

REPORT FROM THE PRESIDENT

Since news about our annual meeting in Saskatoon appears elsewhere in this issue of the Newsletter, it remains only for me to add a few comments of my own about events there. Thanks to Pat Kellogg's enthusiasm in planning the program and to Katherine Husband's valiant efforts in carrying out the local arrangements, our first two-day meeting proved very successful. Members attending had unusually good opportunity for discussion together, while response from newcomers indicated their interest in becoming involved in CAML activities. We shall welcome their participation. Our meeting demonstrated again the benefits to be gained by our joining with a larger organization. The range of lectures and events available to us from our association with CAUSM is a stimulus CAML participants much appreciate.

During the course of our meetings, it became apparent that a number of positions have opened up for which we urge members to volunteer. The Publications Committee needs a chairman to carry on in Kathleen Toomey's place as soon as our two forthcoming publications are in print. With Maria Calderisi's resignation as Canada's representative for RIdIM, we are looking for someone to carry forward the work of that project. As you are aware, RIdIM's task is to document all original examples of visual material with musical content or connotation existing in Canada. Maria's report summarizing aims and activity to date appears in this Newsletter. Then Pat Kellogg is eager to find a CAML member in Quebec to participate on the Program Committee. As well, there is a possible place for someone to serve on the CAML/CAUSM Joint Committee on Bibliography. Finally, at our meeting a Cataloguing Committee was struck in direct response to a request for Canadian participation in two endeavours related to AACR-2 - a marvellous opportunity for active cataloguers! CAML members wishing to serve in any capacity, or wishing for more information, should contact me in the Music Department, The Metropolitan Toronto Library, 789 Yonge St., Toronto M4W 2G8.

Next year's annual meeting has been announced for Montreal. In the meantime, there's work to be done - and we need you to join in the effort!

Isabel Rose.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The CAML Executive for 1979-80 are as follows:

President:	Isabel Rose
Vice President:	Sandra Benet
Secretary:	Alma Hyslop
Members-at-	Jane Baldwin
large:	Claude Beaudry

2. To mark the centenary of Healey Willans' birth in 1980, the Music Division of the National Library of Canada will prepare an exhibit of Willan scores and memorabilia for display across Canada by sponsoring groups.