SEARCHES.

An important branch of the work in the Manuscripts Division consists of making searches for inquirers. Over 3,500 volumes were taken from the Manuscript room during the year to be consulted. Many of the inquiries involve considerable research. Amongst the subjects of inquiry were the following:

The history of Missisquoi County, the Seigniories of Foucault, Noyan, Levasseur,

St-Armand and the Township of Dunham.

The early history of Canso and Guysboro.

The participation of the Eastern Townships Militia in the War of 1812-15.

The Settlement of French Huguenots in Canada.

Militia of Baie-du-Febvre and Nicolet.

The Rideau Canal.

The Upper Canada Land Company.

American prisoners at Quebec, during War 1812-15. Burying Grounds for Emigrants in Montreal, in 1847.

Military Bounties granted for services in the Red River Expedition.

The Paper Money in Canada.

The Courts of Requests of Lower Canada.

The diversion of the waters of some tributaries of St. John River by American Citizens, 1841.

The battle of Châteauguay; the death of Jumonville.

Petitions to the Duke of Richmond while Governor of Canada.

The Censuses of Canada.

Reciprocity with the U.S.A.

The Walker Outrage, Montreal, 1765.

Distribution of the Troops at Kingston, Prescott and other points in 1812.

The change of level along the St. Lawrence and Gulf in historic times.

British Soldiers who enlisted in Canada or in the British Isles and came over to Canada, between 1800 and 1854.

Whereabouts of the Black Watch Regiment from 1756 to 1758.

Rebels court-martialed and executed in London, Ont., in 1838.

Political prisoners transported to Van Dieman's land, 1838.

Rebel prisoners who died in the hospitals at Quebec, in 1775-1776.

Contracts between the French King and Nicolas Oudiette, farmer of the Revenue. The old cemetery on Burlington Heights, also known as Lundy's Lane Cemetery.

The Seigniory of Isle Verte, from its first concession to 1829.

Address sent to Sr. de La Balme by the inhabitants of the Post of Vincennes, 1780.

The history of London, Ont.

Establishment of the Religieuses Hospitalières at Montreal.

The Madawaska Settlement, 1790; the Sovey Settlement, 1784; the Aroostook

Country. The early history of Muskoka.

The early history of Dundas. The Fort of Beauséjour and the Canadian Troops sent there.

Missionaries in Acadia and St. Pierre et Miquelon.

Uniforms worn by Militiamen during the War of 1812-15. The old French Custom House in Gaspé Basin, said to have been occupied by

Wolfe, in 1758.

Regiments present at the Battle of Carillon.

The Chevenne tribe of Indians.