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years been the main desire of many  
ardent collectors. With this object  
in view an organizing committee  
has been formed, who are preparing  
a draft of a constitution and by  
officially invite all Canadian philate-  
lists to join with them and assist  
in making the new Association a  
grand success. As soon as sufficient  
names have been secured an election  
of officers will be held, which will be  
similar to the A. P. A. with the ex-  
ception that it is proposed to have  
a Vice President in each province.  
Collectors will have the benefit of a  
good exchange bureau, purchasing  
department, counterfeit detector,  
etc. The following are the names of  
a few of our principal philatelists  
received by the Secretary, Mr. Jno. R.  
Hooper, of this city:

"I am glad that the formation of  
a Canadian society has been under-  
taken. It is a move in the right  
direction, and it has often been a  
matter of surprise and regret to me  
that we did not have such an organ-  
ization in the Dominion. Long live  
the C. P. A.—F. J. GANNETT, Brant-  
ford, Ont.

"I am in hearty sympathy with  
such a scheme. Think we should  
have an exchange bureau and pur-  
chasing dept. Will do all I can to  
assist.—J. A. LEITCH, Orange-  
ville, Ont.

"I will be able to secure several  
members for the C. P. A. I have  
written to several collectors on the  
subject. Would suggest a Vice  
President for each province, with a  
Sec. Treas. at Ottawa, the latter  
place to be headquarters, also that  
foreign collectors and dealers be  
admitted as honorary members on  
payment of small fee.—H. F. KAT-  
KINSON, Belleville, Can.

"I wish the C. P. A. success, as it  
is much needed here in Canada.  
Collectors seem to be somewhat  
scattered, and this will help to draw  
them closer together.—R. F. M. RAE,  
Montreal, Que.

"I shall do all in my power to  
push the scheme along. Will en-  
deavour to get all I can to join.—  
J. C. NISSER, Toronto.

"I desire to join the C. P. A.—  
N. E. CARTER, Delevan, Wis.

"I do not suppose the C. P. A. is  
intended for Canadian philatelists  
only. I would be pleased to join.—  
KARL C. MISZA, Hooisick Falls, N. Y.

"I believe that a Canadian philate-  
lic society if properly organized  
and centrally located with branches  
would be a useful institution. Such  
a society ought to do good in the  
matter of postal reform besides facili-  
tating exchanges.—HENRY HERR-  
ICK, Halifax, N. S.

"I shall be most happy to become  
a member of the C. P. A., and to  
render you all assistance in my  
power to further the work of organ-  
izing, and wish it every success.—  
HENRY S. HARTZ, Pettitsham, N. B.

"Would like to become a member  
of the C. P. A.—Geo. H. HARRISON,  
London, Ont.

"I heartily approve the end you  
have in view and hope it will meet  
with every success. I will do all I  
can to forward the organization, as  
we Canadian collectors have long  
needed an exchange bureau.—J. H.  
TODD, Brandon, Man.

## Society, etc.

Speaker Osmet Kees for Eng-  
land shortly  
Sir David and Lady Macpherson  
are at Lisburn  
Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick goes to  
Wimbledon, Eng.  
Judge and Mrs. Arden have been  
visiting friends in the city.

Rev. J. A. L. of Acadia  
Mines, N. S., gave us a friendly call.  
The Queen, London Truth says,  
will make a big bag of Jubilee  
Pecora.

Mr. W. Edgar Burt is spending  
his holidays at his old home in Lon-  
don.  
The Ottawa school children are  
getting three thousand medals  
from Toronto.

Rev. W. T. Herridge and Mrs.  
Herridge will view the classic beau-  
ty of Scotland.  
Mr. J. W. Kidd, a graduate of  
Queen's, has commenced the study  
of law in the Capital.

Mrs. Chisholm attended the con-  
vention of the W. G. T. U. at  
Farmersville on the 15th.  
Lady Macdonald has done the hon-  
our of entertaining our legislators  
while during the past session.

The Prince of Wales is called  
"The Great Chief without a scalp"  
by the Wild West Show Indians.  
Dr. H. G. Grant, of this city, has  
been appointed surgeon on one of  
the British India Co's steamers.

Hon. Mr. Kirkpatrick and Dal-  
ton McCarthy, M. P., are spoken  
of as possible Cabinet Ministers.  
Mr. H. G. Hooper, lately pri-  
vate secretary to Mr. Alexander  
Campbell, is now an inspector at  
Stratford.

The Queen has approval of the  
appointment of Mr. Nicol, Kingsmill  
as consul for the Argentine Repub-  
lic in Canada.

Sir Adolphe and Lady Caron gave  
a complimentary dinner to several  
Members of the Queen's Regency  
and M. P. at this week's entertain-  
ment in honor of the Queen's  
birthday celebration at the  
Stratford Hotel.

Lord and Lady Londonderry have  
given as many dinners at Govern-  
ment House during the session as  
at previous sessions of equal length.  
Mr. Tilton has been elected Presi-  
dent of the Ladies' Missionary So-  
ciety, Mrs. Grant Porsell, 1st Vice  
President, and Miss Yelding, secre-  
tary.

Mrs. and Miss Hall, of Sherbroke,  
Que. (wife and daughter of Mr.  
Hall, M. P.) were invited to the  
State ball recently held in London,  
Eng.

Mr. E. Miles has very kindly  
presented a view of the Lansdowne  
country seat in Wilt. "Bowood,"  
to the society which bears that  
name.

Major Boulton, who commanded  
Boulton's Scouts during the  
North West rebellion is paying a  
visit to his father, Col. Boulton,  
Cobourg.

The Earl of Aberdeen, lord lieu-  
tenant of Ireland under Gladstone,  
was given a cordial reception by the  
citizens of San Francisco. He will  
visit Ottawa.

Princess Louise founded at the  
principal stall at the annual sale at  
the Royal School of Art Needle-  
work Princess Christian and Vic-  
toria also assisted.

Sir John A. Macdonald will likely  
leave for England soon on a trip for  
the benefit of his health. The ar-  
duous work of the late campaign  
and session he has been well.

Mr. A. G. Learoy has been ap-  
pointed as a probationer to the Me-  
thodist Church at Billings bridge.  
His father, Rev. P. Learoy, is  
president of the Baptist Me-  
thodist conference.

Col. Henry Smith, the very popu-  
lar sergeant-at-arms of the Com-  
mons, commands the gallant 14th  
Princess of Wales Own Rifles  
(Kingstons). We wish his reg-  
iment the best on the 15th July.

Lord Dufferin's eldest daughter  
is now in England. She is a fine,  
handsome young woman and would  
be scarcely recognizable by those  
who saw her a child in the Capital.  
The young Earl Dufferin is in India  
with a cavalry regiment.

Her Majesty's drawing room, held  
by the Princess of Wales at Back-  
ingham Palace, was attended by the  
following Canadian ladies:—Mrs.  
Jas. Follows, Mrs. Anna Follows,  
Mrs. Cattaneck (Toronto), Mrs.

Joseph Arbutnot, Fredericton, N.S.,  
to Her Royal Highness at this Court  
were, by the Queen's pleasure, con-  
sidered as equivalent to presenta-  
tions to Her Majesty.

Rev. W. Scott is now celebrating  
the Jubilee year of his ministry.  
The venerable gentleman is highly  
esteemed by all who know him and  
we wish him many long years of  
happiness. He is engaged on a new  
work on "St. Paul."

Her Majesty will be presented by  
the loyal bootmakers of Stafford  
with a Jubilee outfit of boots, one  
boot per annum for every year of  
her reign. Twenty five pairs—of  
course she will choose Balmoral  
in accepting the proffered donation  
the Queen has given directions that  
one of her boots shall be forwarded  
as a pattern.

Namismatic Notes.  
Chinese "cash" were first coined  
about 1120 B. C.  
Gold was first coined into money  
by the Florentines in 1252.  
First American copper cent was  
coined at New Haven in 1667.

The first milled coins were minted  
in 1558, in the tower of London.  
A new coin to be called a "Double  
Florin" is to be issued from the  
Royal mint, London, England, to  
represent four shillings, or one fifth  
of a pound, the obverse and reverse  
to be the same as the florin.

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are very fairly executed, and the  
design good. The white metal  
issues are the only metal we have  
seen so far.

Messrs. Mason & Co., Ingersoll,  
Ont., have issued a Jubilee medal,  
the obverse being the smaller, Ellis  
& Co. issue, and the reverse "Com-  
pliments of Mason & Co., Watch-  
makers & Jewellers, Ingersoll."  
Mr. L. J. Casault, Library of Par-  
liament, Ottawa, is an enthusiastic  
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