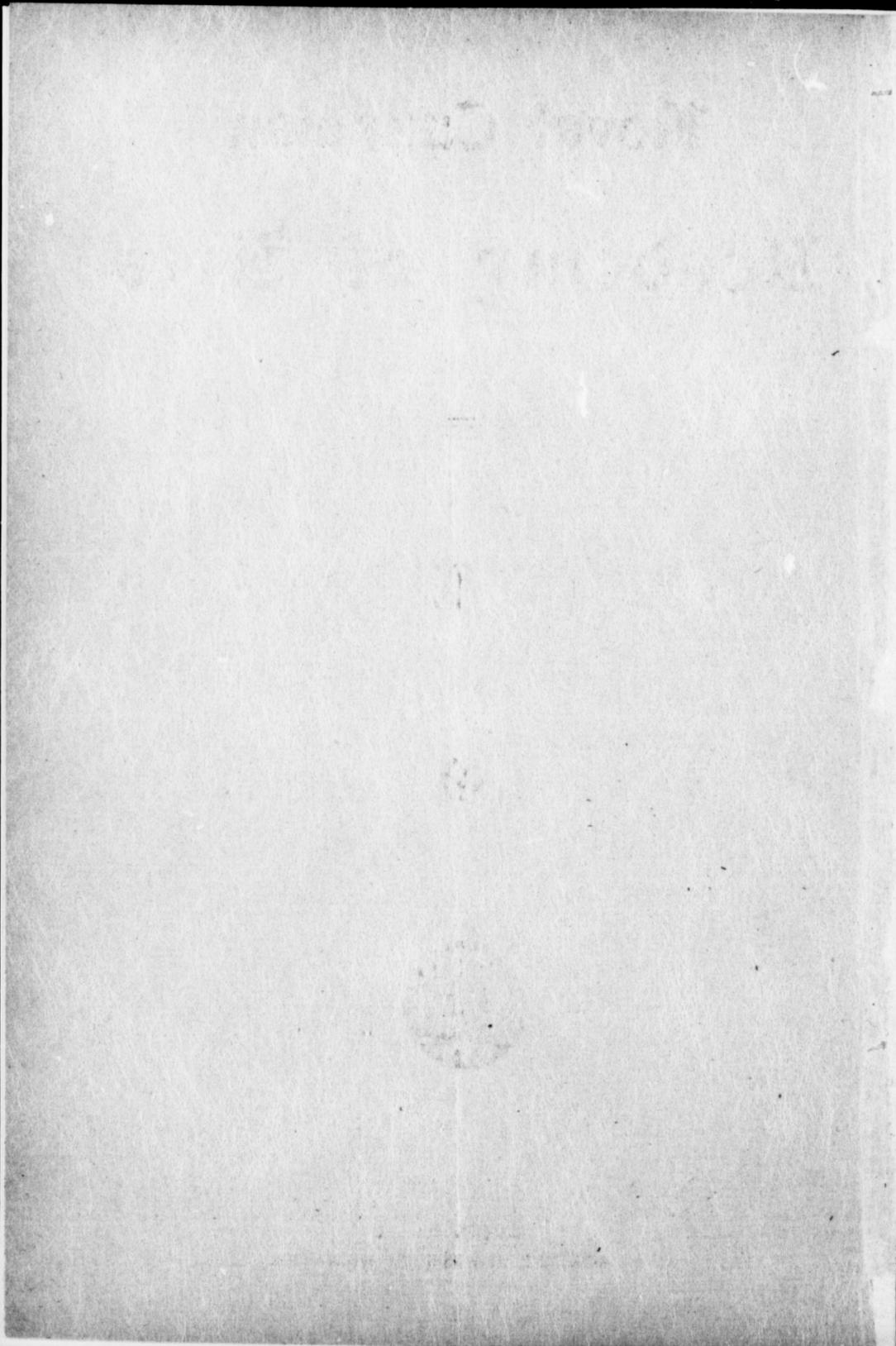


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ROYAL CANADIAN ACADEMY of ARTS

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Founders.

THE MOST HONORABLE THE MARQUIS OF LORNE,
HER ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCESS LOUISE.

Patron.

HIS EXCELLENCY LORD ABERDEEN,
Governor-General of Canada.

Honorary Patron.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE.

Officers.

PRESIDENT	-	-	ROBT. HARRIS	-	-	Montreal.
VICE-PRESIDENT	-	-	A. C. HUTCHISON	-	-	"
SECRETARY-TREASURER	-	-	JAMES SMITH	-	-	Toronto.

Council for 1893-4.

Wm. Raphael	-	-	Montreal.	J. W. H. Watts	-	Ottawa.
T. S. Scott	-	-	Ottawa.	Forshaw Day	-	Kingston.
A. H. Howard	-	-	Toronto.	A. T. Taylor	-	Montreal.
F. M. Bell-Smith	-	-	"	A. F. Dunlop	-	"
A. D. Patterson	-	-	"	Hamilton MacCarthy	-	Toronto.
G. A. Reid	-	-	"	Thos. Fuller	-	Ottawa.

Honorary Retired Academician.

N. Bourassa Monte Bello.

Academicians.

Painters.

W. Brymner Montreal.
 Forshaw Day Kingston.
 D. Fowler Amherst Island.
 J. C. Forbes Toronto.
 James Griffiths London.
 Robert Harris Montreal.
 O. R. Jacobi Toronto.
 M. Matthews "
 T. M. Martin "
 L. R. O'Brien "
 A. D. Patterson "
 William Raphael Montreal.
 Geo. A. Reid Toronto.
 F. M. Bell-Smith "
 H. R. Watson Doon.

Architects.

Jos Connolly Toronto.
 A. F. Duniop Montreal.
 T. Fuller Ottawa.
 J. W. Hopkins Montreal.
 A. C. Hutchison "
 Henry Langly Toronto.
 T. S. Scott Ottawa.
 James Smith Toronto.
 A. T. Taylor Montreal.

Sculptors.

Hamilton MacCarthy .. Toronto.

Designers.

A. H. Howard Toronto.
 J. W. H. Watts Ottawa.

Academicians=Elect.

J. Hammond St. John, N.B.
 D. B. Dick Toronto.

Honorary Non-Resident Academicians.

C. S. Millard . Cheltenham, Eng. C. J. Way, Lausanne, Switzerl'd. Hy. Sandham Boston, U.S.	J. A. Fraser New York. P. F. Woodcock "
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Academicians Deceased.

W. N. Creswell Seaforth. Allan Edson Montreal. Paul Peel London. Antoine Plamondon Quebec.	J. G. Howard Toronto. H. Perre " W. G. Storm "
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Associates.

A. Cox Toronto. J. W. L. Forster " R. F. Gagen " Geo. Harvey Halifax. F. M. Knowles Toronto. Henry Martin " J. C. Miles St. John, N.B.	J. C. Pinhey Montreal. Miss M. A. Bell Almonte. Mrs. H. M. Reid Toronto. Wm. Revell " J. T. Rolph " W. H. Ruel Porchester, Hants, Eng.
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G. Bruenech.....	Toronto.	Sydney Tully.....	Toronto.
F. S. Challenor.....	"	W. Cruickshank.....	"
C. M. Manley.....	"	E. Dyonnet.....	Montreal.
P. G. Wickson.....	Paris, Ont.	F. A. Verner.....	London.
Erama S Windeat.....	Toronto.	E. Wyly Grier.....	Toronto.
W. A. Sherwood.....	"	E. Thompson.....	"
Carl Ahrens.....	"		

Associate Architects.

James Balfour.....	Hamilton.	H. Gordon.....	Toronto.
S. G. Curry.....	Toronto.	W. C. Harris	
W. L. Symons.....	"		Charlottetown, P.E.I.
Jas. Nelson.....	Montreal.	Jos. W. Power.....	Kingston.
John Gemmell.....	Toronto.	S. H. Townsend.....	Toronto.



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REPORT OF THE COUNCIL

FOR THE YEAR 1893

The last annual exhibition was held in Montreal in the Gallery of the Art Association. The rule as to the exhibition of pictures previously shown was suspended owing to the necessary hanging of some works intended for the Chicago Exhibition. The total number of persons visiting the Gallery was about four thousand, the conversazione on the night of opening being attended by five hundred. Several pictures were purchased by the Academy and placed in the National Gallery, Ottawa. The sales in all amounted to over fifteen hundred and seventy six dollars.

At the annual meeting Robert Harris, R.C.A., was elected President. The other officers were re-elected.

The voting for the vacancies declared in the list of Academicians resulted in the election of John Hammond, painter, of New Brunswick, and D. B. Dick, architect, of Toronto.

The following were elected Associate painters :

F. A. Verner, London, England ; E. Dyonnet, Montreal ; W. Cruickshank, Toronto ; E. Wyly Grier, Toronto ; Ernest Thompson, Toronto ; Mrs. H. M. Reid, Toronto ; Miss M. A. Bell, Almonte.

During the past year grants for the support of Art Education in various cities were made by the Council as heretofore.

A selection of pictures for the Columbian Exhibition was made by a Committee appointed by the Dominion Government. The sum devoted by the Government to defraying the expenses connected with the Exhibition was not entirely sufficient to do so, even with much gratuitous work which was done. The collection filled two rooms in the Fine Art Building. There being no guarantee fund and the sum devoted to the purpose being so limited, it was found impossible to make a collection of the most important paintings produced in Canada for some years past. This the course adopted by other countries, in our case had to be abandoned. The Exhibition thus necessarily was of the character of those annually held here. It was, however, so marked an advance on what would have been possible in Canada some years since that it was felt to be gratifying to those taking an interest in the state of our Art. Five of our painters were awarded medals by the jury.

The Council at its last meeting declared vacancies for two Academician painters.

The next Annual Exhibition will be opened 29th March next in Ottawa, which for many reasons seemed to the Council the most suitable place.

The accounts of the Academy for the past year are submitted.

ROBERT HARRIS,

President.



ROYAL CANADIAN

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR

RECEIPTS.

Balance forward from 1892		\$2,888 40
MEMBERS' FEES—		
Academicians	\$198 35	
Associate Members	85 00	
Honorary Members	35 00	
	318 35	
Government Grant		2,000 00
Interest on Bank Account		23 40
Academy Lot Rent		84 30
Sale of Members' Pictures at Chicago		285 00

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ACADEMY OF ARTS.

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1893.

EXPENDITURE.

ADMINISTRATION—

Secretary's Salary	\$400 00
Office Rent	60 00
Stationery, Postage, etc.	34 50

\$494 50

ANNUAL MEETING AND EXHIBITION—

Mileage and Committee Fees	469 85
Freight, Express, and Packing, etc.	216 14
W. Scott & Son, Handling Pictures	156 15
Insurance	30 00
Conversazione, etc	97 00
Printing, Stationery, etc.	53 35
Grant to Staff, etc.	150 00
Annual Entertainment	118 30

1,290 79

ACADEMY LOT—

Interest on Mortgage	120 00
Taxes	95 07

215 07

ADVANCED ART—

Montreal Grant	200 00
Ottawa Grant	200 00
Toronto Grant	200 00

600 00

DONATIONS TO NATIONAL GALLERY—

O. R. Jacobi, Portrait	135 50
W. A. Sherwood, Picture	125 00
Mrs. H. M. Reid	75 00
J. A. Fraser, Picture	200 75
Brownell	100 00

636 25

Paid to Members on Account Pictures sold at Chicago.	151 75
Cash on Hand forward to 1894	2,211 09

Examined and found correct.

\$5,599 45

HENRY LANGLEY, *Auditor.*

JAS. SMITH, *Sec. Treas., R.C.A.*

January 25th, 1894.