
Secretary-Treasurer's Report

STATEMENT REGARDING THE FINANCIAL SITUATION

As the North American Society for Sport History moves into 1976, it appears to be on a firm financial base, but not without some future problems. The basic costs for publishing, fortunately, have not risen appreciably over the past two years. There are, however, two financial situations which are of concern. First, the publication of a third issue of the JOURNAL OF SPORT HISTORY will likely consume the reserves which we have at the present time. Second, as the organization expands, the editorial expenses of the JOURNAL and the secretarial expenses of the business aspect of the Society will likely increase significantly. To pay for these services it may be necessary to increase the membership dues in the near future.

Membership is still growing, but it is much slower than in the first two years. Individual membership have leveled off with only slight increases in regular and student membership. Institutional membership continues to grow. Support from libraries is fundamental to the financial stability of NASSH.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT FOR 1975 WITH COMPARISON TO PAST YEARS

	1973	1974	1975
Regular Members	119	223	232
Sustaining Members	22	13	9
Student Members	22	48	54
Life Members	0	2	4
Institutional Members	8	142	187
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TOTAL	171	428	486

GEOGRAPHICAL COMPOSITION OF INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS
FROM CANADA, MEXICO, AND U.S.A. (1975)

CANADA

Alberta	6
British Columbia	1
Manitoba	1
New Brunswick	2
New Foundland	1
Northwest Territories	0
Nova Scotia	5
Ontario	15
Quebec	4
Saskatchewan	2
	Total
	37

MEXICO 0

UNITED STATES

New England (Cn., Me., Ma., N.H., R.I., Vt.)	28
New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania	44
Maryland, Virginia., W. Virginia, Wash. D.C.	25
N. Carolina, S. Carolina, Georgia, Florida	21
Alabama, Arkansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Miss., Tennessee	15
Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin	60
Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, N.D., S.D.	16
Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, N.M., Okla., Texas, Utah	16
Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Wash., Wyoming	15
California	30
	Total
	270

States over 7 members

California	30
Ohio	26
Massachusetts	21
New York	21
Pennsylvania	21
Illinois	15
Maryland	13
North Carolina	9

FOREIGN

Africa (Mosambique, Republic of South Africa)	2
Australia and New Zealand	4
Europe (Belgium, Switzerland, West Germany)	6
Far East (Indonesia, Japan, Taiwan)	4
	Total
	16

STATEMENT FOR CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, AND FUND BALANCE
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975.

Fund (checking account) Balance, January 1, 1975 \$447.46

Receipts

Membership Dues	\$9,868.22	
Life Memberships	400.00	
Sale of Proceedings	570.00	
Sale of Journals	1,125.00	
Convention	820.00	
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	12,783.22	12,783.22

Disbursements

Supplies (letterheads, stamps, forms, etc.)	\$711.66	
Journal	4,543.64	
Printing V. II, Nos. 1 & 2	\$4,094.02	
Addressograph Service	130.35	
Editor's Expense	202.00	
Ass't. Editor's Expense	117.27	
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	4,543.64	
Bank Charge (foreign checks)	16.51	
Newsletter	316.90	
Directory of Scholars	314.30	
Convention	1,209.50	
Refunds	127.50	
Other	28.00	
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	7,267.95	
Savings (including Life Memberships)	5,400.00	
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	12,667.95	<u>12,667.95</u>

FUND BALANCE (checking account), DECEMBER 31, 1975 \$562.73

Respectfully submitted,
Ronald A. Smith
NASSH, Sec.-Treas.