

Archivist's report
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There have been no materials submitted to the archive this year.

It is imperative that board members send in relevant materials to be included in the CSTM archive. By relevant materials I mean: correspondence, financial and committee reports, membership and subscription lists, grant applications, bibliographies, manuscripts of articles submitted to the Society for publication consideration, news clippings, promotional material and other miscellaneous material.

While the Bulletin is very well represented, the Journal and other correspondence between executive members are not. I would like the help of both current and past executive members to send in relative materials they may have in their homes or offices. Besides being an excellent archive of the society's history, scholars from the University of Calgary and elsewhere use the resource often in their research.

I would like to suggest that there be a committee formed to work with me to discuss ways of improving the archive.

Respectively submitted,
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