

S. C. ART SOCIETY.

MEETING of Ladies interested in the success of the Society's forthcoming exhibition in October, will be held in the Technical School TOMORROW (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 p.m.

P. W. RULE,
Hon. Sec.

FOR THE SAKE OF ART.

The South Canterbury Art Society is setting to work in earnest to ensure the success of the Art Exhibition which it proposes to hold in the Timaru Technical School next October. It is thirty years since the Society made a similar venture, and on that occasion the exhibition was a pronounced success, winning a great deal of popularity among the public, stimulating interest in art, and proving entirely pleasing to the painters of pictures who exhibited at it. The Society should be able to make this year's exhibition even more successful. Thanks to the generosity of a number of public-spirited citizens Timaru is now in possession of the very creditable nucleus of an Art Gallery, and it is safe to say that the beautiful pictures which have been placed in the Library building already have aroused public interest in the Art Gallery scheme and afforded a guarantee of the popularity of the proposed exhibition. The Society, however, will not be content with general interest; it is determined to win popularity and success by securing the co-operation of the citizens. The first step in that direction is to enlist the services of the ladies, to whose untiring energy the success of the 1910 exhibition was largely due, and the Society proposes to achieve this end by calling a meeting of ladies. It will be held in the Technical School at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and its primary object will be the formation of a committee of ladies. It is expected that they will be able to give particularly valuable help in organising a section, arranging entertainments, and in the care of other enterprises that will be required to make the exhibition thoroughly comprehensive and representative of art. The meeting to-morrow should be attended by large numbers of ladies, and we have no doubt that it will be. The ladies of Timaru have earned a reputation for their public spirit and their energetic interest in projects that make for the wellbeing of the community.

South Canterbury Art Society



Timaru, 28th May, 1913

Dear Madam,

The Council of the Art Society have decided to hold an Exhibition of Pictures and Works of Art in the Technical School commencing about the 14th October. The Exhibition held in June, 1910, was a pronounced success in every way, and it is the Council's desire to make this proposed Exhibition equally, if not more successful. Recognising that the previous success was largely due to the untiring energy of the members of the Ladies' Committees, the Council invite you to attend a meeting in the Technical School on Thursday afternoon, 5th June, at 3 p.m. for the formation of Ladies' Committees to assist with a Curio Section, Entertainments, Etc.

Trusting for your valued support.

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Yours faithfully,

P. W. RULE,

Hon. Secretary.