SECRETARY'S REPORT

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SOIL SURVEY WORKERS,
from November 19, 1921 to November 17, 1922.

The activities of the Association during the past year have been directed chiefly to the publication of Bulletin No. 3 which was a report of the second annual conference of the Association held at East Lansing, Michigan, November 18 and 19, 1921. This report consisted of ninety-one pages and three hundred complete copies were issued. The Secretary wishes to state that the stencils for this report were all cut by the office of the U. S. Bureau of Soils at Washington, D. C., and the paper, mimeograph machine, labor and etc., in running off the copies were supplied by the University of Wisconsin, College of Agriculture. For all of this work and service there was no charge made. The copies of the Bulletin were mailed out in March 1922 to all members and to about one hundred fifty others who are interested in our work.

Two hundred copies of Bulletin No. 2 were sold to the Oklahoma Agricultural College and several other small shipments of from ten to fifty each were made to other soil workers who were not previously supplied. The Secretary still has on hand about twelve hundred copies of Bulletin No. 2. It has been our practice to supply without cost about one hundred copies of these to Colleges desiring them; where more than this number are desired, we have been quoting a price of $3 per hundred or $25 per thousand.

MEMBERSHIP

At the time of the annual meeting in 1921 there were one hundred thirty-six members. At the present time the Association has one hundred sixty-eight members and those are distributed among thirty-five states and nine Canadian provinces, in addition we have one member in the Philippine Islands and one member in India. We also have a request from a soil worker in Norway asking if he is eligible for membership. A soil worker in Australia has shown much interest in our Association and may wish to become a member. The Secretary wishes to suggest that the Association should take some action relative to admitting workers from foreign countries to membership in the Association.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SOIL SURVEY WORKERS.

(Signed) W. J. Geib.

Approved Nov. 17, 1922.

Secretary-Treasurer.