

Sixth. "The Taking of Louisbourg." By Miss Mabel McLean Helliwell. This was published in the *Saturday Globe* of July 29th, with several illustrations.

Seventh. "The Capture of Quebec." By Miss Rowand.

In addition to the papers of this series, the following were contributed to the programme:

"Quebec in 1775." By Mrs. S. G. Wood.

"Brebœuf's Wanderings." By Lady Edgar.

"Wayside Records, being Records Gleaned from the Tombstones of the U. E. Loyalists." By Miss Sara Mickle.

"Some Archives." By Mrs. J. W. F. Harrison ("Seranus"). This paper was prepared for the meeting of the Ontario Historical Society at their winter session, where Mrs. Harrison kindly represented our Society, and was repeated by special request at the March meeting.

"Historical Ramble up Yonge Street." By Miss Bessie Macmurchy.

"The Historic Interest of the Mackinac Trip." By Mrs. W. Cummings.

"Letter from the Maryland Archives." By Lady Edgar.

"Amherst Island and Its Neighborhood." By Mrs. Edward Leigh.

Several of these papers have been very well reported in the public press, others have been typewritten and preserved in your Society's archives.

"Madeleine de Véchéres," by Dr. Drummond, was also read by Mrs. James George, whose rendition of the historic tale as told by our Canadian poet was much appreciated.

The publication of the programme of the meetings and titles of papers to be read had an excellent effect in rousing a greater interest and increasing the attendance.

During the winter session held by the Ontario Historical Society, with which your Society is affiliated, it was noted that no steps had been taken to entertain the visiting delegates. An extra meeting of your Executive was called and arrangements made to entertain the lady visitors at lunch. A committee was also named to meet and cooperate with the Ontario Historical Society in carrying out a proposed Historical Exhibition in Toronto.

The part taken by your members in making this exhibition not only a success, but in enabling it to be held at all, has been so large a part of your work during the past year that a brief account of it, and how it was undertaken and realized, belongs to and should be incorporated in your Secretary's report.

On September 5th, 1898, the Ontario Society, by resolution, appointed a committee of five to take into consideration the best plan to follow, by which historic relics and records known to be in existence might be preserved from loss. The circular issued by this Committee brought so favorable a response, that at the winter session of the Ontario Society in February, it was decided that an exhibition of