

would have received many a generous donation; while with us, a whole twelve-month passes by, with scarcely an added gift to its needy binding fund.

It has been over eighteen years since Hon. John Catlin made the first donation to this fund. Its growth has been slow, while the needs of the Society are increasing with each additional year. Several of the aged managers of the Society would be rejoiced to see this fund made available before they go hence. We should make a pressing appeal to the friends of the Society in behalf of this fund. If pledges could be secured, payable one third yearly, without interest, for three years, the aggregate would probably go far towards completing the needed amount.

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