

sum of five pounds, and the annual subscription shall be three pounds, payable during their residence in the Province.

BYE-LAWS. 1. The annual subscription to commence on the anniversary meeting after admission.

2. The annual subscription to be paid in advance upon the anniversary.

3. Any Member by a donation of twenty pounds shall become a Member for life, and be exempted from future annual subscriptions.

4. A Seal of the Society shall be engraved, under which all acts and diplomas of the Society shall be confirmed.

5. No diploma of admission to the Society can be delivered without payment of the entrance fee of five pounds, in aid of the funds.

6. A suitable VIGNETTE shall decorate the diploma, which shall be signed by the President, and countersigned by the Treasurer of the Society.

7. Until the name of the Society shall be finally determined by his Majesty, his Excellency the Patron and Founder of the Society, has kindly offered the use of his Official Seal; and such Seal shall confirm all acts and diplomas of the Society.

VII. All donations of books, pamphlets, manuscripts, and articles of curiosity, made to the Society, shall be received with thanks, and entered on the books by the Recording Secretary, with the names of the donors, a report thereof to be made at the next meeting.

VIII. The admission of Members of the Society shall be by ballot; the nomination to be made at the previous monthly meeting, and to be seconded.

BYE-LAW. Fifteen Members to be necessary to constitute a ballot; and one third black balls of those balloting, to exclude the Candidate.

IX. The laws and bye-laws of this Society may be altered or amended at a regular meeting, previous notice having been given at a former meeting of such intention in writing, signed at least by nine ordinary Members.

*Officers of the Literary and Historical Society of Quebec for the current year.*

*Founder and Patron*—His Excellency the Right Honourable George, Earl of Dalhousie, G. C. B., &c. &c. &c.

*President*—His Excellency the Honourable Sir Francis Nathaniel Burton, K. C. G.

*Vice-Presidents*—The Hon. the Chief Justice—Vallières de St. Real, Esq.

*Recording Secretary*—William Green, Esq.

*Treasurer and Corresponding Secretary*—John Charlton Fisher, Esq. L.L.D.

## INCIDENTS, DEATHS, &c.

### LOWER-CANADA.

#### MONTREAL.

The Hibernian Society had a splendid dinner at the Mansion-House, on the 17th instant, in honour of the festival of St. Patrick.—The chair was most ably filled by Mr. O'Sullivan, Vice-Rev. W. Johnston.—The utmost conviviality prevailed.

Between L.1500 and L.2000 has been subscribed here towards the Fund of the Welland Canal.

The Fair which took place on the 25th was indifferently attended, on account of a religious fete kept with strictness by the Canadian population, having fallen on the same day.

The Criminal Court for March closed on the 10th. During this Term, 85 Bills of Indictment were delivered into Court by the Grand Jury, 64 of which were true bills; 20 of these were convicted; four of them were guilty of murder.