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# CHICAGO Philatelic Society

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## A. P. A. BRANCH NO. 1.

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Vice-President, GEO. NELSON,  
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Chicago, Sept. 2, 1889.

DEAR SIR:—The Chicago Philatelic Society having appointed a committee of five to make arrangements for the Society's action and representation at the Fourth Annual Convention of the American Philatelic Association, to be held in St. Louis, Mo., beginning October 7th, 1889, that committee respectfully solicits the proxies of such members as cannot attend in person.

It having been reported that certain members would endeavor, at the next convention, to so alter the constitution as to permit the centralization of the officers of the Association, this committee here declares itself opposed to any such measures, or any others that will be likely to detract from the *National* character of the organization.

One member of this committee has been selected because of his adherence to the Hill side of the Chalmers-Hill controversy. Members supporting the Hill claims should forward their proxies to Mr. P. H. Dilg, who will look after their interests at the convention.

All the members of the committee expect to be in attendance at the convention. Members can fill out the proxy blanks with the name of the committeeman they prefer to act for them.

All A. P. A. members who can make it convenient to do so are invited to stop over in Chicago on their way to the convention and finish the journey in company with our delegation. The Society's rooms, 80 La Salle Street, will be open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m on Saturday and Sunday, October 5th and 6th, when all travelling members will be made welcome.

Very respectfully yours,

CHARLES S. WILCOX,  
J. H. HUBER,  
P. M. WOLSIEFFER,  
PHIL. H. DILG,  
S. B. BRADT, } Committee.