PROCEEDINGS OF THE NUMISMATIC AND ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY.



HE weekly meetings have been held regularly, the attendance of members has been good, and the interest in the work of the Society well sustained.

At the meeting held April 19th :-

Mr. R. W. McLachlan was appointed as delegate to represent the Society at the meeting of the Royal Society of Canada to be held at Ottawa on May 31st.

Mr. McLachlan presented a pamphlet entitled "Coins struck in Canada previous 1840," which he wrote for the Congrès International de Numismatique, at which meeting it was read, and published at Brussels.

Mr. Lighthall presented a copy of the Proceedings of the Nova Scotian Institute of Sciences, Halifax, Session 1896-91.

The President, Hon. Judge Baby, exhibited some interesting objects, the property of Mr. Hatcher of Lafayette, Indiana, they were "MONTREAL, C. P.," and the inscriptions were very plain and well preserved. The following is a list of the articles shown:—

One pair of wrist bracelets, an arm bracelet, an amulet, a Greek cross and concave disc, with an English crown engraved.

Mr. J. A. U. Beaudry exhibited an old copper thumb-latch found in a house on Berri street. The inscriptions on it are in French.

The Secretary, Mr. F. Langelier, exhibited sketches of objects found by Private J. J. Tanner of St. Johns. They were mostly found on the shore, in front of the barracks, and consist for the most important part, of about 100 military buttons, and articles in use by soldiers, such as jack-knives, &c.

Mr. J. Prume reported that two or three years ago an old cannon was found in the river between St. Rose and St. Eustache, and undertook further enquiry about it.

The following gentlemen were elected as ordinary members of the Society:—