

stamps and blue shilling stamps were struck off. The error was speedily corrected, but the stamps already struck off were unique, and now are worth many dollars each.

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EDITORIAL.



THE Society has held its stated monthly meetings, which have been marked by a good attendance of the members, and an increased interest in the working of the Society.

The members have been engaged in endeavouring to procure suitable accommodation for the exhibition of the cabinet of the Society, and for holding its meetings. Several places have been proposed, and although no definite decision has been arrived at, it is still hoped that some fit place in a central and approved situation may yet offer. It is most important that the Society should find, with as little delay as possible, the "local habitation" which the members have been so long endeavouring to secure.

At a meeting of the Society, held March 24th, the Secretary reported that he had received a letter from the Governor-General's Secretary, (in reply to his application as requested by the members at a previous meeting,) informing the Society that His Excellency had consented to become its Patron.

At the meeting held April 15th, it was resolved to request permission for the Society to furnish the necessary coins, &c., to be deposited in the foundation stone of the proposed Monument to Maissonneuve, the founder of Montreal.

At the same meeting, P. S. Ross, Esq., attended as a visitor, and presented to the Society 16 silver and 17 copper coins (various). Mr. Geo. Cushing exhibited a number of British war medals, many of them in fine condition.

At all the meetings many very interesting coins and medals were exhibited.